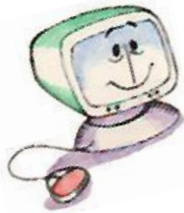


**Fall 2011**  
**A Distance Learning Course**

**EDPS 54000**  
**Gifted, Creative and Talented Children**



**September 6 – December 2**  
**Registration MUST be completed no later than August 31**  
**This is an Online Course**  
**3 graduate credits**

**Instructor: Rebecca L. Mann, Ph.D.**

EDPS 540 is the first in a sequence of courses for individuals seeking licensure in gifted child education in the state of Indiana.

This course is an introduction to intellectual, social, and emotional characteristics of gifted youth. The philosophy of gifted education is explored as is the concept of multi-talent giftedness: intellectual, academic, creative, artistic, and leadership. Students will be introduced to the principles involved in designing learning experiences for the gifted.

- ★ Classes are not independent study courses, but interactive sessions with specific deadlines.
- ★ Class discussions take place asynchronously with your classmates and instructor, no need to be at your computer at a specific time during the week.
- ★ Access courses through Purdue University's Blackboard Vista (Log on information provided with tuition payment)
- ★ Technology needed: A computer with high speed internet access, email, a word processing program such as Microsoft Word, Microsoft PowerPoint (or the free PowerPoint viewer that is available from Microsoft), and Adobe's PDF reader-- available free from Adobe.

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