

Transition Camp Teachers
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Course: Transition Camp 2004-05 Professional Development: ED 593 for two credits
Fee to UAS: \$75
Instructor: Gail Greenhalgh

Course requirements

Summary

You will be participating in your Transition Camp session as a mentor and teacher for your students and other students in the program. You will learn about the student lessons by helping them complete them. Your culminating assignment will be a short journal and evaluation of the session, to be completed within two weeks of the end of the session.

1. Complete all advance assignments together with your students and comment on them in your journal. (Web site: www.serrc.org/academy)
2. Work with your students as they prepare for the school and community presentation.
3. Attend and participate in all the activities for the session.
4. Complete a journal/evaluation of the Transition Camp session, and mail or FAX it to the instructor within two weeks of the end of your session.

Journal contents:

- a) Describe the effectiveness of the Transition Camp web site and the student assignments in (1) providing general information and (2) preparing students for their Transition Camp experience.
- b) For each day, Sunday through Friday, write two or three paragraphs that discuss one or more of the following:
 - Logistics
 - Schedule arrangements
 - Major concepts you learned about the transition process
 - Effectiveness of learning activities for students
 - Relationship of student activities to Alaska Content Standards
 - Suggestions for improved effectiveness of your teacher/mentor position
 - General evaluation of positive aspects of the day and any suggestions for improving the experience
- c) Discuss how your overall Transition Camp experience has influenced your perception of the transition process.
- d) Describe how your Transition Camp experience has affected or will affect your classroom teaching.
- e) Describe how you will share this information with other students, staff and community.

Begin your work now. Register and pay fees the first day of your session. Mail or FAX your Transition Camp Journal to your instructor, Gail Greenhalgh within two weeks of the end of your session.