## EDU 579 : Social Justice Through Reading Adolescence & Childhood Literature

Designed for childhood, literacy and special education teachers and teacher candidates, the course requires students to critically analyze children's literature for its depiction of concepts, events, and protagonists pertaining to social justice. Candidates review the professional literature related to children's literature, its impact on instruction and the extent to which children's literature replicates and or advances educational systems' inclusion of diverse populations.