HST 101 - WESTERN CIVILIZATION TO 1500AD

Course Description

This is the first course in a year-long study of western civilizations from the birth of civilization through the First World War. The main instructional goal is to have students demonstrate an understanding of the diverse societies and culture of the western world. It's important that students recognize that western civilization includes many diverse cultures and has interacted with many other diverse cultures throughout its development. In addition, students will analyze the distinctive characteristics of western civilizations, identify the achievements and limitations of western civilizations, and develop an awareness of how contemporary problems were caused by past forces. As students achieve these goals, they will develop skills in communication and critical thinking. This course covers the period from the birth of civilization through the Renaissance. Group 1 course.

Credit Hours

Contact Hours

Lecture Hours

Recommended Prerequisites or Skills Competencies

Placement into ENG 111

General Education Outcomes supported by this course

Communications - Direct, Critical Thinking - Direct

Other college designations supported by this course

Degree Req:Cultural Persp/Div, Infused: Writing Intensive

Course Learning Outcomes

Knowledge:

· Identify critical historical developments.

Application:

· Explain the significance of critical historical developments.

Integration:

· Evaluate critical historical developments.

Human Dimension:

Analyze the impact of historical developments on contemporary society.

Caring - Civic Learning:

· Apply course concepts to their roles as modern citizens.

Learning How to Learn:

- · Reflect on their engagement in the learning process.
- · Interpret historical information from a variety of sources.