ANTY 101H.02: Anthropology and the Human Experience

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COURSE OUTLINE AND READING ASSIGNMENTS

Jan.
19 Introduction
22 Introduction
24 *** Video “Nanook of the North” 1922 version.
26 Ch. 1 What is Anthropology ?
29 Ch. 2 Research Methods in Anthropology
31 *** Video “Among the Wild Chimpanzees” National Geographic with Jane Goodall. 1984, or 1993, or 2008- are all the same, 52-59 mins.

Feb.
2 Jane Goodall
5 Log in for Action Period @ www.publicanth.net $15 fee
5 Ch. 3 Genetics and Evolution
7 Ch. 3 Genetics and Evolution
9 Ch. 4 Human Variation and Adaptation
12 Ch. 4 Human Variation and Adaptation
14 *** Video “The New Chimpanzees” National Geographic with Jane Goodall. 1995, 60 minutes.
16 Ch. 5 Primates: Past and Present
19 NO CLASS
21 Ch. 6 The First Hominins
23 Ch. 6 The First Hominins
26 Ch. 7 The Origins of Culture and the Emergence of Homo
28 Ch. 7 The Origins of Culture ....

Mar.
1 1st MIDTERM
4 Ch. 8 The Emergence of Homo sapiens
4 BEGIN ACTION PERIOD
6 Ch. 9 The Upper Paleolithic World
8 Ch. 10 Origins of Food Production and Settled Life
11 Ch. 10 Origins of Food Production ...
15 Ch. 11 Origins of Cities and States
18-22 NO CLASS SPRING BREAK
25 Ch. 12 Culture and Culture Change
27 Rites of Passage
29 Rites of Passage

April
1 Ch. 13 Culture and the Individual
3 Ch. 14 Communication and Language
5 Ch. 14 Communication and Language
8 Ch. 15 Getting Food
10 **** Video “Yanomami: From Machetes to Mobile Phones”. 50 mins.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h4ZITvRiBxk

12 2nd MIDTERM
15 Ch.16 Economic Systems
17 Ch.17 Social Stratification: Class......
19 Ch.18 Sex, Gender
22 Ch.19 Marriage and the Family
24 Ch.20 Martial Residence & Kinship
26 Ch.21 Associations & Interest Groups
29 Ch.22 Political Life: Social Order and Disorder

May 1 Ch.23 Religion and Magic
3 Ch.23 Religion and Magic

Wed. 8th FINAL EXAM 10:10-12:10

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Course Objectives

1. Students will gain an appreciation of the diversity and richness of the human experience.
2. Students will acquire an understanding of the history, subject matter, and methods of study in anthropology.
3. Students will increase their knowledge of the history of human biological and cultural evolution.
4. Students will learn basic anthropological concepts and terms.

All students must practice academic honesty. Academic misconduct is subject to an academic penalty by the course instructor and/or a disciplinary sanction by The University. All students need to be familiar with the Student Conduct Code which is available for review online: www.umt.edu/SA/VPSA/index.cfm/page/2585

Any student registered with DSS please check their website or your coordinator for accommodations.

Course Description

This class will provide an in-depth introduction to anthropology surveying the 4 subfields of biological anthropology, archaeology, social/cultural, and linguistic anthropology. We will cover prehistory to modern times. Primates, language, marriage, family, religion, and food production will be covered. This course is required for all anthropology majors and minors and fulfills the general education social science distribution requirement.