## **Faculty of Health Sciences**

В	70-79	Good work, meeting all requirements, and eminently satisfactory
C	60-69	Competent work, meeting requirements
D	50-59	Fair work, minimally acceptable
F	below 50	Fail

ESSAY REQUIRMENTS AND ORGANIZATION
In your essay, you are expected to interpret and evaluate the main points and arguments in the readings that relate to ye W -1 (nd )5 (e)-1 (va)-1 (l)-2 (ua441 sc70.86 0.7 0 --.44-4 (N)]Tt)-2 (ho2 Tc -)

Only emails with a 'uwo.ca' address will be answered and only emails that deal with administrative matters will be read. Questions regarding course content must be raised in class or during office hours.

It may take up to 3-5 days to answer your email.

#### **FILMS**

Online films will be shown in this class, usually with film questions to guide your viewing. Do not underestimate this aspect of the course as it is central to symptom identification and diagnosis, among other things. Some films may not be available outside class viewing time. Normal accommodation policies apply if you miss a film but you may have to read extra material instead.

#### YOUR MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

This course deals with very serious and controversial issues in the area of mental health that may be disturbing for some students. Please speak to myself or your academic counsellor if you have any concerns about your own mental health and well-being in relation to the course content. Western University has excellent Mental Health and Well-Being services available for students in need of additional guidance and support in this area. See Western's Health and Wellness information webpage at

http://www.health.uwo.ca/mental\_health/index.html if you desire more information on this topic. Immediate help in the event of a crisis can be had by phoning 519.661.3030 (during class hours) or 519.433.2023 after class hours and on weekends.

As part of a successful undergraduate experience at Western, we encourage you to make your health and wellness a priority. Western provides several on-campus health-related services to help you achieve op 4. Ombuds Office -- http://www.uwo.ca/ombuds/

### **ACADEMIC CONSIDERATION:**

The University recognizes that a student's ability to meet their academic responsibilities may, on occasion, be impaired by extenuating circumstances, including short-term illness or injury. Reasonable academic consideration is a cooperative process between the University, the student, and academic staff. All participants in the process must act in good faith, and fulfil their respective obligations, if it is to succeed.

Students who experience an extenuating circumstance (illness, injury, or other extenuating circumstance) sufficiently significant as to temporarily render them unable to meet academic requirements, may submit a request for academic consideration through the following routes:

Submitting a Self-Reported Absence form, provided that -1 (e ac)5 (ad (r(r)3 (. (m)-2 (-1 (ev2 (ev2 (e (-1 v2

The duration of the excused absence will be for a maximum of 48 hours from the time the Self-Reported Absence form is completed through the online portal, or from 8:30am the following morning if the form is submitted after 4:30pm;

The duration of the excused absence will terminate prior to the end of the 48 hour period, should the student undertake significant academic responsibilities (e.g., write a test, submit a paper) during that time;

The duration of an excused absence will terminate at 8:30am on the day following the last day of classes each semester, regardless of how many days of absence have elapsed;

Self-reported absences will not be allowed for scheduled final examinations; for midterm examinations scheduled during the December examination period; or for final lab examinations (i.e., "bellringers");

Self-reporting may not be used for assessments (e.g., midterm exams, tests, reports, presentations, or essays) worth more than 30% of any given course;

Students must be in touch with their instructors no later than 24 hours after the end of the period covered by the Self-Reported Absence form, to clarify how they will be expected to fulfil the academic expectations they may have missed

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

No classes:

Nov. 2nd – 8th, 2020 (Fall Reading Week) or Feb. 13th to 21st, 2021 (Spring Reading Week)

Between Dec. 5th, 2020 and Jan. 3rd, 2021 or after Apr. 6th, 2021 At least 15% of the final grade will be returned to students by:

Nov. 8th, 2020 (for 1st-term half-courses) or Mar. 4th, 2021 (for 2nd-term half-courses)

Nov. 26th, 2020 (for full-year courses)

No tests scheduled:

after Nov. 13th, 2020 at 10pm (for 1st-term half-courses) or after Mar. 12th, 2021 at 10pm (for 2nd term half-courses)

after Nov. 27th, 2020 at 6pm (for full-year courses) or after Mar. 12th, 2021

# THIS OUTLINE AND SCHEDULE MAY BE REVISED WITH PRIOR NOTICE DUE TO CLASS ENROLMENT AND OTHER FACTORS

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