

LLS141 : Ancient Civilizations of the World

General Information

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Course Code (CB01) :	LLS141
Course Title (CB02) :	Ancient Civilizations of the World
Department:	LLS
Proposal Start:	Winter 2025
TOP Code (CB03) :	(2205.00) History
CIP Code:	(54.0101) History, General.
SAM Code (CB09) :	Non-Occupational
Distance Education Approved:	No
Will this course be taught asynchronously?:	No
Course Control Number (CB00) :	CCC000414675
Curriculum Committee Approval Date:	04/10/2024
Board of Trustees Approval Date:	06/18/2024
Last Cyclical Review Date:	04/10/2024
Course Description and Course Note:	LLS 141 explores the history, archaeology and influence of civilizations in the ancient world. Each session explores a different civilization. This course is designed for the older adults who want to recharge their interest in and sharpen their awareness of how ancient civilizations laid the groundwork for our contemporary world. Lecture: 32 hours. Note: Each session focuses on a different civilization. Note: This is a course designed for the older adult. Note: This course is Pass/No Pass only.
Justification:	Mandatory Revision
Academic Career:	• Noncredit
Author:	No value

Academic Senate Discipline

Primary Discipline:	• Older Adults:-Non-Credit
Alternate Discipline:	No value
Alternate Discipline:	No value

Course Development

Basic Skill Status (CB08) Course is not a basic skills course.	Course Special Class Status (CB13) Course is not a special class.	Grading Basis • Grade with Pass / No-Pass Option
<input type="checkbox"/> Allow Students to Gain Credit by Exam/Challenge	Pre-Collegiate Level (CB21) Not applicable.	Course Support Course Status (CB26) Course is not a support course

Transferability & Gen. Ed. Options

General Education Status (CB25)

Not Applicable

Transferability

Not transferable

Transferability Status

Not transferable

Units and Hours

Summary

Minimum Credit Units (CB07) 0

Maximum Credit Units (CB06) 0

Total Course In-Class (Contact) Hours 32

Total Course Out-of-Class Hours 0

Total Student Learning Hours 32

Credit / Non-Credit Options

Course Type (CB04)

Non-Credit

Noncredit Course Category (CB22)

Courses for Older Adults.

Noncredit Special Characteristics

No Value

Course Classification Code (CB11)

Non-Enhanced Funding.

Variable Credit Course

Funding Agency Category (CB23)

Not Applicable.

Cooperative Work Experience

Education Status (CB10)

Weekly Student Hours

	In Class	Out of Class
Lecture Hours	32	0
Laboratory Hours	0	0
Studio Hours	0	0

Course Student Hours

Course Duration (Weeks)	18
Hours per unit divisor	54
Course In-Class (Contact) Hours	
Lecture	32
Laboratory	0
Studio	0
Total	32
Course Out-of-Class Hours	
Lecture	0
Laboratory	0
Studio	0
Total	0

Time Commitment Notes for Students

No value

Units and Hours - Weekly Specialty Hours

Activity Name	Type	In Class	Out of Class
No Value	No Value	No Value	No Value

Pre-requisites, Co-requisites, Anti-requisites and Advisories

No Value

Entry Standards

Entry Standards

Course Limitations

Cross Listed or Equivalent Course

Specifications

Methods of Instruction

Methods of Instruction Lecture

Methods of Instruction Multimedia

Out of Class Assignments

- Independent study using handouts
- Reading recommended books
- Viewing web-sites and videos
- Visiting recommended museums

Methods of Evaluation Rationale

Activity (answering journal prompt, group activity)

Student participation in class discussions

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Small group and /or individual research and reports (e.g. investigation of the role of the pyramids in ancient Egyptian culture)

Textbook Rationale

No Value

Textbooks

Author

Title

Publisher

Date

ISBN

No Value

No Value

No Value

No Value

No Value

Other Instructional Materials (i.e. OER, handouts)

Description

Instructor-generated background information on the civilization being studied.

Author

No value

Citation

No value

Online Resource(s)

No value

Description

Duplicated articles from books and periodicals with copyright permission.

Author

No value

Citation

No value

Online Resource(s)

No value

Materials Fee

No value

Learning Outcomes and Objectives

Course Objectives

Create a time-line of the ancient civilization.

Summarize the contributions of the civilization to other parts of the world.

Explain the cultural life of the ancient civilization including their social, religious, political and military aspects.

Compare and contrast the advantages and disadvantages of the ancient culture with those of our culture from a senior perspective.

Describe the art, archaeology, food cuisine and architecture of the civilizations.

SLOs

Identify the advantages and disadvantages of two ancient cultures with contemporary culture.

Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

ILOs Reflect and act upon personal responsibility as local and global citizens; respect and appreciate social and cultural diversity and recognize the complexity of the world; value and articulate the significance of environmental sustainability and social justice.
Core
ILOs

Identify and summarize the primary contributions of three cultures and civilizations to the world.

Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

ILOs Reflect and act upon personal responsibility as local and global citizens; respect and appreciate social and cultural diversity and recognize the complexity of the world; value and articulate the significance of environmental sustainability and social justice.
Core
ILOs

Explain two key events and the impact they have had on contemporary culture.

Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

ILOs Reflect and act upon personal responsibility as local and global citizens; respect and appreciate social and cultural diversity and recognize the complexity of the world; value and articulate the significance of environmental sustainability and social justice.
Core
ILOs

Develop a class report that illustrates understanding of an ancient civilization.

Expected Outcome Performance: 70.0

ILOs Analyze and solve problems using critical, logical, and creative thinking; ask questions, pursue a line of inquiry, and derive conclusions; cultivate creativity that leads to innovative ideas.
Core
ILOs

Communicate clearly, ethically, and creatively; listen actively and engage respectfully with others; consider situational, cultural, and personal contexts within or across multiple modes of communication.

Reflect and act upon personal responsibility as local and global citizens; respect and appreciate social and cultural diversity and recognize the complexity of the world; value and articulate the significance of environmental sustainability and social justice.

Additional SLO Information

Does this proposal include revisions that might improve student attainment of course learning outcomes?

No

Is this proposal submitted in response to learning outcomes assessment data?

No

If yes was selected in either of the above questions for learning outcomes, explain and attach evidence of discussions about learning outcomes.

No Value

SLO Evidence

No Value

Course Content

Lecture Content

Ancient Civilizations and Culture (12 hours)

- Literature, art, music, and architecture
- Religion and festivals
- Science and technology

- Common life especially for older adults
- Government and military
- Archaeological finds

History (8 hours)

- Time line in relation to the student's lifetime
- Key events Important rulers

Impact on Other Cultures (8 hours)

- Civilizations of the period
- Effect on cultures today, especially regarding the quality of life for older adults
- Explore diverse cultures and how colonization influences the development of civilizations

Student Reports (4 hours)

Total hours: 32

Additional Information

Is this course proposed for GCC Major or General Education Graduation requirement? If yes, indicate which requirement in the two areas provided below.

No

GCC Major Requirements

No Value

GCC General Education Graduation Requirements

No Value

Repeatability

Repeatable

Justification (if repeatable was chosen above)

Non-credit courses

Resources

Did you contact your departmental library liaison?

No

If yes, who is your departmental library liason?

No Value

Did you contact the DEIA liaison?

No

Were there any DEIA changes made to this outline?

No

If yes, in what areas were these changes made:

No Value

Will any additional resources be needed for this course? (Click all that apply)

- No

If additional resources are needed, add a brief description and cost in the box provided.

No Value