

LAKE SUPERIOR COLLEGE
Course Outline

Course #: ART1122

Course Title: Art History: Renaissance to the Present

3 Credits HOURS PER WEEK: 3 Lecture, 0 Lab, 0
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Catalog Description: This course covers the history of art from the beginning of the Renaissance period through to the present. This course will focus on the various roles art and artists play in different cultures and time periods. Students do not need Introduction to Art History to take this course.

Fulfills MTC Goals: (2) Critical Thinking, (6) Humanities and Fine Arts, and (8) Global Perspective

Prerequisites: College level reading/writing

Course Outcomes:

Upon successfully completing this course students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate awareness of the scope and variety of works in the arts.
2. Understand works of art as expressions of individual and human values within an historical and social context.
 - Identify factors which influence artistic expression.
 - Explain the role that artists play in seeking truth and expression.
 - Explain the role art has played in various cultures and time periods.
3. Respond critically to works of art.
 - Demonstrate the ability to identify ways in which artists use creativity and imagination to develop form and content.
 - Identify specific motifs, themes, and techniques artist use to express their ideas.
 - Use an art criticism model to describe, analyze, interpret and evaluate works of art.
4. Articulate an informed personal reaction to works in the arts.
5. Demonstrate knowledge of cultural, social, and religious differences of world populations as they are expressed through the arts.
6. Demonstrate awareness of the relationship between artist and world citizen and the responsibilities that the artist/citizen share for a common global future.
7. Demonstrate an advanced knowledge of the many ways artists have helped define humanity by responding to, interpreting, and analyzing selected works of art in terms of those behaviors, ideas, and values that have given shape and form to your thoughts and values.

Student Responsibilities: (Note to faculty: must include those listed below. Any others you require are to be listed on the syllabus, not this outline form.)

1. Assessment. Students may be required to participate in college-wide assessment activities as part of this course. Such activities may include course or instructor evaluations, testing, or special assignments.
2. Student Code of Conduct. Charges of academic misconduct will be brought to the attention of the student and disciplinary action will be taken. See the LSC Student Code of Conduct, Policy 3.6.1, Part 6 for further details.
3. Non-attendance. Students are expected to attend classes regularly and are advised to officially withdraw from courses if they should stop attending. The College's Non-attendance Policy requires instructors to report students who are not attending class(es), resulting in the automatic issuing of an "FN" (failure for non-attendance) grade and re-evaluation and possible repayment of financial aid. Please refer to the LSC Policy 3.17.4 for additional information.
4. Student Success Day. This semester, Student Success Day will be on ___/___/___ . All students are strongly encouraged to participate in Student Success Day activities.

Additional Related Information:

1. Disabilities. Individuals who have a documented disability which might affect their ability to perform in this class are encouraged to contact the College's Disability Coordinator, S1911, 218-733-7650 (voice), 218-733-7705 (TTY), at the start of the semester to discuss possible accommodations. All discussions will remain confidential.
2. Tutoring. Free tutoring is provided in the Learning Center (E2120) Monday-Saturday in many subjects. Walk in or make an appointment (733-5927). The most current tutor schedules/hours can be found online.

Evaluative Techniques and Grading Scale: (Multiple methods of assessment must be used.

*These are spelled out on your syllabus.)

NOTE: This Course Outline is the official document on file for this particular course. The actual course syllabus must contain all of this material and other information specific to you as the instructor.