

# AMERICAN HISTORY

(Self-Paced Fall 2013-8 Weeks)

## Course Information Brief

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Course Objective: This survey course in United States history is designed to provide the student with a working knowledge of the history of our nation. This knowledge should enable the student to become a better informed and participating citizen of the country. The class is designed to provide the student with the opportunity to earn college credit for a course in United States history when circumstances prevent the student from attending a more traditional Odessa College course.

Course Requirements: Four (4) Exams

All exams will be taken on the Odessa College campus at a time and place arranged by the professor. If a student, without making prior arrangements with the professor, fails to take the unit examinations by the established date, the course grade of (F) is automatically given.

Grading: The student will have four (4) exams. I will double the highest exam grade of each individual student. These points will be added together and **divided by five. This will provide the student's course average. From the** course average I will determine the final course grade.

Grading Scale: A 100-90; B 89-80; C 79-70; D 69-60; F 59-Below

Description of Requirements:

Unit One: Read Chapters 1, 2, 3, 4

Exam over chapters assigned. All exams will consist of multiple choice questions. You will need a scantron and pencil for all exams.

Unit Two: Read Chapters 5, 6, 7, 8

Exam over chapters assigned

Unit Three: Read Chapters 9, 10, 11

Exam over chapters assigned

Unit Four: Read Chapters 13, 14, 15

Exam over chapters assigned

Deadlines:

Unit one: EXAM #1 is Sept. 10, 2013

Your last chance to take EXAM #1 is Sept. 16, 2013.

Unit Two: EXAM #2 is Sept. 24, 2013

Your last chance to take EXAM #2 is Sept. 30, 2013.

Unit Three: EXAM #3 is Oct. 8, 2013

Your last chance to take EXAM #3 is Oct. 14, 2013.

Unit Four: EXAM#4 is Oct. 15, 2013

Academic Dishonesty: This will not be tolerated. Academic Dishonesty is defined in the Odessa College Board Policy and will result in the immediate failure of this course, and other disciplinary actions that may be taken by this institution.

Special Needs: Odessa College complies with section 504 of the 1973 vocational Rehabilitation Act and with the 1990 Americans with Disabilities

Act. Issues with special needs will be referred to the Office of Disability services.

Student Success Outcomes: Can be found on the Odessa College Social Science Web Page.

A/N: As part of the Design for Completion Initiative, your Odessa College Student Success Coach and faculty mentor will help you stay focused and on track to complete your educational goals. If an instructor sees that you might need additional help or success coaching, they may submit a Retention Alert. Your Student Success Coach or faculty mentor will contact you to work toward a solution.

ICOs: 1, 2, 5, 6