Minnesota State University Moorhead

ENGL 234: Mythology

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:

- ENGL 101 - Composition and Literature I

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts

Introduction to the great myths of Greece and Rome and their influence upon later literature. MnTC Goal 6.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 06/01/1995 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

- 1. Introduction to the contexts of the Ancient World.
- 2. Study of great myths of Greece and Rome.
- 3. Study of the influence of Greek and Roman myths upon later literature.

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

- 1. Students will be able to use a coherent writing process including invention, organization, drafting, revising and editing to form an effective final written product.
- 2. Students will consult effectively and appropriately with others to produce quality written products.
- 3. Students will read, analyze, evaluate, synthesize and integrate appropriately and ethically information and ideas from diverse sources and points of view in their writing.
- 4. Students will locate, use and cite appropriately primary and secondary source materials from both print and electronic sources.
- 5. Students will create logical, engaging, effective written products appropriate for specific audiences and purposes.
- 6. Students will use correct grammar and mechanics in writing.
- 7. Students will recognize a range of valid positions on an issue and articulate values, assumptions, and cultural perspectives which underlie these positions.
- 8. Students will gather/use information/evidence to evaluate these positions in culturally-sensitive, discipline-specific ways.
- 9. Students will define their own position and recognize connections to their own cultural traditions, values and assumptions.

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E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts

- 1. Demonstrate awareness of the scope and variety of works in the arts and humanities.
- 2. Understand those works as expressions of individual and human values within an historical and social context.
- 3. Respond critically to works in the arts and humanities.
- 4. Articulate an informed personal reaction to works in the arts and humanities.

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted

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