

Florida Department of Education
COURSE DESCRIPTIONS - GRADES 9-12, ADULT

Subject Area: Social Studies
Course Number: 2103300
Course Title: World Cultural Geography
Credit: 1.0

- A. Major concepts/content.** Students develop multicultural understanding and use geographical concepts and skills to acquire information and systematically apply decision-making processes to real-life situations. They will acquire an understanding of interrelationships between people and their environment.

The content should include, but not be limited to, the following:

- study of world cultural regions in terms of location, physical characteristics, demographics, historical changes, economic activity, land use

- B. Special note.** None

- C. Course Requirements.** After successfully completing this course, the student will:

1. Use maps, globes, charts, graphs and other tools of geography to gather and interpret data and to draw conclusions about physical and human patterns.
2. Identify the relationships between physical geography and the economic, political, social, cultural and historical aspects of human activity.
3. Understand patterns of population growth and settlement in different cultures and environments.
4. Understand the interaction between culture and technology in the use, alteration and conservation of the physical environment.

5. Understand the interrelationships and interdependence of world cultures, races and religions.
6. Apply research, study, critical-thinking and decision-making skills and demonstrate the use of new and emerging technology in problem solving.