**JCC OFFICIAL COURSE OUTLINE**

**Course number, title and credits; total time allocation**

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| Course Letter/Number | **GEO 132** | Credits | **3** | Title | **World Regions** |
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| Lecture/Discussion | **3** | hrs/semester |  | Lab |  | hrs/semester |  | Clinical |  | hrs/semester |

**Catalog Description and Pre- and Co-requisites (Same as taxonomy and catalog)**

This course covers all regions of the world from a human perspective. Topics include resources, population, settlements, agriculture, manufacturing and transportation. There is special emphasis on Internet research in the classroom. Prerequisites: ENG 085\* and ENG 090\*

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities Students Acquire from this Course (Educational Objectives)**

The understanding of the different geographic regions of the world: their people, history, politics, abiotic influences, and culture.

**Associate Degree Outcomes Addressed in this Course (These must appear in course syllabus.)**

ADO 7 (Critical Thinking) and ADO 10 (Diversity)

**Units/topics of Instruction**

Introductory Topics, North America, Europe, Latin America, the Caribbean, Africa, Southwest Asia, Australia & Oceana, Russia, Central Asia, South Asia, East Asia, Southeast Asia

**Instructional Techniques and Procedures**

Lectures, guided readings, internet research.

**Instructional Use of Computer or Other Technology**

Internet research, homework submissions.

**Instructional Materials and Costs to Students**

Globalization and Diversity: Geography of a Changing World (3rd edition, Rowntree, ISBN 0-321-651-259).

**Skills and abilities students should bring to the course**

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|  |  | a limited amount of material |  | **x** | basic, pre-algebraic problems |
| Able to read | **x** | an average amount of material | Able to compute |  | simple algebraic problems |
|  |  | an above average amount of material |  |  | higher order mathematical problems |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | relatively easy material |  |  | short compositions |
| Able to read | **x** | moderately difficult material | Able to write | **x** | medium length compositions |
|  |  | technical or sophisticated material |  |  | lengthy compositions |
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|  | **x** | keyboard skills/familiar with computer |  | **x** | Understand 2-D images (maps) |
| Able to use | **x** | computer application | Other necessary  |  |  |
|  technology | **x** | web navigation |  abilities |  |  |
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**The course is usually scheduled**

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| Evening: |   | Fall |   | Winter |  | Spring |

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 **(Last names, please) Form Revised 12/4/00**