LAIDLAW COLLEGE

Te Wananga Amorangi

855.515 Inclusive Pedagogies Course Outline

NQF Level: 5 Credit Value: 15

DELIVERY MODE

Henderson, Manukau

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This foundational course explores primary education as *ako*—the flow of teaching and learning, the nurturing of the whole child, including *taha wairua*, and *whaiwāhitanga*—inclusion of all learners. On this platform, a broad understanding of effective and relational pedagogies is developed and connected to inclusive practices, inclusive environments, and inclusive management strategies. A personal philosophy of inclusive teaching in the context of bicultural character of New Zealand/Aotearoa education is initiated.

GRADUATING TEACHER STANDARDS

1b,d; 2a,d; 3b,c; 4a, b c, f; 6b-e; 7a-d

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Students will be able to:

- 1. Articulate an understanding of *ako, taha wairua*, and *whaiwāhitanga* as a critical teaching concerns
- 2. Develop pedagogies that effectively support learning differentiation;
- 3. Understand and develop bicultural teacher competencies
- 4. Identify and reflect upon key aspects of inclusive classrooms