Outline of Instruction

Division: Science/Mathematics  Area: Geography
Course Number: GEOG 152  Course Name: World Regional Geography
Prerequisite: ENGL 090 and RDG 090 or qualifying scores on COMPASS or ACT tests
Corequisite: NONE
Hours Required:  Class: 48  Lab: 0  Credits: 3 (three)

Course Description/Purpose

This course provides a world regional survey emphasizing regional distinctions including population characteristics, environmental features, basic resources, political structure and economic activity within the major geographical regions with a focus on cause and effect and man/land relationships.

Major Units

- Introduction
- Europe
- Russia
- North America
- Middle America
- South Africa
- Middle East (North Africa and Southwest Asia)
- Sub-Saharan Africa
- South Asia
- East Asia
- Southeast Asia
- Australia

Educational/Course Outcomes

Student learning will be assessed by a variety of methods, including, but not limited to, quizzes and tests, journals, essays, papers, projects, laboratory/clinical exercises and examinations, presentations, simulations, portfolios, homework assignments, and instructor observations.

Cognitive

Each student will be expected to Identify/Recognize . . .

- state the principle concepts and ideas that form the basis for the field of geography;
- and express themselves using a basic geographical vocabulary;
- and describe the relative location of nations in the world community;
- and apply geographic methodology in analyzing a region;
- and inventory and evaluate the significance of elements in the natural and cultural landscape;
- and assess the level of economic development of a region and evaluate the potential and prospects for future development.

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