# **Liverpool** John Moores University

Title: SUBJECT PEDAGOGY IN MEDIA STUDIES

Status: Definitive

Code: **7116SMED** (124662)

Version Start Date: 01-08-2020

Owning School/Faculty: Health Teaching School/Faculty: Health

| Team        | Leader |
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Academic Credit Total

Level: FHEQ7 Value: 20 Delivered 62

Hours:

Total Private

Learning 200 Study: 138

Hours:

# **Delivery Options**

Course typically offered: Standard Year Long

| Component | Contact Hours |  |
|-----------|---------------|--|
| Lecture   | 25            |  |
| Off Site  | 6             |  |
| Online    | 10            |  |
| Tutorial  | 1             |  |
| Workshop  | 20            |  |

**Grading Basis:** 50 %

#### **Assessment Details**

| Category | Short<br>Description | Description                   | Weighting (%) | Exam<br>Duration |
|----------|----------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| Essay    | AS1                  | Essay (4000 words equivalent) | 100           |                  |

### Aims

To enable students to have a critical understanding of the nature of Media Studies in schools and colleges.

To enable students to analyse how Media Studies is taught in the 11-16 and/or 14-19 sectors.

To enable students to investigate the development of learners' understanding and

barriers to learning Media Studies.

To enable students to critically evaluate strategies which promote learning in Media Studies.

## **Learning Outcomes**

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- Demonstrate systematic knowledge and understanding of fundamental concepts in Media Studies as they relate to the 11-16 and/or 14-19 sectors.
- 2 Critically analyse learners' conceptual understanding of Media Studies.
- 3 Interrogate research literature to provide a critique of pedagogy in Media Studies.
- 4 Articulate complex ideas using appropriate language and style.

# **Learning Outcomes of Assessments**

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

Critical Analysis (4000 1 2 3 4 words)

#### **Outline Syllabus**

The National Curriculum and frameworks and initiatives relating to Media Studies in the 11-16 and/or 14-19 sectors.

Approaches to pedagogy in Media Studies.

Current research and policies on learning, teaching and assessment applicable to Media Studies in the 11-16 and/or 14-19 sectors.

Strategies/activities to use ICT to enhance teaching and learning in Media Studies. Effective learning within Media Studies.

Issues in development of learning in secondary learners with reference to Media Studies.

Strategies for investigating and critically evaluating research literature.

Carrying out small-scale investigation into learning.

### **Learning Activities**

Lectures, seminars, workshops, on line learning and practical activities will cover the key knowledge and concepts in Media Studies. Group and individual tutorial will enable students to negotiate small-scale research activities or a review of subject focused literature.

#### **Notes**

The module uses a critical research-focused perspective to develop understanding of learning and teaching in media studies and a critical appreciation of the barriers which may inhibit in the secondary age range.