COURSE DESCRIPTION

History 1110 is an overview of world history which provides an introduction to the origin and development of the world’s societies and their political, cultural, and economic traditions. The aim of this course is to provide the student with the basic knowledge of world history that is expected of an educated person. We will look at the history of the human community from its earliest beginnings to the present. This survey will help the student develop an appreciation of other people and other cultures, and give a better understanding of how the global society in which we live came to exist.

TEXTBOOK


ISBN-10: 0321107829

The textbook is supplemental reading to the lectures. Lecture material may or may not be covered in the text.

EXAMS

Two multiple choice quizzes will be given whose combined score will count at one third of the student’s final grade. One will be scheduled in the first half of the semester and the other in the second half. See
reading assignments and test dates below. A mid-term exam will count as one third of the final grade, and a final exam will count as the remaining third. Both the mid-term and the final will include multiple choice, short answer, and essay questions.

**Bluebooks/Greenbooks purchased at the campus bookstore are required for the midterm and the final exam.**

There will be NO MAKE-UP EXAMS unless your situation is truly exceptional. All unavoidable previously scheduled obligations must be submitted to the instructor at the beginning of the semester. Extreme emergencies on or near the test date must be submitted in writing with appropriate documentation to the instructor by the next scheduled class meeting. In each case, the instructor will consider the claim based on the merits of the written documentation presented. The composition of make-up exams will be **ALL ESSAY.**

**GRADES**

Grades are based on a ten point system.

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A &= 100-90 \\
B &= 89-80 \\
C &= 79-70 \\
D &= 69-60 \\
F &= \text{Below 60}
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If there is a question concerning any grades, the student must submit a typed request explaining the concern to the instructor within one week of receiving the grade. The instructor will consider the request and schedule a meeting with the student if necessary.

**ACADEMIC INTEGRITY**

Every KSU student is responsible for upholding the provisions of the Student Code of Conduct, as published in the Undergraduate and Graduate Catalogs. Section II of the Student Code of Conduct addresses
the University’s policy on academic honesty, including provisions regarding plagiarism and cheating, unauthorized access to University materials, misrepresentation/falsification of University records or academic work, malicious removal, retention, or destruction of library materials, malicious/intentional misuse of computer facilities and/or services, and misuse of student identification cards. Incidents of alleged academic misconduct will be handled through the established procedures of the University Judiciary Program, which includes either an “informal” resolution by a faculty member, resulting in a grade adjustment, or a formal hearing procedure, which may subject a student to the Code of Conduct’s minimum one semester suspension requirement.

**Cheating and Plagiarism will result in an automatic failing grade for the assignment involved and will be referred to the KSU judicial review board.**

**ATTENDANCE**

While there is no mandatory attendance policy, students are expected to attend class regularly and participate in class discussion. Material discussed in class will be heavily emphasized on exams, and given the rapid pace of the course, regular attendance is **essential** if you hope to do well. Active participation will be considered in the student’s favor when final grades are determined. In borderline cases, such participation could make the difference between a lower letter grade and a higher one. Students who miss class are responsible for acquiring notes, hand-outs, and any announcements (including those posted on GaView) **from fellow classmates.**

**OFFICE HOURS AND APPOINTMENTS**
Office hours will be from 2:00 – 3:00 MW and students may talk with the instructor at any time by appointment. History office phone: 770-423-6294. E-mail: hshealy@kennesaw.edu

READING ASSIGNMENTS AND EXAM DATES

Office hours will be from 2:00 – 3:00 MW and students may talk with

June 1: Introduction and Chapter 1
June 6 – 8 Chapters 2, 3, and 6
June 13 – 15 Chapters 4, 5, and 13
June 15 First Quiz
June 20 – 23 Chapters 7, 8, and 11
June 27 – 29 Chapters 9, 16, and 20
June 29 Mid-term Exam
June 29 Last Day to Withdraw Without Penalty
July 4 – Holiday
July 6 Chapter 24
July 11 – 13 Chapters 27, 29, and 30
July 18 – 20 Chapters 31 and 32
July 25 Chapters 33 and 34
July 27 – Final Exam