

CHCA Intercession 2020

January 6-17, 2020

Course Description for: *History and Society Expressed through Sports Films*

Instructor(s): **Mr. Zach Ewen and Mrs. Stacey Ewen**

Course Type: **Local Day (Greater Cinti Area)**

Service Hours: **0**

Maximum enrollment: **50**

Minimum enrollment: **20**

Length of course : **10 days**

Cost: \$0

Overview:

Students will watch movies with a heavy emphasis on sports. Students will then reflect upon the content in the films from both a historical and cultural viewpoint. Students will discuss the historical and cultural viewpoints from the movies. Students will be provided with time to read short, historical documents in order to intelligently discuss the topics addressed in the films.

Course Goals:

- To assess the role film plays in both reflecting and shaping our culture
- To trace and analyze certain themes throughout multiple movies

Reading Component:

Students will read short, historical documents that are related to the topics addressed in the movies.

Writing Component:

Journals written about a provided prompt.

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Sample of daily plan

8:00 am – Attendance and announcements

8:15 am – Watch the movie Red Army

9:45 am – Break

10:00 am – Read historical document

10:30 am – Watch the movie Miracle

12:45 pm – Lunch and discussion groups

1:30 pm – Watch the movie Rocky IV

3:00 pm - Dismissal

This course is well suited to:

Students who enjoy movies and/or sports. Students that interested in historical and cultural issues. Students that enjoys discussing and/or respectfully arguing about historical and cultural topics.

Cost:

\$0

Additional costs:

Students are responsible for their lunch and snacks daily. Students may pack their lunch or purchase a lunch from the cafeteria.

Other Information:

N/A
