

UNIVERSITY OF CUMBRIA COURSEWORK REASSESSMENT REQUIREMENT

Module Code: SNOL4104
Module Title:
Living and Working in Groups
Tutor: Mark Lawton
Title of the item of work:
"No one is an island"
Wordage: 2000 words

Details and Criteria:

Throughout this module, you were introduced to the potential challenges and benefits of living and working in groups in varying contexts.

For this assignment you are required to provide a 2000 word written essay broken down into 2 parts. Part 1 focuses on the perceived benefits of outdoor experiences and Part 2 asks you to explore your own values and personal philosophy of practice.

Part 1:

There are many claims as to value of undertaking outdoor learning. These include emotional, intellectual and behavioural claims. This **(1500 word)** task asks you to explore the range of group outdoor experiences (e.g. the residential, expedition, team games, ice breakers, adventurous activities e.g rock climbing or canoeing) and discuss the associated key benefits to an individual and to the wider society through participation in them.

Part 2:

(500 words) You are required to consider your previous experiences, and also the experiences of others, when living and or working as a participant in groups and develop and articulate your own philosophy of practice within these contexts. Remember a personal philosophy of practice can be described as a written document that serves as a compass to guide one's practice. It may include a your personal and/or professional values, personal and/or professional goals, a personal and/or professional mission statement, and any other elements that may describe how you practices.

You are recommended to use academic references to support your ideas, all of which can be drawn from the reading lists for the sessions in this module, or from your own independent research using resources such as Google Scholar.

The essay should be structured as follows:

In essays like this I would recommend that you make good use of paragraphs to organise your essay into logical sections that link to one another. Each of these paragraphs should indicate how you have addressed the question.

Quality of the information presented: how comprehensive is your understanding of the question; have you identified and explained what you think the key points and issues are, and have you used an appropriate level of detail to discuss these issues? For me, this is the most important element that you will be assessed upon.

Appropriate use and citation of source/reference material: what background literature have you used to inform your essay? Are you basing your work on appropriate research literature, or is your essay informed by less robust, less accurate or lower quality material (such as websites). Choosing and filtering the most useful reference material is a critical academic skill that you will develop throughout your degree.

LOs covered.

- 3. develop and articulate your own philosophy of practice within group contexts
- 4. explore key societal attitudes and values that manifest themselves in outdoor contexts

If in your original submission you didn't achieve, you can make alterations to the original submission and resubmit that. Please highlight all changes and additions though using a highlighter.

Please submit this assignment as a written theoretical essay to Turnitin

SUBMISSION DATE AS PER STUDENT PORTAL

To be submitted by **1600**, **12**th **August 2022** through the Virtual Learning Environment (Blackboard / Turnitin).