

System and Management of Education Syllabus Number 0M101
General Basic Subjects
Elective 2 credit
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1. Course Description

- In this course, students will learn about the structure, content, interpretation, and reform of the legal system regarding school education.
- This course will provide an opportunity for students to learn about curriculum management and crisis management currently required in school education.
- In addition to lecture-format classes, the 8th and 15th class will be conducted as a dialogue with the students encouraging active learning.
- This course is related to Learning Goal 3 of "General Subjects".

2. Course Objectives

- Students show interest in the discussions on the structure, content, interpretation and reform of the legal system regarding school education. (Interest and motivation)
- Students understand the legal system that supports education and the schooling system. (Knowledge and understanding)
- Students develop an idea of the desired future school education, from the perspective of creating a safe and secure school where the human rights of children are protected (Expression)

3. Grading Policy

- Reflection paper (indication of attendance and learning) 30%
- Participation and attitude in class (dialogue) 30%
- Writing assignment "What is desired for future school education?" 40%

4. Textbook and Reference

Textbook

古田薫・山下晃一編著 『法律で学ぶ教育制度』 ミネルヴァ書房 2020 ISBN 978-4-623-08182-0

5. Requirements(Assignments)

- Students should present their opinions clearly in class
- A reflection paper will be distributed at the end of every class. Students should summarise the class with a single kanji character and present the reason why you chose that particular kanji

6. Note

7. Schedule

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| [1] | Guidance |
| [2] | Post WWII development of school education in Japan |
| [3] | Contemporary topics on school education |
| [4] | Legal systems that support school education |
| [5] | Principles of the modern public education system |
| [6] | The evolution of school education and its challenges |
| [7] | The educational administration system |
| [8] | Feedback and dialogue - Discussing the modern education system in Japan |
| [9] | Curriculum development |
| [10] | School organisational management |
| [11] | Theoretical development of school management |
| [12] | Teaching and classroom management |
| [13] | Contemporary challenges for school management |
| [14] | The professionalism of education and the autonomy of schools |
| [15] | Feedback and dialogue- What is desired for future school education? |