

**GLENDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
SPRING 2010**

COURSE: ASB223, Buried Cities and Lost Tribes: New World

Section 56824

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TEXT: *Images of the Past*, 5th edition, by Price & Feinman

FOR COURSE DESCRIPTION & OBJECTIVES: Go to <http://www.maricopa.edu/academic/curric/>

GRADING: A total of 400 points, distributed between 4 tests (100 points each).

"A" = 360 points or more, "B" = 320 TO 359, "C" = 280 TO 319, "D" = 240 TO 279. There may be additional short assignments, graded on a "Pass/Fail" basis.

EXTRA CREDIT: Additional points may sometimes be earned during a class "Jeopardy" game. No other extra credit will be given. **DON'T EVEN ASK.**

ATTENDANCE: *Highly recommended!!!* Material will be covered in class that is not in the text. I do **not** loan out my notes, nor repeat the lectures for absentees. While attendance is not a formal part of your grade, it will be recorded. If your grade is borderline, attendance can influence it. An unexplained absence of a week or more **may** result in my dropping you.

WITHDRAW/FAILURE: If you wish to drop, you need to see me or turn in a withdrawal slip. Otherwise, you may receive an "F" or a "W" for the course.

EXAMS: Tests are non-cumulative. **NONE are dropped.** Tests are based on lectures, slides, videos, discussions, and the text. (If it happens in class or it's in the book, it's fair game.) Questions may include multiple choice, fill-in, short answer, essays, and recognition of visual material from class.

CHEATING: If cheating is detected at any time, **ALL cheaters will receive a score of zero on the exam or assignment.**

MAKE-UPS: Make-up tests are for cases of *illness or family emergency*. Oversleeping is **not** an emergency. Important points about make-ups are:

- a) You must **contact me the day of the test** (or before) if you will have to miss it.
- b) **It is my decision whether you get to take a make-up**, it is not automatically permitted.
- c) Unless there are exceptional circumstances, **no one may take more than one make-up.**

ACCOMMODATIONS: Please see me if you need special accommodation in order to fully participate in class, such as a note-taker if you are visually or physically disabled, or special test arrangements if you are learning disabled or have extreme test anxiety.

PROBLEMS: If you have questions or problems about the course, my presentation of the material, or your grades, please see me. Usually, a short discussion can resolve any problems.

CLASSROOM COURTESY: Our classroom is acoustically "live". Even whispering in the back row carries to the front of the room, which bothers other students and me. Class time is not for private conversations.

TURN OFF YOUR CELL PHONE BEFORE ENTERING THE CLASSROOM!!
NO CELL PHONES ON THE TABLE, NO TEXTING DURING CLASS.

**ASB223 SCHEDULE
SPRING 2010**

WEEK OF	LECTURE TOPIC:	ASSIGNED TEXT PAGES:
January 18	Introduction	Chapter 1
January 25	The Archaeological Record	pp.216-217, 222-223, 232 - 233, 187-188, 63-64
February 1	Survey, Excavation, and Lab work Archaeological Dating Methods	pp.327-328, 172-173 pp.48-49, 145-146
February 8	Political Groups, status Scientific Method Speculation and Pseudo-Science	pp. 28, 311-312 Handout Handout

FIRST TEST WEEK OF February 8

February 15	Native North Americans	Ch.4, pp. 147-157
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PRESIDENT'S DAY HOLIDAY = MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

February 22	Native North Americans (con't.)	Chapter 7
March 1	“	“

SECOND TEST WEEK OF March 1

March 8	Beginnings of South American culture	Ch.4,pp.152-154 Ch. 9, pp.381-388
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SPRING BREAK = MARCH 15 – 21

March 22	South America: Towards Empire	Chapter 9
March 29	“	“
April 5	South America (continued)	“

THIRD TEST WEEK OF April 5

April 12	States in MesoAmerica	Chapter 8
April 19	Great MesoAmerican Civilizations	“
April 26	MesoAmerica (continued)	“
May 3	“	“

May 12 (Wednesday) **LAST TEST:** same room, same time as normal class

NOTE 1: As a student in this class, you are responsible for being aware of the information in this syllabus, and for the class policies it lists. You are also responsible for following GCC college policies as listed in the course catalog and the student handbook. If you do not follow the course or college policies, you may fail or be dropped from the course.

NOTE 2: Specific dates for tests will be announced in class. **Course content may vary from the course outline and the course calendar** to meet the needs of this particular class. Any changes will be announced in class.