

Course Schedule

DATE	SUBJECT MATTER	READING	ASSIGNMENT DUE
Week 1			
Mon.	Introduction to course and review syllabus.		Introduction posting due Aug 22 nd
Wed.	Introduction reply		Introduction postings reply due Aug 24 th
Fri.	Decide on team name and take syllabus quiz.		Syllabus quiz and Reply name due Aug 26 th .
Week 2			
Mon.	Background on migration to the U.S.	Saenz, Rogelio, Maria Cristina Morales, and Maria Isabel Ayala. 2004. "United States: Immigration to the Melting Pots of the Americas." Pp. 211-232 in Migration: A Global View, edited by Maura I. Toro and Marixsa Alicea. Greenwood Press. (posted reading)	Reading quiz Aug. 29 th
Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due. Aug. 31 st
Fri.	Discussion		Reply posting due Sept. 2 nd
Week 3			
Mon.	Labor Day		
Wed.	Immigration: Smoke and Mirrors	Video Presidential Address at the American Sociological Association	
Fri.	Video quiz		Video quiz due Sept. 9 th
Week 4			
Mon.	Theories on international migration.	Ch. 1 (pp. 2-12 through Dual Labor Market, Mobsen and Sadri)	Reading quiz Sept. 12 th

Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due Sept. 14th
Fri.	Discussion		Reply posting due Sept. 16th
Week 5			
Mon.	Theories on international migration.	Ch. 1 (pp. 13-end, Mobsen and Sadri)	Reading quiz Sept. 19 th
Fri.	Social constructions of the border		Visual project #1 due Sept. 23rd
Week 6			
Mon.	EXAM 1 Immigration and Ethnic and Racial Inequality	Ch. 10 (Mobasher and Sadri)	EXAM 1 (Saenz et al Ch. and Chs. 1 &12 from Mobsen and Sadri) Due Sept. 26th
Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due Sept. 28 th
Fri.	Discussion		Reply posting due Sept. 30 th
Week 7			
Mon.	Assimilation	Ch.22 (Mobasher and Sadri)	Reading quiz Oct. 3rd
Fri.	Visual Project: Assimilation		Visual Project #2 due Oct. 7 th
Week 8			
Mon.	Colonized and Immigrant Minorities	Ch. 17 (Mobasher and Sadri)	Reading quiz due Oct. 10th
Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due Oct. 12th
Fri.	Discussion		Reply posting due Oct. 14th
Week 9			
Mon.	Gender and Immigration	Ch. 25 & 27 (Mobasher and Sadri)	Reading quiz due Oct. 17 th

Wed.	Immigration story	TED Talks: Tan Le	
Fri.	Video Quiz		Video quiz due Oct. 21 st
Week 10			
Mon.	Transnationalism	Ch. 16 (Mobasher and Sadri)	Reading Quiz due Oct. 24 th
Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due Oct. 26 th
Fri.	Discussion		Reply posting due Oct. 28 th
Week 11			
Mon.	Poverty and Immigration	TED Talks: Immigration, World Poverty, and Gumballs	
Wed.	Video Quiz		Video quiz due Nov. 2 nd
Fri.	Exam 2		EXAM 2 (Chs. 10, 16, 17, 22, 25, & 27 from Mobasher and Sadri) Due Nov. 4 th
Week 12			
Mon.	Salvadoran Transnational Families and Why Parents Migrate	Ch. 1 & 2 Abrego's Sacrificing Families	Reading quiz due Nov. 7 th
Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due Nov. 9 th
Fri.	Discussion		Reply posting due Nov. 11 th
Week 13			
Mon.	Journey, Initial Settlement, & Trauma	Ch. 3 & 4 Abrego's Sacrificing Families	Reading quiz due Nov. 14 th
Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due Nov. 16 th
Fri.	Discussion		Discussion reply due Nov. 19 th

Week 14			
Mon.	Multiple sides of the immigration debate	Video: 30 Days Immigration	Video quiz due Nov. 21 st
Wed.-Fri.	Thanksgiving Holiday		
Week 15			
Mon.	Consequences of Long Term Separation & Is Family Separation Worth It	Ch. 7 &8 Abrego's Sacrificing Families	Reading quiz due Nov. 28th
Wed.	Discussion		Discussion question due Nov. 30 th
Thurs.	Last Day of Class		
Week 16			
Mon.	EXAM 3		EXAM 3 Ch. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, & 8 of Abrego's Sacrificing Families