Campbellsville University

Social Science Division

Course Syllabi

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DH 220

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1. Title of the Course: HST 372-01, History of the West, three semester hours
2. Textbook: N/A
3. Catalog description: Westward expansion beyond the Appalachian Mountains and Mississippi River, Indian affairs, influences of frontier life, basic western literature, and more recent developments
4. Objectives

1.To give students an understanding of the cultural conflicts between Native Americans and the early settlers.

2.To give students an appreciation of the role of environmental factors in the development of the American West.

3.To give students an understanding of the role of the frontier in the American mind.

4.To give students an understanding of the role of the West in American politics and economic development.

1. Course Requirements

1.Exams will be essay/short answer. There will be three regularly scheduled exams including the final. An eight point grading scale will be used in assigning grades. The student will be responsible for information in the textbook, classroom lectures, and map ids. A make-up exam will be given during the final exam. If you miss the makeup you get a zero for the exam.

Students will be required to write a term paper. The topic must be approved by the instructor and should be 12-15 pages. The paper is worth 100 points. A detailed bibliography is due during midterm week and will be worth 50 points. The paper will be presented orally to the class during the last week of the semester and the presentation is worth 50 points. Papers turned in late will have 8 points per day deducted from the paper grade.

No extra credit is given.

Cheating is unacceptable behavior and will not be tolerated.

Exam dates

Map exam September 18

1st exam September 25

bibliography October 14

2nd exam October 26

term papers November 30

presentations Last week of the semester

final exam as scheduled

2. Attendance Policy: The University attendance is in effect. Over 12 absences constitutes a WA for the course. For every absence over 4 I will deduct a point per day from your total points total. For every absence under 4 I will add a point day.

1. Course outline

American growth 1783-1812

War of 1812

Settlement to the Mississippi River

Settlement of the Trans-Mississippi

Development of the Far West

The West Since 1890

Disability Statement: Campbellsville University is committed to reasonable accommodations for students who have documented learning and physical disabilities, as well as medical and emotional conditions. If you have a documented disability or condition of this nature, you may be eligible for disability services. Documentation must be from a licensed professional and current in terms of assessment. Please contact the Coordinator of Disability Services at 270-789-5192 to inquire about services.

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(270)-789-5555 Campus security office

(270)-403-36111

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Title IX Coordinator:

Terry VanMeter

1 University Drive

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Information regarding the reporting of sexual violence and the resources that are available to victims of sexual violence is set forth at: www.campbellsville.edu/titleIX

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| **Aligned with**  **Assessment (point values)** | **Kentucky Teacher Standards (KTS or IECE)** | **KTS Diversity Indicators** | **InTASC** | **ILA Standards** | **Technology (Yes or No)** | **[Include full name of SPA/s]** | **CAEP** |
| 3 EXAMS @ 100 POINTS EACH | 1.1  1.2 | 1.2 | 4 |  | N | NCSS  1.1  1.2  2.1  2.2 | 1.3  3.5 |
| BIBLIOGRAPHY  50 PTS | 1.1  1.2 | 1.2 | 4 |  | Y | NCSS  1.1  1.2  2.1  2.2 | 1.3  3.5 |
| RESEARCH PAPER  100 PTS | 1.1  1.2 | 1.2 | 4 |  | Y | NCSS  1.1  1.2  2.1  2.2 | 1.3  3.5 |
| PRESENTATIONS  50 PTS | 1.1  1.2 | 1.2 | 4 |  | Y | NCSS  1.1  1.2  2.1  2.2 | 1.3  3.5 |

Map study ids

1. Chillicothe
2. Piqua
3. Harrodsburg
4. Boonesboro
5. Battle of Fallen Timbers
6. Battle of Horseshoe Bend
7. Tippeacanoe
8. Ft. Mims
9. Battle of Plattsburgh
10. Erie Canal
11. Battle of Lundy Lane
12. Battle of Chippewea
13. Battle of the Thames
14. Detroit
15. route of Lewis and Clark
16. Mississippi River
17. Ohio River
18. Great Lakes
19. Louisiana Purchase
20. West Florida
21. East Florida
22. Santa Fe
23. Rio Grande River
24. Columbia River
25. Snake River
26. South Pass of the Rocky Mountains
27. Oregon Trail
28. The Alamo
29. Texas Blacklands
30. Battle of Little Bighorn
31. Wounded Knee
32. Apache homelands
33. Comanche homelands
34. Sioux homelands
35. Nez Perce homeland
36. route of 1st transcontinential railroad
37. California Trail
38. Battle of Palo Alto
39. Battle of Buena Vista
40. Monterrey
41. Battle of Goliad
42. San Francisco
43. Salt Lake City
44. Denver
45. Ozark Mountains
46. Rocky Mountains
47. Cascade Mountains
48. Sierra Nevada mountains
49. Deadwood
50. Pikes Peak
51. Black Hills
52. Tucson
53. Gila River
54. Hoover Dam
55. Comstock Lode
56. Tombstone
57. Williamette Valley
58. Webster-Ashburton Treaty Line
59. Indian Territory
60. Ft. Sill
61. Fort Gibson
62. Fort Leavenworth
63. Cheyenne
64. Chisum Trail
65. Goodnight-Loving Trail
66. Western Overland Trail
67. Chicago
68. Missouri River
69. Yellowstone National park
70. King Ranch
71. Amarillo
72. Dodge City
73. Wichita
74. Ogallala aquifier
75. Mount Rushmore
76. Mackinaw
77. Battle of Pea Ridge
78. Battle of Wilson’s Creek
79. Battle of Prairie Grove
80. Glorietta Pass