



Course Outline

UNIVERSITY STUDIES

**ARTH 101 INT
History of Art I
Fall, 2014**

**3 CREDITS
3 HOURS PER WEEK**

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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is a survey of art-painting, sculpture and architecture from prehistory to the end of the 14th century. The course concentrates on the art of western (European based) cultures with consideration given to the important social, historical and cultural events that impact on the development of art.

PRE-REQUISITE(S):

None

COURSE OUTCOMES:

The student will be able to:

1. Identify specific periods and styles of art and architecture in the history of western civilization
2. Acquire a degree of skill in interpretation of art
3. Practice communication of ideas through writing, speaking, and presenting ideas with respect to visual culture

REQUIRED RESOURCES:

Textbook: Marilyn Stockstad, Art: A Brief History, 5E with MyArtsLab & eText

TOPICS TO BE COVERED:

Please Note:

This course outline may be modified to facilitate unforeseen time constraints. Date and time allotted to each topic is subject to change.

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| Week 01 | Prehistoric art in Europe: Palaeolithic & Neolithic periods |
| Week 02 | Art of the Ancient Near East: Mesopotamia |
| Week 03 | Art of Ancient Egypt: Old Kingdom, Middle Kingdom, New Kingdom |
| Week 04 | Aegean Art: Minoan & Mycenaean |
| Week 05 | Art of Ancient Greece: c.900 BCE to 30 BCE – focus on the figure |
| Week 06 | Art of Ancient Greece: c.900 BCE to 30 BCE – focus on architecture |
| Week 07 | Etruscan and Roman Art |
| Week 08 | Mid Term |
| Week 09 | Early Christian and Byzantine Art |
| Week 10 | Early Medieval Art in Europe |
| Week 11 | Romanesque Art and Architecture |
| Week 12 | Gothic Cathedrals and Illuminated Manuscripts |
| Week 13 | On the cusp of the Renaissance: Fourteenth Century Art in Europe |

MOODLE:

Go to <http://ilearn.keyano.ca>

This course is maintained through Moodle. Assignments, readings, handouts and weekly quizzes will be posted on Moodle. Login information will be provided by your instructor. For further instructions please see the Moodle handout.

EVALUATION:

| Assignment | Percentage | Due Date |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Quizzes | 10% | Ongoing |
| Participation in Online Discussions | 10% | Ongoing |
| Process Blog | 10% | Ongoing |
| Final Post (of the Process Blog) | 20% | November 27, 2014 |
| Midterm | 25% | October 30, 2014 |
| Final Examination | 25% | TBA |

Weekly Quiz: These mandatory quizzes are intended to ensure students are keeping up with weekly readings and other class related activities (ie: watching videos, etc.). As such, there are unlimited attempts to complete the quiz successfully and all quizzes are open book. Only the highest grade will be kept. There will be 5 quizzes throughout the semester. The quiz is only active until 11:59pm on the Thursday of each week where a quiz appears (ie: week 1 runs September 5 – 11, so a quiz for that week would be active until 11:59pm on Thursday, September 11).

Participation in Online Discussions: Like the weekly quizzes, participation in online discussions is mandatory. These discussions are a way for you to develop your critical thinking skills, and reflect upon the content in this class. The instructor will provide you with a prompt or question to initiate the discussion for 5 of these, and it is your responsibility to participate in the conversation along with your peers. You will be graded on your ability to demonstrate engagement with the discussion, which includes responding to your peers in a respectful manner. Please see the “Rubric for Grading Online Discussions” for specific criteria.

Process Blog and the Final Post: Please see the assignment sheet for details.

Midterm and Final Exams: Both the midterm and final exams will be administered at Keyano College. As such, students are required to be on campus to take their exams.

GRADING SYSTEM:

| Letter Grade | Description | Grade Points |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| A+ | | 4 |
| A | Excellent | 4 |
| A- | | 3.7 |
| B+ | | 3.3 |
| B | Good | 3 |
| B- | | 2.7 |
| C+ | | 2.3 |
| C | Satisfactory | 2 |
| C- | | 1.7 |
| D+ | | 1.3 |
| D | Minimal Pass | 1 |
| F | Failure | 0 |

Students intending to transfer to other institutions require a 'C-' as a minimum grade. Transfer information on each course is available at the [Alberta Council on Admission and Transfers](#).

Students who do not complete all the required work should not expect to pass the course. Students should consult:

<http://keyano.ca/current-students/students/exams>

IMPORTANT DATES:

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| September 16, 2012 | Courses dropped after this date will be designated "W". (A withdrawal (W) is not reflected in your GPA) |
| October 24, 2014 | Mid-term examination (tentative) |
| November 26, 2014 | Courses dropped after this date will be designated "WF". (A withdrawal failure (WF) counts as a 0 in your GPA) |
| December 5, 2014 | Last day of classes |
| TBA | Final Exams |

COLLEGE POLICIES

Equality, Equity and Respect

The Keyano College is committed to providing an environment of equality, equity and respect for all people within the College community. All members of this community are considered partners in developing teaching and learning contexts that are welcoming to all. Faculty, staff, and students are encouraged to use inclusive language to create a classroom atmosphere in which

students' experiences and views are treated with equal respect and valued in relation to their gender, ethnic and cultural background, and sexual orientation.

Students should consult:

<http://keyano.ca/current-students/individual-rights>

Plagiarism and Cheating

Every student expects to be treated and evaluated fairly in a course. Plagiarism and cheating robs everyone of this right.

No student may submit words, ideas or data of another student or person as his or her own in any writing, project, assignment, quiz, electronic presentation, exam etc. Any work used that is not the student's own must be clearly cited as belonging to someone else. There are penalties for using other's work and not citing it. The Student's Rights & Responsibilities document clearly outlines these penalties and the appeal process.

- No learner can obtain information from another student during an exam.
- No learner can bring unauthorized information (paper or electronic) into an exam or quiz.
- No student can submit work done in another course for grading in this course without the written prior approval of the course instructor.
- No student can submit copyright protected or commercially produced materials as part or all of an assignment without proper citation & permission.

Student Rights & Responsibilities

Students should consult the Keyano College Credit Calendar or online at:

<http://www.keyano.ca/Media/Collections/Calendars/Keyano.Calendar1112-10-full.pdf>

Specialized Supports and Duty to Accommodate

Disability Support Services: Learner Assistance Program

If you have a documented disability or you think that you would benefit from some assistance from a Disabilities Counsellor, please call or visit the Disability Supports Office 780-792-5608 to book an appointment (across from the library). Services and accommodations are intended to assist you in your program of study, while maintaining the academic standards of Keyano College. We can be of assistance to you in disclosing your disability to your instructor, providing accommodations, and supporting your overall success at Keyano College.

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Specialized Support and Duty to Accommodate are aligned with the office of Disability Support Services: Learner Assistance Program (LAP) guided by federal and provincial human rights legislation, and defined by a number of Keyano College policies. Keyano College is obligated by legislation to provide disability-related accommodations to students with identified disabilities to the point of undue hardship.
