

Course Assessment – Part A: Your Plan

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ART 102 – Understanding the Visual Arts – Abby Merickel – Spring 2017

Part A: Your Plan
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Recognize formal qualities in two and three dimensional arts and read visual elements, artistic and cultural styles, and symbols.

1. Choose three of your course outcomes to assess and report on this term (these will also be used in your Student Course Evaluation survey):

Outcome #1 *

Outcome #2 *

Appreciate and communicate individual viewer response, the uniqueness of a work, its origins and precedent, its potential as an inspiration and influence on later art, and its relationship to a particular cultural moment.

Outcome #3 *

Decipher the visual arts through understanding of historical, social, cultural, economic, and political contexts.

Have you completed an assessment for this course prior to this term? Yes

If yes, are you assessing different outcomes? No

Comments:

2. To which degree, certificate or program outcomes do these course outcomes map?
[Degree, Certificate, & Program Outcomes](#)

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Method of Assessment

Assignment 1: Reflection on modern artist: Students study and analyze modern artist's work and write reflection using visual arts language, interpreting cultural styles, symbolism, and content of work.

3. What methods will be used to assess individual student understanding of each of these outcomes? (Please be specific.)

Outcome #1: Method to assess student understanding *

Outcome #2: Method to assess student understanding *

Assignment 2: After completing a study on the origins and history of block printing, students design, and print their own block print. Student design are inspired by their studies and reflect their own personal response.

Outcome #3: Method to assess student understanding *

Assignment 3: Personal Choice Power point Presentation. Students select a chapter, studying and researching the historical, social, cultural, economic and political context of their chosen period of art. They present their findings in a power point presentation of images, and

information and then quiz their classmates with discussion questions based on their presentation.

4. How will you know if you were successful in your efforts to teach this outcome?

Using a rubric I read and analyze the student's interpretation of the artist and their correct usage of the elements and principles of design language. A score of 7 out of 10 demonstrates success.

Outcome #1: *

Outcome #2: How will you know if you were successful in your efforts to teach this outcome? *

Students are required to print an edition of their blocks, do a print exchange, and compile them in a book as well as adding a reflection on the meaning of their work, and how it relates to other cultural movements. A score of 70% or better demonstrates success.

Outcome #3: How will you know if you were successful in your efforts to teach this outcome? *

Presentation will be graded by observation and note taking of all components of their particular period of art. Students earning 80% or better demonstrate success.

5. Instructor Questions: Create two course specific questions to be included on the Student Course Evaluation.

Please explain what was the most beneficial aspect of this course for you.

Question #1

Question #2

Please explain the impact of this course on your understanding of the importance of the visual arts historically and in contemporary life.

Do you require the names of students who complete the course evaluation survey? *

- Yes

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