FCS 2640 Integrated Curriculum Methods

This is an interactive, practical, fun curriculum and planning class. It takes educational theory and shows you how to implement it in a classroom setting. Creative learning strategies will be explored through field trips, lecture and presentations by guest speakers working in classrooms around the city. Class covers the 6 basic principles for a successful primary classroom as well as strategies for integrating the aesthetic domains of visual arts, music, theatre, movement and other creative outlets with the Utah State Common Core. Required course for Elementary Education major and a great elective for anyone majoring or minoring in Human Development and Family Studies.

Integrating the Water Cycle: Under the guidance of Salt Lake City School District Literacy Coach, Nancy Page and BTSALP (Beverly Taylor Sorenson Arts Learning Program) drama teacher, Meighan Page, the students in FCS 2640 write “living sentences” and act them out as a way to integrate informational text and teach students about the water cycle.