

QuEST - General Education Assessment Objectives 2023-24

First Year Seminar

- a. read critically: recall, analyze, synthesize and integrate.

Oral Communication

- d. convey information and reasoned argument in spoken and visual presentation.

Created and Called for Community

- a. describe biblical and theological implications of the Old Testament emphasis on being created in the image of God and the New Testament emphasis on becoming a new creation.

Mathematical Sciences

- c. apply course content to diverse fields of study.

Laboratory Science

- d. the ability to present scientific arguments orally and in writing using tables, graphs and charts.

Science, Technology, and the World

- a. examine relevant scientific or technological concepts.

Social Sciences

- c. analyze important variables contributing to one or more social problems/issues.

European History

- c. communicate historical analysis in effective forms of communication.

United States History

- a. explain selected ideas, events, peoples, cultures, and social phenomena central to American history.

Literature

- d. articulate the relationship of literary texts to their personal world.

Philosophy

- d. think logically and critically.

Religion

- c. identify relationships between religion and culture at the local, national, and transnational levels.

Arts

- a. reflect on the nature and principles of art.

Modern Languages

- d. articulate cultural and linguistic differences between American English and the language being studied

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Literary Languages

b. explain patterns and institutions of history and culture of the Near East, the Mediterranean and/or Europe

Cross Cultural Studies

d. explain insights that they learned about themselves and their own relationships by directly interacting with individuals and groups from the host culture.

Knowledge of the Bible

b. describe important aspects of the Bible's complex formation.

Christian Beliefs

b. articulate central beliefs of historic Christian faith about God, Jesus Christ, the Holy Spirit, salvation, and the church.

Wellness

c. identify the importance of behavior choices in overall health.

Ethics in the Modern World

d. develop and defend a perspective on contemporary ethical issues.

World Views

d. outline a variety of contemporary issues relevant to the development of a personal world view from a Christian perspective.

Pluralism in Contemporary Society

d. articulate and practice an informed and faithful Christian response to diversity.

Non-Western Studies

c. understand the effects of contact between Western and non-Western people.