# **Program Models**

## Summary

Lesson on different philosophies and the programs established for each.

## Time Frame

1 class periods of 45 minutes each

#### **Group Size**

Large Groups

#### Life Skills

Thinking & Reasoning

#### Materials

Power point projector or notes from lesson plan, worksheet for each student. Good videos on this subject offered by Davidson Films (916-753-9604) or http://davidsonfilms.com/

#### **Background for Teachers**

It would be helpful to read the text on Program models.

#### Student Prior Knowledge

Helpful to have worked in child care or visited a number of different kinds of daycares.

## **Intended Learning Outcomes**

Students will understand the differences of the three different philosophies and the types of child care establishments that reflect these philosophies.

#### Instructional Procedures

Power point presentation to be accompanied with Program Model work paper. Follow up with visits to a preschool of each of the different models. Evaluate each.

#### Assessment Plan

Successful completion of notes sheet and evaluation sheet on each center visited.

#### Rubrics

Child Care Center Evaluation Rubric

## Bibliography

Textbook "Introduction to Early Childhood Education" by J. Brewer (ISBN 0-205-32657-9)

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