

**ANTH 101**  
**INTRODUCTION TO CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY**

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**LEARNING OUTCOMES:** Cross-cultural overview of human society and organization. The concept of culture, language and society, subsistence strategies, cultural ecology, kinship, religion and worldview will be discussed.

**COURSE SCHEDULE:**

<b><u>WEEK 1</u></b>	<b>WHAT IS ANTHROPOLOGY AND CULTURE?</b>
Bonvillain	Chapters 1 & 2
MyAnthroLab	Chapter 1 & 2 videos
<b><u>WEEK 2</u></b>	<b>STUDYING CULTURE</b>
Bonvillain	Chapter 3
MyAnthroLab	Chapter 3 videos
<b><u>WEEK 3</u></b>	<b>LANGUAGE AND LEARNING CULTURE</b>
Bonvillain	Chapters 4 & 5
MyAnthroLab	Chapters 4 & 5 videos
<b><u>WEEK 4</u></b>	<b>MAKING A LIVING AND ECONOMIC SYSTEMS</b>
Bonvillain	Chapters 6 & 7
MyAnthroLab	Chapters 6 & 7 videos and slides
<b><u>WEEK 5</u></b>	<b>KINSHIP, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY</b>
Bonvillain	Chapters 8 & 9
MyAnthroLab	Chapter 9 videos and slides
<b><u>WEEK 6</u></b>	<b>GENDER, EQUALITY &amp; INEQUALITY</b>
Bonvillain	Chapters 10 & 11
MyAnthroLab	Chapter 10 videos and slides
<b><u>WEEK 7</u></b>	<b>POLITICAL SYSTEMS &amp; CONFLICT</b>
Bonvillain	Chapters 12 & 13
MyAnthroLab	Chapters 12 and 13 videos and slides

**WEEK 8** RELIGION  
Bonvillain Chapter 14

**WEEK 9** THE ARTS  
Bonvillain Chapter 15  
MyAnthroLab Chapter 15 videos and slides

**WEEK 10** CULTURE CHANGE & LIVING IN A GLOBAL WORLD  
Bonvillain Chapters 16 & 17  
MyAnthroLab Chapters 16 & 17 videos and slides

**FINALS WEEK**

No class work due this week.

**TEXTBOOK AND READINGS:**

Bonvillain, Nancy

2010. Cultural Anthropology, New Jersey: Pearson, Prentice Hall, Second Edition, with MyAnthroLab at <http://www.myanthrolab.com/index.html>

**GRADING:**

100 points Quizzes

200 points Discussion board (10 points each week for comments and 10 points each week for answering questions)

300 points Total number of points

**GRADING SCALE USED IN DETERMINING FINAL GRADE:**

94-100	A	80-83	B-	67-69	D+
90-93	A-	77-79	C+	64-66	D
87-89	B+	74-76	C	60-63	D-
84-86	B	70-73	C-	0-59	F

**COURSE REQUIREMENTS:**

**Weekly Quizzes:**

Students must take a weekly quiz. The quiz is on information read, web sites visited and posted lectures for that week. The quiz is available to take every Thursday morning at 6:00am through Sunday at midnight. You may only take each quiz once. No make-up quizzes will be offered unless due to a documented emergency. Each quiz is worth 10 points.

**Discussion Board:**

All students will participate **each** week in a discussion of the reading, web sites and lecture material. The focus is on what was learned. Each student **must answer the**

**questions** and is expected to interact with other class members. Each student must post a minimum of **five (5) comments** in response to other student's statements in the discussion board. Answers to the questions and comments to other students must be meaningful. Your discussion is not limited to answering only the posted questions. You are encouraged to bring additional issues into the discussion. I will monitor and participate in the discussion, so feel free to ask questions in the Discussion Board. Remember, all comments should be constructive and polite. The discussion board is a place to discuss the issues and I expect people to disagree. It is important to remember that the Discussion Board is a safe environment - so no personal attacks. Grades for answering the questions and the five comments will be assigned each week.

**STATEMENT ON ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT:** Eastern Oregon University places a high value upon the integrity of its student scholars. Any student found guilty of an act of academic misconduct (including, but not limited to, cheating, plagiarism, or theft of an examination or supplies) may be subject to having his or her grade reduced in the course in question, being placed on probation or suspended from the university, or being expelled from the university-or a combination of these. (Please see Section II of the 2002-2003 Student Handbook and Planning Calendar Campus Citizenship (Academic), p.32ff; Campus Citizenship (Behavior), p.41ff.

Note: I do not tolerate plagiarism within my class. If I find that you have plagiarized you will receive a zero on the assignment and I'll turn in your name to Student Affairs.

**DISABILITY SERVICES:** If you have a documented disability or suspect that you have a learning problem and need reasonable accommodations, please contact the Disability Services Program in Loso Hall 234. Telephone: 541-962-3081.

**\*\*\*\*\*NOTE:** Class schedule and assignments may be altered during the course of the term as needed.

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