

Family Studies Cluster Course Description

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This course introduces students to families, relationships, wellness, human development, and practical life skills through discussions, hands-on activities, group work, and projects.

GLO 1: Families and Relationships

Explore types of families and relationships, communication, respect, cooperation, and healthy relationships.

GLO 2: Personal Development and Wellness

Explore physical, emotional, social, and mental wellness, including healthy habits, goal setting, self-care, and decision-making.

GLO3: Human Development

Explore stages of human growth and physical, emotional, social, and cognitive development.

GLO 4: Life Skills and Healthy Living

Develop practical skills related to nutrition, food preparation, personal safety, hygiene, budgeting, and healthy choices.

GLO5: Putting It All Together

Review course concepts, apply learning to real-life situations, and reflect on personal growth.

Assessment and Evaluation

Student learning will be assessed through

- class participation, discussions
- exit tickets
- worksheets
- quizzes
- hands-on activities
- reflections, projects
- presentations
- practical assignments
- final project/reflection

✓ Checkmark indicates that a formative activity has been completed and the student is completing the practice to prepare for summative needed evaluations and projects.

Missing: Indicates that an assignment activity has not yet been submitted or completed.

Classroom Expectations

Students are expected to

- arrive prepared
- participate respectfully
- complete assigned work
- follow safety instructions
- care for classroom materials
- keep the room organized
- ask for help when needed
- **Cell phones are not permitted during class unless permission is given for a specific learning activity.**
- Power School's app can be a valuable to track assignments learning progress and course completion. Students are encouraged to check PowerSchool regularly to stay informed about progress in the course.

Please ask questions and remember that we all make mistakes they provide an opportunity to learn.

Enjoy the semester. I look forward to working with you.