COURSE INFORMATION FORM

DISCIPLINE English

COURSE TITLE Bible as Literature

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CATALOG DESCRIPTION
Selected passages from old and new testaments as illustration of different types of literature (stories, drama, poetry). Analysis of the literary qualities of the Bible.

PREREQUISITES
None

EXPECTED STUDENT OUTCOMES IN THE COURSE
Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:
1. Identify the features of various literary genres.
2. Differentiate various literary genres within the Bible.
3. Explain the history behind the current test/canon – oral tradition, mythology, cultural assumptions, church history, problems of translation (compare/contrast).
4. Apply various rules of interpretation.
5. Explain various theories of revelation and inspiration.
CLASS-LEVEL ASSESSMENT MEASURES
Student accomplishment of expected student outcomes will be assessed using the following measures. (Identify which measures are used to assess which outcomes.)

1. Locally develops quizzes (1-3)
2. Locally developed exams (1-5)
3. Class discussion (3-5)
4. Small group work (4, 5)
5. Critical response essays (1-5)
6. Oral presentations (4, 5)
7. Journals (1-5)

PROGRAM-LEVEL OUTCOMES ADDRESSED

GENERAL EDUCATION OUTCOMES
Specify which general education outcomes, if any, are substantially addressed by the course by completing the “Course/Program Assessment Matrix” to show the relationships between course and program outcomes and assessment measures.

OCCUPATIONAL PROGRAM OUTCOMES
Specify which occupational program outcomes, if any, are substantially addressed by the course by completing the “Course/Program Assessment Matrix” to show the relationships between course and program outcomes and assessment measures.
Individual instructors may order this outline as fits the needs of their individual courses. In addition, they may place more emphasis on some areas than others. What is assured is that this particular list is covered in the course. Other topics may be added to a course as the instructor sees fit, and as time and interest allows. An *asterisk can be used to mark an item as optional.

I. Historically

II. Genre
   A. History
   B. Poetry
   C. Short story
   D. Proverbs
   E. Prophecy
   F. Biography
   G. Epistle