

COURSE SYLLABUS

HUM 221 Art Appreciation

CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Consumerism and aesthetics are stressed in this intensive study of visual arts. The course includes theories of color, design and current views on the educational value of children's art and recommendations for collecting art for home and office.

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- Demonstrate knowledge of an overview of the visual arts;
- Demonstrate an understanding and appreciation of works of art;
- Have a basic vocabulary in critiquing and analyzing art;
- Improve skills in reading, writing, and critical/analytical thinking.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:

90%-100% = A 80%-89.9%= B 70%-79.9%= C 60%-69.9%= D <60% = E