

First Nations Support 8-12

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Course Description:

This course is designed to support Indigenous Students through instruction in strategies related to learning challenges. Students are supported with organization, study habits, test taking strategies, and homework support. Self-Advocacy and Self-Determination are emphasized as life-long strategies as a means of becoming independent, successful learners.

Learning Outcomes:

- Attend all classes
- Use class time effectively to complete outstanding homework
- Use an agenda book to organize homework
- Seek help when needed from teacher
- Keep binders organized and up-to-date
- Read for pleasure
- Participate in class discussions
- Complete a weekly review of homework completion

How to Be Successful:

- Work independently and cooperatively with fellow students and teacher
- Regularly check-in with Ms. Deminger
- Seek help from teacher when needed
- Learn to self-assess and reflect on homework completion
- Try your best every class

Materials for Class:

- Homework Binder
- Text book
- Pens and Pencils
- Novel for Reading

Assessment:

- Work Habits
- Organizational Skills
- Personal, Social and Cultural Responsibility

Goal:

- That all students will experience a sense of belonging and respect in the classroom
- To increase the level of academic success for each student
- To increase the knowledge and respect for Indigenous Culture