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# ANTY 101H.80: Anthropology and the Human Experience - Honors

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# ANTHROPOLOGY 101 SEC#80

## INTRODUCTION TO ANTHROPOLOGY

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Office Hours: M,W,F 12:10-1:00 & by appointment

Required Text: ANTHROPOLOGY 14th Ed. by Ember & Ember. Also required is the Dewey Project at the end of Feb. and the Community Action Period on Mar. 7th.

### COURSE OUTLINE AND READING ASSIGNMENTS

Jan.	25	Introduction
	27	Video
	29	Ch. 1 What is Anthropology ?
Feb.	1	Ch. 2 Research Methods in Anthropology
	3	Video Log in for Action Period @ <a href="http://www.publicanthropology.net">www.publicanthropology.net</a> \$10 fee
	5	Jane Goodall
	8	Ch. 3 Genetics and Evolution
	10	Ch. 3 Genetics and Evolution
	12	Ch. 4 Human Variation and Adaptation
	15	NO CLASS HOLIDAY
	17	Ch. 4 Human Variation and Adaptation
	19	Video
	22	Ch. 5 Primates: Past and Present - Begin Dewey Project
	24	Ch. 5 Primates: Past and Present
	26	Ch. 6 The First Hominins
	29	Ch. 6 The First Hominins
Mar.	2	Ch. 7 The Origins of Culture and the Emergence of Homo
	4	Ch. 7 The Origins of Culture ....
	7	1st MIDTERM - Begin Action period
	9	Ch.8 The Emergence of <u>Homo sapiens</u>
	11	Ch.9 The Upper Paleolithic World
	14	Ch.10 Origins of Food Production and Settled Life
	16	Ch.10 Origins of Food Production ...
	18	Video
	21	Ch.11 Origins of Cities and States
	23	Ch.12 Culture and Culture Change
	25	Rites of Passage
	28	Rites of Passage
	30	Ch.13 Culture and the Individual
April	1	Ch.14 Communication and Language
	4 - 8	NO CLASS SPRING BREAK
	11	Ch.14 Communication and Language

	13	Ch.15 Getting Food
	15	Video
	18	2nd MIDTERM
	20	Ch.16 Economic Systems
	22	Ch.17 Social Stratification: Class.....
	25	Ch.18 Sex, Gender
	27	Ch.19 Marriage and the Family
	29	Ch.19 Marriage and the Family BONUS PAPERS DUE !!!
May	2	Ch.20 Martial Residence&Kinship &Ch.21 Associations & Interest Groups
	4	Ch.22 Political Life: Social Order and Disorder
	6	Ch.23 Religion and Magic

Fri. 13 FINAL EXAM 10:10-12:10

Your grade is based upon the following :	A	360 points and above
1st Midterm 80 points	B	320 - 359 points
2nd Midterm 80 points	C	280 - 319 points
Bonus Paper 20 points	D	240 - 279 points
Final Exam 200 points	F	Below 239 points
Dewey Project 20 points		P/NP cutoff 260
Community Action Period 20 points		

#### 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](http://www.umt.edu/SA/VPSA/index.cfm/page/2585)

#### 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.