

Grading

- Class participation 15%
- Journal 10%
- Research Papers 20%
- Project 35%
- Final exam 20%

A Superior work all around. Exceeds requirements for assignments, shows independent resourcefulness, demonstrates high levels of critical thinking and creative ability, assumes leadership role and is positive benefit to class in general, fully engaged and open to critique, marked individual development.

B Good, solid, above-average work. Meets all requirements for assignments, shows reasonable initiative and engagement, shows some independent thinking with regard to critical and creative skills, positive contribution to class, discernible individual development with good response to critique.

C Average performance overall. Barely meets requirements and needs constant instruction to do so, marginal initiative and engagement with materials, some evidence of individual development but at a very ordinary level.

D Below average. Not meeting requirements for class in general at most levels, definite lack of initiative without any noticeable personal development or desire to do so, detriment to class activities and collaborative environment.

F Failing. Work, attitude, and development are unacceptable at every level.

Activities

- Required museum and archive visits out of class
- Research papers
- Field work for documentation (Photography, Drawing, Interviews,...)
- Individual art work
- Exhibition design and realisation

University Policies

Cheating

Any student found cheating on any part of the course work (homework assignment, term paper, quiz, exam, etc.) will automatically be given an "F" for the course. Any student found to be helping another student to cheat will likewise be given an "F" for the course. In each case, the student will also be put on disciplinary probation for the remainder of her or his stay at Webster. If the student is found to have engaged in cheating a second time, s/he will be automatically expelled from the University.

Attendance

Class attendance is obligatory. Instructors will take attendance at each class session and reduce a student's course grade by half a letter grade for each full week of class missed. Any student who misses three or more full weeks of class will automatically be given an "F" for the course.

Course Policies

All students must activate and regularly use their Webster's Connections account. I will be contacting you through your Webster email and information regarding assignments will be posted on the site. If you have any questions projects, readings and assignments, you can also post it on our class site and the class can respond to it.

Punctuality is also extremely important, as we will need all the class time to make sure individual and group projects are finished in time and announcements are known to all students.

Three late arrivals will equal one absence. If you come in late, it is your responsibility to make sure that your attendance is noted or you may be counted as absent.

You are responsible for making up work missed due to absences or tardiness. Explanations are not necessarily excuses.

List two names, phone numbers, and email addresses of students in this class that you can contact for information, if you miss class.

Weekly Schedule

This course is a hands on class that will react to the research that is done during class. A shedule overview will be established in the first weeks of class

Additional Information