

Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Exploring Childhoods
Status: Definitive
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Owning School/Faculty: Education
Teaching School/Faculty: Education

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Academic Level: FHEQ3
Credit Value: 20
Total Delivered Hours: 40
Total Learning Hours: 200
Private Study: 160

Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 1

Component	Contact Hours
Off Site	8
Workshop	32

Grading Basis: 40 %

Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Artefacts	AS1	Presentation of creative product (equivalent to 4500 words)	100	

Aims

This module will explore the ways in which children and childhood can be defined and viewed. The module aims to examine perspectives and debates through consideration of the representation of children and childhoods from historical, political and socio-cultural contexts.

Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Explore historical, political and socio-cultural perspectives related to ideas of childhood
- 2 Discuss representations of childhood
- 3 Reflect on some competing perspectives and debates about how children and childhoods are 'seen' in wider society

Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

Artefact	1	2	3
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Outline Syllabus

- Historical depictions of children and childhood*
- Constructions of children and childhood*
- Children, childhood and the internet*
- Child protection and safeguarding*
- Representations of children in a range of media*
- Race, gender, disability and sexuality (intersectionality) and childhood*
- Children's voice and rights*
- Policy and legislation relating to children and young people*
- Children at work and play*
- The child as consumer*

Learning Activities

Activities will be delivered through workshops, directed reading, online environments, student directed activity and off site visits.

Notes

This module will be offered for all students on the Foundation Year in education and early childhood studies.