16 Week Mythology Calendar

\* Note changes or additions may be made in class or via email

\* You are responsible for keep track of when assignments are due, and I don’t except late work!

\* Even if we get behind in the topics we are suppose to cover, keep up with the scheduled readings. Quiz dates and pages will not change.

\*You are expected to be in class and cannot make up in-class assignments.

**Week 1:** Aug 29 to 31

**Review Syllabus**

**Topics:**

Intro to Civilizations

Intro to Myth

**Reading**: Comparative Mythology: pages 1 to 3

**Week 2:** Sept 5 to 7

**Topics**:

Intro to Myth

Pantheons

Creation Myths

**Reading**: Comparative Mythology: pages 5 to 37

**Week 3:** Sept 12 to 14

**Topics**:

Creation Myths

Flood Myths - (In Class Assignment. Bring your book pages 43 to 59– No Make Ups)

Afterlife – Focus on Egypt

**Reading**: Readings will be posted in BB in the Reading folder – Apocalypse files

**Week 4:** Sept 19 to 21

**Topics**:

Finish Afterlife if needed

Apocalypse

**Reading**: Comparative Mythology: pages 65 to 110 – Supreme Beings

**Week 5:** Sept 26 to 28

**1st Exam** on Thur (This test will most likely cover Intro to Myths thru Afterlife)

**Topic**:

Apocalypse

Archetypes

**Reading**: Comparative Mythology: pages 111 to 150 – Great Mother Goddesses

**Week 6:** Oct 3 to 5

**Topic**:

Finish Archetypes

**Reading**: Comparative Mythology: pages 157 to 175 – Dying Gods

**Week 7:** Oct 10 to 12

**College Night Lake Nona Campus – No Class Oct 12**

**Topic**:

In Class Assignment starting Thurs if needed for Gods – Cannot be made up!!)

\_\_\_\_\_ Submit Gods/Goddess Questions for test

**Reading**: Comparative Mythology: pages 181 to 200 – Trickster Gods

**Week 8:** Oct 17 to 19

**Paper is due Thurs (5 points off every day it is late and will NOT be accepted after the grace period).**

**Topic/Movie**:

Thor Movie

What is a Hero

**Reading**: Readings will be posted on BB – Thor readings

**Week 9:** Oct 24 to 26

**Topic/Movie:**

What is a Hero

What is the Hero’s Journey?

Heroes Stories - Hercules

**Assignment:** Thor Movie Assignment. Instructions and readings in BB. Discussion will be done in BB. Original comments by Wed 11:59PM and 2 Comments on peers’ posts due Friday 11:59 PM.

**Reading:** Comparative Mythology: pages 203 to 220

**Week 10:** Oct 31 to Nov 2

**2nd Exam Thur (This will cover Apocalypse, Gods, and Archetypes)**

**Topic/Movie**:

Heroes Stories – King Arthur

Heroes Stories– Buddha

Short Historic Buddha video – Story of India

Heroes Stories – If time Perseus / Theseus

**Reading:** TBA

**Week 11:** Nov 7 to 9

**Topic/Movie**:

Heroes Stories– Gilgamesh

Heroes Stories - Joan of Arc

If time – Purpose of Greek Tragic theater

Archeology and Myth

**Reading**: TBA

**Week 12:** Nov 14 to 16

**Topic/Movie**:

Heroes Stories – Iliad/Odyssey

O Brother, Where Art Thou?

**Reading**: TBA

**Week 13:** Nov 21 to 23

**Thanksgiving week. No class Thur!**

**Topic/Movie**:

O Brother, Where Art Thou?

**Reading**: TBA

**Week 14:** Nov 28 to 30

**Topic/Movie**:

**Assignment**: Odyssey Movie vis Myth Assignment – in class assignment

Last Hero’s Movie – 12 steps of the Hero’s Journey assignment

**Reading**: TBA

**Week 15:** Dec 5 to 7

**Topic/Movie**:

Last Hero’s Movie – 12 steps of the Hero’s Journey assignment

Hero’s Journey discussion in-class.

**Reading**: TBA

**Week 16:**

**Final Exam – Not cumulative (Only on Heroes)**

Final is Thurs Dec at 10:00

\*Grades are due by Monday

\*make sure you make you do not miss the final!