

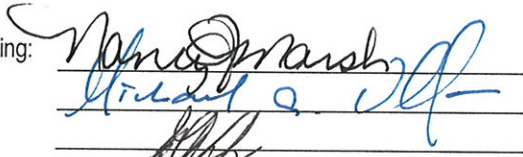
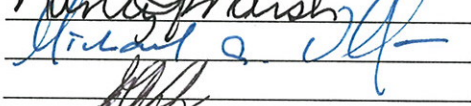
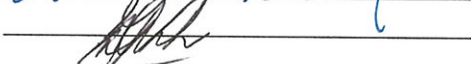
What provisions will you make for regular effective contact between instructors and students?

Students will use Blackboard Discussion Boards to communicate weekly with other students and instructor regarding the assigned reading materials and other assignments. Students will also have regular access to instructor through email and telephone as necessary. Online courses also allow for other students to communicate and respond to their classmates' questions which facilitate collaborative learning.

What other pertinent information should be shared with the committee?

This course is currently offered in a fully online format at Fresno City College as well as other community colleges in California. This course is part of the core General Education coursework and transferable to CSU. This course can be used to complete an A.S. degree in Child Development as well as meet the requirements for the Child Development Permit Matrix which is the teaching certificate required for employment in preschool and child care programs. Offering this course online will allow students who would prefer to attend Reedley College to remain part of our student body rather than seek coursework in non-traditional formats at other colleges.

Signatures:

Instructor reviewing for distance learning:		Date	<u>9/29/08</u>
Department Chair		Date	<u>10-7-08</u>
Dean of Instruction		Date	<u>10-13-08</u>

Approved by Curriculum Committee:

Curriculum Committee Chair	_____	Date	_____
Vice President of Instruction	_____	Date	_____

Please attach this cover sheet to the course outline and description of adjustments.