NORTHERN NEW MEXICO COLLEGE

SYLLABUS TEMPLATE

Course Number	HIST 1150
Course Name	Western Civilization I
Credit Value	3 Theory
(Breakdown of theory	
and lab credits)	
Catalog Course	This course is a chronological treatment of the history of the western world from
Description	ancient times to the early modern era. The elements of this course are designed
	to inform students on the major events and trends that are essential in the
	understanding of the development of western civilization within the context of
	world societies. Selective attention will be given to "non-western" civilizations
	which impact and influence the development of "western" civilization.
Student Learning	1. Students will be able to EXPLAIN in their work how humans in the past shaped
Outcomes/Objectives	their own unique
/Competencies of the	historical moments and were shaped by those moments, and how those cultures
Course	changed over the
	course of the centuries for the history of the western world from ancient times
	to the early modern era.
	Bloom Taxonomy's Cognitive Process: REMEMBER AND UNDERSTAND
	2. Students will DISTINGUISH between primary and secondary sources, IDENTIFY
	and EVALUATE evidence
	and EMPATHIZE with people in their historical context.
	Bloom Taxonomy's Cognitive Process: ANALYZE, REMEMBER, EVALUATE, CREATE
	3. Students will SUMMARIZE and APPRAISE different historical interpretations
	and evidence in order to
	CONSTRUCT past events. Bloom Taxonomy's Cognitive Process: UNDERSTAND, EVALUATE, APPLY
	4. Students will IDENTIFY historical arguments in a variety of sources and
	EXPLAIN how they were
	constructed, EVALUATING credibility, perspective, and relevance.
	Bloom Taxonomy's Cognitive Process: REMEMBER, UNDERSTAND, EVALUATE
	5. Students will CREATE well-supported historical arguments and narratives that
	demonstrate an
	awareness of audience.
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	Bloom Taxonomy's Cognitive Process: CREATE, APPLY
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	6. Students will APPLY historical knowledge and historical thinking "in order to infer what drives and motivates human behavior in both past and present." Bloom Taxonomy's Cognitive Process: APPLY, ANALYZE 14.
College-Wide Student Learning Outcomes	Cultural Competence – Students will learn the aspects of ancient Western Civilization which include religions, types of social organizations and governments, economic developments, and ideas and technology. The essay comparing the student's own cultural experience to the Western Experience before 1648 Century will be used to determine the cultural competence of students.