Mindmapping Activity

**Purpose of Mindmapping:**

Mindmapping is a way to generate ideas, organize concepts, record new learning, and develop a clear understanding of what one believes and understands related to a topic.

**Directions:**

1. Begin your mindmap by placing the word early childhood curriculum in the center.

2. Identify 3-5 main ideas (e.g., parts of a curriculum, legal influences) related to the concept of curriculum. You may want to recall information from your readings for this week and the resources you or one of your classmates discussed during the online discussion to help formulate your main ideas.

3. Generate statements, words, pictures/drawings to expand upon and unpack the main ideas you have identified.

4. You may want to share your mindmap with another student to generate new ideas.