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Ollscoil
Teicneolaíochta
an Oirdheiscirt

South East
Technological
University

Developments in Adult Literacy

(10 Credits, Level 9)

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| Module Aim | <p>This module provides students with the knowledge and skills to explore the relationship between literacy, adult education, the learner and their own professional development. Students will be encouraged to develop an awareness of literacy as a tool for social transformation and to reflect on how to integrate an awareness of adult literacy into their own professional context.</p> |
| Module Learning Outcomes | <p><i>Upon successful completion of this module, a student will be able to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Critically reflect on the definitions of literacy in relation to their own professional development.• Reflect on the causes and effects of literacy difficulties amongst adults in Ireland and evaluate the effects on access and participation in the adult education context.• Evaluate strategic approaches to real and potential barriers to access and participation arising from unmet literacy needs within adult and further education.• Consider the key components of an organisation-wide approach to promoting literacy within adult and further education with regard to potential developments within the organisational culture.• Review, adapt and create appropriate procedures/materials for learners to ensure literacy friendly access and a UDL approach. |
| Mode of Assessment | 100% Continuous Assessment |
| Delivery Methods | Online (Please See Timetable) |