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ECE 411(1500): Teaching Belief Statement

My concept of learning is establishing a caring learning environment, which affects children to gain new understanding, knowledge, behavior, and skills. I believe that a successful study should not only be a safe place, but also meet the development of children's various skills, and should attract children's initiative and exploration enthusiasm for learning. Therefore, a caring learning environment should allow students to maintain a sense of freshness for the learning environment and meet their learning needs.

My teaching philosophy is to actively support children's development and learning in a caring learning environment, and use my professional knowledge to create activities and strategies that attract children to meet their learning needs. Also, My ideal teaching environment is to establish a caring learning environment based on the student development information obtained from observations to ensure that students can develop their skills in each learning center. Because young children need teachers to guide and stimulate their curiosity and interest in exploration, let them have the motivation to learn.

My goals for students mean that students can develop their cognitive, language, and social skills through my teaching. In addition, I will record each child's personality, ability and learning style by observing their development, which can help me understand each child and adjust my curriculum in time, so that each child can get the support needed to develop relationships with others and feel that he is a member of this group.

I will use objective observation and descriptive review, which can support me to have more understanding about students. I learned different objective observation methods through

my experience in the class and observation of children's development, and how to write and use descriptive review to evaluate the development level of each student. This can help me understand the students and meet their individual needs according to their different learning abilities. Moreover, objective observation and descriptive review also support me to keep the classroom lively and exploratory. Because children's interests and learning needs are constantly changing. Therefore, the objective observation and descriptive review that I have learned the most can support me to establish a caring learning environment and make this learning environment continue to attract students to actively explore.

Working with children is not easy, and not everyone will respect my career choice. I will not make as much money as someone who works on Wall Street. However, working with children gave me opportunities to set new goals every day. Because nothing is smooth sailing, but nothing is happier than seeing a child progress successfully through my guidance.

Also, I will actively reflect the above values and beliefs in class activities. For example, for language development, I will set up a music center in a separate space in the classroom. There are soft carpets, dolls, scarves, green plants, some children's musical instruments, and music CDs in the music center. Students can develop their language through music because the melody in the song can help children memorize the pronunciation of words and complete sentences. Also, I will sing songs about themed courses with the students at Circle Time, so that I can guide my children's interest in music and give them motivation to learn. For individual children's needs, I will create small group activities, which can give individual students a hint or other assistance, encourage them, and promote students' persistence and effort.

I believe that in life, we all need to find a goal that can guide us so that we can dig deeper and work harder. Because I want it, not because I have to do it. Therefore, as a teacher,

I work hard, but it is also rewarding. Over time, I established contact with a group of children, and guiding them to grow is the most challenging. Therefore, even though someone around me ignores my career, I will not change my positive attitude towards teaching and learning.

In sum, as an early childhood teacher, I will actively establish a good teacher-student relationship with children and a caring learning environment. Also, I will evaluate what each student has learned from my Learning Experience Unit through observation methods such as students' art works, checklists, running records, anecdotal records, etc. This helps me understand students' needs and personalities and improve teaching practice, plan the course. Furthermore, based on my observations and records, I will study and plan courses that are more suitable for these students, so as to stimulate their interest and help them make progress on my courses. Then, when I see the children's progress in my curriculum, I believe that my hard work is worthwhile.