

Syllabus

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What You Should Already Know

There are no prerequisites for this course.

Learning Outcomes

When you complete this course, you will be able to do the following:

1. Gain a long term perspective on life.
2. Analyze the balance that exists in your life.
3. Evaluate the relationships in your life.
4. Identify your role in this world.

Course Materials

You'll find all the materials you need within the course.

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Assignments

This course consists of eight units and a final exam. Each unit has several lessons. Each lesson has a self check to help you prepare for the graded unit quiz and final exam. Also, many lessons have portfolio assignments that you will save to turn in all together before taking the final exam.

Unit Quizzes

At the end of the eight units you will find a unit quiz. These do count toward your grade, but you should do fine if you carefully complete the lessons and self check exercises.

Portfolio Assignments

You will also be completing portfolio assignments. They are made up of journal entries, worksheets, and other projects. These assignments will help you apply what you have learned in the lessons. The portfolio assignments should be a fun way to express your learning; however, you will need to pay special attention to the rubric for each assignment to identify how your assignments will be graded. The rubrics for most of the portfolio assignments will be different, so make sure you read and understand each rubric (and the assignment) before you start. Keep these assignments together, because this is your Course Portfolio. Refer to the Portfolio Submission module for instructions on turning in the portfolio.

A Note about Plagiarism: Plagiarism is a form of cheating. It is taking the work of someone else and claiming it as your own. To simply copy and paste ideas, words, or stories from the internet is stealing. This will **not** be tolerated.

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Exams

There will also be a final exam consisting of about 50 question items. The final exam is comprehensive.

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Grading

This is how your final grade for the course will be divided:

Category	Portion of Grade
8 Unit Quizzes at 5% each	40%
15 Portfolio Assignments* at 2% each	30%
Final Exam	30%
Total	100%

**Portfolio Assignments will all be turned in together.*

Grading Scale

A	100%–93%
A–	92%–90%
B+	89%–87%

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B	86%–83%
B–	82%–80%
C+	79%–77%
C	76%–73%
C–	72%–70%
D+	69%–67%
D	66%–63%
D–	62%–60%
E (fail)	59% or below

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