CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY, POMONA ACADEMIC SENATE

GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

REPORT TO

THE ACADEMIC SENATE

GE-010-212

ECS 3400: Language and Literacy in Multilingual Families and Communities (GE Synthesis D4)

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Second Reading

TITLE OF REFERRAL: ECS 3400: Language and Literacy in Multilingual Families and Communities (GE Synthesis D4)

<u>BACKGROUND</u>: This is a request from the Early Childhood Studies department to revise an existing course to meet GE Synthesis D4. The course evaluates theories and concepts related to the development of first language, bilingualism, and multilingualism. The course integrates themes from social sciences such as linguistics, history, politics, and sociology, but also aligns with the upper-division synthesis requirements.

RESOURCES CONSULTED: N/A

DISCUSSION:

The modifications made to the course ECO fit the Area D4 requirements to be included in the GE curriculum.

RECOMMENDATION:

The GE Committee unanimously recommends approval of ECS 3400: Language and Literacy in Multilingual Families and Communities (GE Synthesis D4).