

University 1301 Fall 2023 Course Calendar

CRN: 11312-250 | TR 9:00-10:20 AM | LART 303

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 28 – Sept 3	Introduction & Welcome	Syllabus Quiz Get To Know Me	Sunday @ 11:59 PM Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Aug 28-Sept1: late registration (fees incurred) Syllabus Quiz & GTKM Activity: In Blackboard, from the left-side navigation pane, click “ Weekly Modules ” and open the “ Week 1: Syllabus & Get to Know Me Activity ” folder. Both will be available beginning Thursday, Aug 31, at 8:50am MT
Week 2 Sept 4-10	Identity	UTEP Edge Module Research Activity #1 (UTEP Edge)	Sunday @ 11:59 PM Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Sept 4: Labor Day (university closed) Sept 6&7: Work@UTEP Job Fair, 9a-2p, Union East-TRCC 3 rd Floor
Week 3 Sept 11-17	Identity	TIBRC #1 (bring your book) Library Quizzes A, B, C	In-Class Activity (Tues) Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Sept 11-16: Fall Career Week, See website for more info Sept 13: Census Day This I Believe Reading Circle #1: All UNIV 1301 students are required to read <i>This I Believe</i> (TIB). We will conduct Reading Circles (RC). You are required to bring your book to each TIBRC. See Blackboard for specific reading assignments 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

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Week 4 Sept 18-24	Identity	Research Activity #2 (Meet in LIBR 204A) Autoethnography (AE) e-book layout, cover page, title page, and Ch 1 (draft) Library Scavenger Hunt Autoethnography (AE) layout, cover page, title page, and Ch 1 (final)	Tuesday @ 9:00 AM In-Class Activity (Thurs) Sunday @ 11:59 PM Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Sept 19: We will meet in LIBR 204A Sept 21: Career EXPO, 9a-3p, Don Haskins Center Sept 22: Career EXPO, 9a-2p, Don Haskins Center AE (draft): Bring a sketch, outline, or working draft of your AE's Ch 1 along with your overall e-book layout, completed cover page, and title page. You will explain your vision and process to the group AE (final): e-book layout, cover page, title page, and final draft of Ch 1 due. Upload PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video) to Blackboard Peer Leader Conference: Sign up for a Group Meeting! (Wks 5-7)
Week 5 Sept 25 – Oct 1	Agency	GPA Quiz Degree Evaluation	In-Class Activity (Thurs) Sunday @ 11:59 PM	GPA Quiz: Bring a battery-operated or solar-power calculator to class on Thursday. You <u>will not</u> be allowed to use any calculator that has a texting/email function (cell phone, tablet, laptop, watch, etc.) Peer Leader Conferences
Week 6 Oct 2-8	Agency	Academic Advising Academic Integrity Module	In-Class Activity (Thurs) Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Oct 4: Graduate & Professional Schools Fair, 10a-2p, Location TBA Academic Advising: Bring your academic advising questions to class on Thursday Peer Leader Conferences (<i>continued</i>)
Week 7 Oct 9-15	Agency	TIBRC #2 (bring your book) Survivor Series #1 (Agency & Identity)*	In-Class Activity (Tues) In-Class Activity (Thurs)	Oct 12: *This Thursday (Oct 12) we will meet from 9:00-10:20am MT for the first ESE Survivor Series talk. Attendance is mandatory. Location TBD This I Believe Reading Circle #2: All UNIV 1301 students are required to read <i>This I Believe</i> (TIB). We will conduct Reading Circles (RC). You are required to bring your book to each TIBRC. See Blackboard for specific reading assignments Peer Leader Conferences end

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Week 8 Oct 16-22	Agency	AE Ch 2 (draft) AE Ch 2 (final)	In-Class Activity (Wed) Sunday @ 11:59 PM	AE (draft): Bring a sketch, outline, or working draft of your AE's Ch 2. You will explain your vision and process to the group AE (final): Final draft of Ch 2 due. Upload PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video) to Blackboard
Week 9 Oct 23-29	Aspiration	CliftonStrengths	Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Oct 26: Mid-Term Grades available on Goldmine CliftonStrengths: Your peer leader will email you your CS access code. If you do not receive it by Tuesday, 5:00pm MT, send your peer leader an email
Week 10 Oct 30 – Nov 5	Aspiration	CliftonStrengths Workshop Research Activity #3 (Choices360)	In-Class Activity (Tues) Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Nov 3: Course Drop Deadline
Week 11 Nov 6-12	Aspiration	AE Ch 3 (draft) <i>UTEP History Module</i> <i>Research Activity #4 (UTEP History)</i> AE Ch 3 (final)	In-Class Activity (Tues) <i>Sunday @ 11:59 PM</i> <i>Sunday @ 11:59 PM</i> Sunday @ 11:59 PM	UTEP History Module: Read about UTEP's history and complete the module before you come to class next week. In Week 14, we will hopefully have a private tour of some historical university artifacts! AE (draft): Bring a sketch, outline, or working draft of your AE's Ch 3. You will explain your vision and process to the group. Note: We are beginning AE Ch 3 a whole week early due to unavoidable scheduling conflicts AE (final): Final draft of Ch 3 due. Upload PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video) to Blackboard
Week 12 Nov 13-19	Aspiration	Survivor Series #2 (Aspiration & Belonging)*	In-Class Activity (Thurs)	Nov 16: *We will meet from 9:00-10:20am MT for the second Survivor Series talk. Attendance is mandatory. Location TBD
Week 13 Nov 20-26	Belonging	Finish GR Activity / UTEP History Module	Tuesday @ 9:00 AM	Nov 23-24: Thanksgiving Holiday (University closed)

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Week 14 Nov 27 – Dec 3	Belonging	TIBRC #3&4 (bring your book) Heritage House ESE Event Due	In-Class Activity (Tues) Thursday @ 9:00 AM* Sunday @ 11:59 PM	Heritage House: *Pending Confirmation from the UTEP Alumni Association Heritage House volunteers, we will meet at Heritage House on Monday at 7:30 AM MT. More info TBA This I Believe Reading Circle #3&4: All UNIV 1301 students are required to read <i>This I Believe</i> (TIB). We will conduct Reading Circles (RC). You are required to bring your book to each TIBRC. See Blackboard for specific reading assignments ESE/UTEP Event: You must attend one (1) ESE Event at some point this semester and write a short reflection on your experience. You may turn in your reflection at any point before this week
Week 15 Dec 4-10	Belonging	Release Form Finals Week Activity AE Chs 4 & 5 (draft)*	In-Class Activity (Tues) In-Class Activity (Tues) Throughout the week*	Dec 8: Dead Day (no classes) Dec 8: UTEP Course Evaluations – proof of completion due Dec 8: UNIV 1301 End of Semester Student Survey Feedback due AE (draft): This week we will work on your AE's Chs 4 and 5, but we will not submit them at the end of the week (like you did for Chs 1-3) because the <i>final draft of your entire AE</i> (Ch 1-5) is due on Tuesday of Finals Week
Week 16 Dec 11-15	Finals Week	"Becoming a Miner" Autoethnography Project (Ch 1-5)	Tuesday @ 11:59 PM	Submit your completed autoethnography (Ch 1-5) to Blackboard as a PDF (or HTML link if you have audio/video). Your final autoethnography will <u>not</u> be graded (you will receive a "0") if you do not submit the Release Form in Week 15 Dec 20: Final Grades available via Goldmine