

University 1301 Fall 2021 Course Calendar

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This calendar is subject to change with advance notice in class or on Blackboard.

Please note: The calendar does NOT list required assignments and activities we will complete during class meetings.

All times listed are Mountain Time.

	Topic & Readings	Assignments	Due Date	Notes
Week 1 Aug 22	Getting Started	Syllabus Quiz Introduction blog	Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	Aug 23-27 is late registration You can access the Quiz and GTKM activity in Blackboard. From the left-side navigation pane, click " Modules " and open the " Week 1: Syllabus Quiz & Get To Know Me Activity " folder.
Week 2 Aug 29	Five Pillars + Time Management Begin Grande Ch 1-8	Time Management <i>Campus Fair Attendance** (option 1 of 3 events)</i>	Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM**	Grande: <i>A Dream Called Home</i> by Reyna Grande; this book is the UNIV 1301 common reading Campus Fair: You are required to attend one (1) campus fair this semester and write a response. Options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Work @ UTEP Job Fair (Sept 1&2 - this week) ● Career EXPO (Sept 16&17) ● Graduate & Professional Schools Fair (Oct 6&7) Whichever fair you attend, your response is due at the end of the week. See syllabus for more details.
Week 3 Sept 5	The UTEP Edge/ Digital Story (DS) Finish Grande Ch 1-8	UTEP Edge Module Reading Journal #1	Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	Sept 6 is Labor Day (university closed - no classes) Sept 8 is Census Day (class schedules finalized) Peer Leader Conference: Sign up for a Group Meeting! (Wks 3-5)
Week 4 Sept 12	Active Reading / Agency / DS Begin Grande Ch 9-19	Digital Story Ch 1 Check-In (class workshop) <i>Campus Fair Attendance** (option 2 of 3 events)</i> ESE Speaker Series: Agency 3-2-1 Response	Thursday @ 12:00 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM** Wednesday @ 12:00 PM (or watch recording) Saturday @ 11:59 PM	DS: Bring a sketch, outline, or working draft of your digital story's chapter one. You will explain your vision and process to the group. Campus Fair: You are required to attend one (1) campus fair this semester and write a response. Options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Career EXPO (Sept 16&17 - this week) ● Graduate & Professional Schools Fair (Oct 6&7) Whichever fair you attend, your response is due at the end of the week. See syllabus for more details.

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				ESE Speaker Series: These one-hour talks are sponsored by the Entering Student Experience and are required viewing for UNIV 1301 students. You may attend the talk live (via Zoom) OR watch a recording of the talk. To register for the live event, click the link. Recordings will be available one hour after the talk.
Week 5 Sept 19	DS / Information Literacy / Academic Advising Finish Grande Ch 9-18	Digital Story Ch 1 (final draft) Library Quizzes A, B, C Reading Journal #2	Thursday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	DS: Ch 1 final draft due. upload PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video) to Blackboard. Group Meetings end Library Quizzes: Each quiz requires that you watch 3-4 short videos prior to taking the quiz. They are a bit time consuming, so plan your week accordingly.
Week 6 Sept 26	Library Basics / Belonging	ESE Speaker Series: Belonging Library Activity #1 Library Scavenger Hunt 3-2-1 Response	Wednesday @ 12:00 PM (or watch recording) Tuesday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	
Week 7 Oct 3	Research / Academic Integrity	Academic Integrity Module <i>Career Fair Attendance** (option 3 of 3 events)</i>	Thursday @ 12:00 PM <i>Saturday @ 11:59 PM**</i>	Peer Leader Conference: Sign up for a one-on-one conference (Wks 7-8) Campus Fair: You are required to attend one (1) campus fair this semester and write a response. Options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Graduate & Professional Schools Fair (Oct 6&7 - this week) If you did not attend one of the first two fairs, you must attend this fair and submit your response by the end of the week. See syllabus for more details.
Week 8 Oct 10	Group Project / Engagement	ESE Speaker Series: Engagement MineTracker 3-2-1 Response	Wednesday @ 12:00 PM (or watch recording) Thursday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	One-on-one conferences end

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Week 9 Oct 17	Group Project / Academic Success / GPA Calculation / Degree Plans Begin Grande Ch 19-26	ESE Speaker Series: Academic Success GPA Quiz GPA Calculation Degree Evaluation 3-2-1 Response Group Project due	Wednesday @ 12:00 PM (or watch recording) Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM Day of Conference Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	Lots of stuff due this Saturday! Be sure to make steady progress all week to complete these tasks on time. Oct 20 Mid-term grades available on Goldmine Instructor Conference: Sign up for a one-on-one conference (Wks 9-10). Bring your degree evaluation to your conference
Week 10 Oct 24	DS / Mining Majors Finish Grande Ch 19-26	Digital Story Ch 2 Check-In (class workshop) Digital Story Ch 2 (final draft) Reading Journal #3 Mining Majors	Tuesday @ 12:00 PM Thursday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	DS: Bring a sketch, outline, or working draft of your digital story's chapter one. You will explain your vision and process to the group. DS: Ch 2 final draft due. upload PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video) to Blackboard. Instructor Conferences end (M-W) Oct 29 Course Drop Deadline
Week 11 Oct 31	Professional Preparation: CliftonStrengths, S.T.A.R. Method Begin Grande Ch 27-35	ESE Speaker Series: Professional Preparation CliftonStrengths 3-2-1 Response	Wednesday @ 12:00 PM (or watch recording) Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	Your peer leader will email you your CliftonStrengths access code. If you do not receive it by Tuesday 5:00 PM, send your peer leader an email.
Week 12 Nov 7	Professional Preparation: Resume Finish Grande Ch 27-35	ESE Speaker Series: Closing Session, ft. Reyna Grande Resume Reading Journal #4 3-2-1 Response (Extra Credit)	Wednesday @ 12:00 PM (or watch recording) Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	Watch your email for a message from CIERP. This message contains a link to the UNIV 1301 End-of-Semester Student Survey. Be sure to complete the survey by the end of Week 15. Peer Leader Conference: Sign up for a Group Meeting! (Wks 12-13)

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Week 13 Nov 14	Professional Preparation: Mock Interview / DS Begin Grande Ch 36-Epilogue	Mock Interview Mock Interview Self-Evaluation	Tuesday (in class) Thursday @ 12:00 PM	Mock Interview: We will hold mock interviews in class on Tuesday. Be sure you have prepared appropriately and are ready to participate in a mock interview. You may want to bring a copy of your resume to reference during your interview. Group Meetings end
Week 14 Nov 21	Digital Story Finish Grande Ch. 36-Epilogue	Digital Story Ch 3 Check-in (class workshop) Reading Journal #5	Tuesday @ 12:00 PM Saturday @ 11:59 PM	Thanksgiving Holiday: Thursday and Friday Nov 25 and 26. University closed. DS: Bring a working draft of your digital story's chapter three (and four if you have it ready!). You will explain your vision and process to the group.
Week 15 Nov 28	Digital Story / Grande	Release Form Digital Story Ch 3 (final draft)	Tuesday in class Thursday @ 11:59 PM	DS: Ch 3 final draft due. upload PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video) to Blackboard. December 3 is Dead Day (No Classes)
Week 16 Dec 5	Finals Week	"Who I Am: A Miner's Story" Digital Story Project (Ch 1-4)	Tuesday @ 11:59 PM	Submit your completed digital story (Ch 1-4) to Blackboard as a PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video). Your final digital story will <u>not</u> be graded (you will receive a "0") if you did not submit the Release Form in Week 15. December 16 Final grades will be available in Goldmine