



DEPARTMENT OF ACADEMIC UPGRADING

COURSE OUTLINE – FALL 2011

SOCIAL STUDIES SL 0120 - 5 (5-0-0) 75 Hours

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PREREQUISITE(S)/COREQUISITE:

[EN0110](#) or [EN0120](#) placement test score; Social Studies 10

REQUIRED TEXT/RESOURCE MATERIALS:

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION:

This course explores the complexities of nationalism in Canadian and international contexts and includes study of the origins of nationalism and the influence of nationalism on regional, international and global relations.

CREDIT/CONTACT HOURS:

75 Hours or 5 hours per week

DELIVERY MODE(S):

Course delivery will include lecture, discussion, oral presentation, and group work. Visual elements will include videos, Moodle, and internet.

OBJECTIVES (OPTIONAL):

TRANSFERABILITY:

Equivalent to Alberta Education Social Studies 20 as per Alberta Transfer Guide.

** Grade of D or D+ may not be acceptable for transfer to other post-secondary institutions. Students are cautioned that it is their responsibility to contact the receiving institutions to ensure transferability

GRADING CRITERIA:

GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE			
GRADING CONVERSION CHART			
Alpha Grade	4-point Equivalent	Percentage Guidelines	Designation
A ⁺	4.0	90 – 100	EXCELLENT
A	4.0	85 – 89	
A ⁻	3.7	80 – 84	FIRST CLASS STANDING
B ⁺	3.3	77 – 79	
B	3.0	73 – 76	GOOD
B ⁻	2.7	70 – 72	
C ⁺	2.3	67 – 69	SATISFACTORY
C	2.0	63 – 66	
C ⁻	1.7	60 – 62	
D ⁺	1.3	55 – 59	MINIMAL PASS
D	1.0	50 – 54	
F	0.0	0 – 49	FAIL
WF	0.0	0	FAIL, withdrawal after the deadline

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES: The nature of the Social Studies 0120 course requires regular attendance and constructive participation.

Late assignments may be penalized 1% per day and will not be accepted after the date of the unit test. Late term papers, if accepted, will be penalized 5% per day to a maximum of 25%. Term papers will not be accepted beyond one week past the original deadline. Each student will receive one coupon [below] that can be used for any assignment giving you a 24 hour extension with no questions asked and no penalty.

It is the student's responsibility to acquire and complete any work missed due to absence. Marks are available on Moodle.

AUD STUDENT CLASSROOM DEPARTMENT GUIDELINES

The Academic Upgrading Department is an adult education environment. Students are expected to show respect for each other as well as faculty and staff. They are expected to participate fully in achieving their educational goals in a timely manner.

Certain activities are disruptive and not conducive to an atmosphere of learning. In addition to the *Student Rights and Responsibilities* as set out in the College calendar, the following guidelines will maintain an effective learning environment for everyone. We ask the cooperation of all students in the following areas of classroom department.

- **Students are expected to turn off cell phones during class time or in labs.**
- **Refrain from disruptive talking or socializing during class time.**
- **Be respectful of others regarding food or beverages in the classroom. Clean up your eating area and dispose of garbage.**
- **Recycle paper, bottles and cans in the appropriate containers.**
- **Students are expected to be punctual. Arrive on time for classes and remain for the duration of scheduled classes or related activities.**
- **Children are not permitted in the classrooms.**

Attendance Policy

If students miss more than 15% (or 10 days) of classes per semester in any course, they may be debarred from the final exam for that course. It is the student's responsibility to notify his/her instructor of any extenuating circumstances.

Tests

As per the College calendar, students are responsible to "write tests and final examinations at the times scheduled by the instructor or the Office of the Registrar".

Missed Exams

Student may be allowed to write exams, if arrangements have been made prior to scheduled date.

STATEMENT ON PLAGIARISM AND CHEATING:

Please refer to pages 49-50 of the College calendar regarding plagiarism, cheating and the resultant penalties. These are serious issues and will be dealt with severely.

COURSE SCHEDULE/TENTATIVE TIMELINE:

The Moodle will be utilized to inform students of upcoming assignment due dates and test dates.

intro/orientation	review course outline Moodle orientation computer lab	3 days
Unit 1 Nationalism	Assign 1, 2, 3 Media File Test Unit 1 video / lecture review	3 weeks
Unit 2 World War 1	Assignment 1, 2, 3 Media File Test Unit 2 video / lecture review	3 weeks
Unit 3 International Organizations	Assignment 1, 2, 3 Media File Test Unit 3 video / lecture review	3 weeks
Unit 4 Issues	Assignment 1, 2, 3 Media File Test Unit 4 video / lecture review	3 weeks
Oral presentations	student presentations	1 week
Final Exam		3 hours date TBA

EVALUATIONS:

Assignments, Class Work	35%
Unit Tests	20%
Media Files	25%
FINAL EXAM	20%

**This coupon is valid only *once* and entitles me to 24 hours from
the due date without explanation or penalty.**

Attach to assignment

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