

Brazosport College
Syllabus: ART 1301, Art Appreciation
8 week
ONLINE: D2L

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IMPORTANT DATES

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All items in a group will be due on the below due dates. After those items are submitted that group will close and the next will open.

*Sections Number may not match up. Please complete all sections available in the allotted time frame.

Class Begins	Jan 16th
Group One (Sections 1-7) Opens	Jan 16th
Group One Closes	Jan 28th
Group Two (Sections 8-12) Opens	Jan 28th
Group Two Closes	Feb 11th
Group Three (Sections 13-17) Opens	Feb 11th
Group Three Closes	Feb 25th
Group Four (Sections 17-21) Opens	Feb 25th
Group Four Closes/Finals submitted	March 6th

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is an introduction to the visual arts. This course explores the drives and the processes of art through critical examination of historical and contemporary works. Students will gain an understanding of the formal properties of art, art making techniques. We will also explore the social, psychological and expressive uses of art.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:

1. Students will accurately analyze works of art within the contexts of history, society and values, employing artistic terms and a clear understanding of how formal properties create perceptual and psychological effect.

Assessment: Papers, tests, and discussions, must receive a grade of 70% or better

2. Students will articulate verbally and in writing informed and critical personal responses to works of art, based on accurate analysis and aesthetic awareness.

Assessment: Papers, discussions, and group work, must receive a grade of 70% or better

3. Students will synthesize diverse ideas into personal frameworks for understanding the world via deep exploration of works of art within the contexts of history, society, and values.

Assessment: Papers, discussion or projects, must receive a grade of 70% or better

4. Students will demonstrate the ability to consider different points of view by working with others to perceive new syntheses or to use creative risk-taking to achieve a solution.

Assessment: Collaborative projects or group work, must receive a grade of 70% or better

TEXTBOOK & REQUIRED COURSE MATERIAL

No textbook requirement for the course. ALL required readings will be uploaded to D2L. Additional readings will be printed and distributed, if time permits.

LAB FEE:

\$5.00 (this is included in your tuition)

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES:

Brazosport College is committed to providing equal education opportunities to every student. Brazosport College offers services for individuals with special needs and capabilities including counseling, tutoring, equipment, and software to assist students with special needs. Please contact the Special Populations Counselor, 979.230.3236, for further information.

ACADEMIC HONESTY:

Brazosport College assumes that students eligible to preform on the college level are familiar with the ordinary rules governing proper conduct including academic honesty. The principle of academic honesty is that all work presented by your is yours alone. Academic dishonesty including, but not limited to, cheating, plagiarism, and collusion shall be treated appropriately. Please refer to the Brazosport College Student Guide for more information. This is available online at <http://www.brazosport.edu>. Click on the CATALOGS AND SCHEDULES link under STUDENTS.

Academic dishonesty violates both the policies of this course and the Student Code of Conduct. In this class, any occurrence of academic dishonesty will be referred to the Dean of Student Services for prompt adjudication and will at a minimum, result in 30 points subtracted from your final grade in this course. Sanctions may be imposed beyond your grade in this course by the Dean of Student Services.

AI IMAGE AND WRITING STATEMENT

The use of generative AI to write your paper will not be accepted and IS an academic conduct violation in this course.

You may use AI to assist you in editing your work (brainstorming, thesis statement or conclusion drafts) but it will not be accepted as the voice of your work.

You may not use and cite AI. Papers clearly violating the AI usage guidelines will receive a zero and will be passed on to the Dean of Student Services as a violation of the academic integrity conduct code.

ATTENDANCE AND WITHDRAWAL POLICIES:

***IF YOU MISS, ARRIVE LATE, LEAVE EARLY, OR ARE NOT ENGAGED (CELL PHONES, SLEEPING, EATING, DISRUPTING, PLAYING ETC.) TO/IN 4 OR MORE CLASSES YOU WILL FAIL THIS COURSE AUTOMATICALLY.**

You are expected to participate in the weekly demands of this course. As an online course there is no attendance policy. However, projects and assignments will be opened and closed according to the schedule posted online. ***NO MAKE UPS* I also will not withdrawal you from this course, if you would like to withdrawal do it yourself.**

COURSE REQUIEREMENTS AND GRADING POLICY:

Quizzes(20%)
Essays (20 %)
Projects (20%)
Discussion (20%)

Group Work (20%)

*assignments subject to change

*ALL assignments have equal weight.

Quizzes, Essays, and Presentations may not be “made up” under any circumstance.

Extra Credit will be awarded for extra work (all other assignments must be completed)

PROJECTS ASSIGNMENTS PORTFOLIOS:

***Each section roughly represents one week. Time line and order subject to change with notification.**

STUDENT CONDUCT STATEMENT

Students are expected to be aware of and follow the Brazosport College Student Code of Conduct. Students have violated the Code if they “fail to comply with any lawful directions, verbal or written, of any official at BC.” Lawful directions include precautions and requirements taken to prevent the spread of COVID-19 at Brazosport College. Students who do not follow safety requirements, including the wearing of a mask, may be removed from class by their instructor and referred to the Dean of Student Services.

Students who are disruptive in class (via group discussions, class discussions, wear offensive or controversial clothing) will be asked to leave the course to meet with the Dean of Student Services or alter the behavior. Students who are disruptive virtually (via discussion boards, group chats, essays, or use controversial or offensive imagery, profile image included) will be asked to leave to meet with the Dean of Student Services or alter the behavior. Failure to comply will result in a Student Conduct referral with a recommendation to be administratively removed from the course due to disruption of the learning environment." Refer to policy FLA (LOCAL), page 1 for additional information.

Excerpted from FLA (LOCAL), page 1.

Time, Place, and Manner Restrictions

The mere dissemination of ideas on the campus of an institution of higher education may not be restricted on the basis of conventions of decency, regardless of how offensive those ideas are to good taste. However, an institution has the authority to enforce reasonable regulations as to the time, place, and manner of speech and its dissemination. *Papish v. Bd. of Curators*, 410 U.S. 667 (1973); *Healy v. James*, 408 U.S. 169 (1972)

CAMPUS CLOSURE STATEMENT

If campus shuts down this course will continue via D2L.

Brazosport College is committed to the health and safety of all students, staff, and faculty and adheres to all federal and state guidelines. The College intends to stay open for the duration of the semester, and provide access to classes and support services on campus in the safest way possible. The College will also comply with lawful orders given by applicable authorities, including the Governor of Texas, up to and including campus closure. It is possible that on campus activities may be moved online and/or postponed if such orders are given.

TITLE IX STATEMENT:

Brazosport College faculty and staff are committed to supporting students and upholding the College District's nondiscrimination policy. Under Title IX and Brazosport College's policy FFDA (Local), discrimination based on sex, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, and gender expression is prohibited. If you experience an incident of discrimination, we encourage you to report it. While you may talk to a faculty or staff member at BC, please understand that they are "Responsible Employees" and must report what you tell them to college officials. You can also contact the Title IX Coordinators directly by using the contact information below. Additional information is found on the Sexual Misconduct webpage at www.brazosport.edu/sexualmisconduct. • Mareille Rolon, HR Coordinator and Deputy Title IX Coordinator Office C-114; 979-230-3303; mareille.rolon@brazosport.edu

COVID 19 STATEMENT:

At Brazosport College, all of us, including faculty, staff and students, share a common goal this fall semester, to keep our classes running in the safest manner possible and avoid any disruption to your progress in achieving your educational and career goals. To that end, we ask and encourage you to conduct yourself in the following manner while on campus this semester:

- Every day, perform a self-health check prior to coming to campus and stay home if sick.
- To the greatest extent possible, maintain your distance between you and other students, faculty, and staff while on campus.
- Wear a properly fitted face covering over your mouth and nose while indoors on campus. If you do not have a mask, they will be available to you in all classrooms this fall.
- Practice good hygiene, washing your hands regularly and/or using hand sanitizer. vaccination. The vaccine is readily available and at no cost to you. Vaccine information and availability can be found at <https://brazosport.edu/coronavirus/vaccine/>.

If at any time this semester you begin to experience Covid symptoms, or if you are exposed to someone who has tested positive for Covid-19, please take the following steps:

- Stay home if you're feeling sick and minimize your contact with others.
- Alert the College by completing the Covid-19 Exposure Report Form online at <https://brazosport.edu/coronavirus/report/>. Be sure to provide accurate contact information, including a working phone number that you will answer.
- After submitting the report, you will be promptly contacted by a member of our Rapid Response Team, who will ask you some specific questions about your situation and provide you with guidance moving forward.
- If it is determined that you should not come to class, your instructor will be notified. **Please know that your instructor will consider course adjustments and potential make-up work only if your case has been reported to Brazosport College, and they've been notified by our response team.** Your instructor will work with you to determine how to manage any make-up work.

The Community Health Network (CHN) Clinic at Brazosport College (located in BC Central B-Wing) is scheduled to be open from 8 AM to 6 PM Tuesday through Thursday during the Fall 2021 semester. While walk-ins are available, your visit will be easier if you pre-register by creating an account at www.mychn.org. In addition to providing health and behavioral services, CHN also provides COVID vaccinations and testing. All insurance is accepted and healthcare is provided on a sliding scale including no cost for those who need it.

Throughout the semester, please regularly check the College's Covid-19 information page at <https://brazosport.edu/coronavirus/>, where the latest updates and guidelines will be posted. As members of the BC community, all of us share a responsibility to each other to be as safe as possible.

OTHER STUDENT SERVICES INFORMATION:

LIBRARY: Information about the Library is available at <http://www.brazosport.edu/library> or by calling 979.230.3310.

LEARNING SERVICES: For assistance with online courses, an open computer lab, online and make-up testing, audio/visual services, and study skills, visit Learning Services next to the Library, call 979.230.3253, or visit <http://www.brazosport.edu/learningservices>.

STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER: For drop-in math tutoring, the writing center, supplemental instruction and other tutoring including e tutoring, visit the Student Success Center, call 979.230.3527, or visit <http://www.brazosport.edu/studentsuccesscenter>.

ART DEPARTMENT: To contact the Art Department call Ann Montgomery at 979.230.3224

STUDENT SERVICES: provides assistance for the following:

Counseling and advising 979.230.3040

Financial Aid 976.230.3294

Student Life 979.230.3355

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY: To reach the Information Technology Department for computer, email or other technical assistance call the Helpdesk at 979.230.3266.

COURSE OUTLINE

*days may be altered or changed due to time or circumstance

Key: (D) Discussion Post

(R) Reading

(Q) Quiz

(DB) Drop Box

Section 1	Introduction /Lib Guide/D2L Sign up for meetings.	(D) What about me?
Section 2	What is Art?	(R) Greene
Section 3	In-Class Discussion Greene	(DB) Greene
Section 4	Functions of Art	
Section 5	Scavenger Hunt	(D) One Item
Section 6	Goya/Reading	
Section 6	Drawing	(R) Censorship
Section 7	Censorship Discussion	(Q) Quiz
Section 8	Art of Bourdo	
Section 9	Avenues of Creativity: Trenton Doyle Hancock Romare Bearden	
Section 10	Poem/Cut up or Haiku *	(DB) Poem
Section 11	Collage	
Section 12	Collage	(D) Collage
Section 13	Dadaism	(Q) Quiz
Section 14	Surrealism	
Section 15	Pop-art	
Section 16	Damien Hirst	
Section 17	Damien Hirst Discussion	
Section 18	Andy Goldsworthy	(D) Sculpture (R) Yoko Ono
Section 19	Yoko Ono	(D) Yoko
Section 20	Gallery	(D) Gallery
Section 21	Drawing	(DB)

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Class Begins	Aug 28
Group One (Sections 1-5) Opens	Aug 28
Group One Closes	September 10(11:45 pm)
Group Two (Sections 6-12) Opens	September 10
Group Two Closes	September 24 (11:45 pm)

Group Three (Sections 13-17) Opens	September 24
Group Three Closes	October 8
Group Four (Sections 17-21) Opens	October 8
Group Four Closes/Finals submitted	* * * October 17 (11:45 pm)