## Chancellor's Office - Appendix 4

Instructional Methods

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- How will you achieve your course objectives?
  - The proposed learning environment should be appropriate to support the course objectives.
    - What is instructor doing?
    - What will students be doing and experiencing with respect to the instructor, each other, and the environment
  - Instructional methods should evoke independent study, critical thinking, and application of concepts at a college level.



## Example

Objective : The student will be able to:	Instructional Methods
1) demonstrate mastery in debate skills.	<ul> <li>-lecture topics supporting argumentation and debate; types of debates.</li> <li>-demonstration: testing for fallacies.</li> <li>-in-class videos of debates followed by guided group discussion and analysis.</li> <li>-demonstration: analysis and critique of debate skills.</li> <li>-research projects (reading and writing): research to support in-class debate topics.</li> <li>-in-class practice debates against an opponent.</li> <li>-individual assistance and group feedback of debate performances.</li> </ul>

## An example of Integration

<b>Course Objectives</b>	Methods of	Methods of	Assignments
The student will be able to:	Instruction	Evaluation	
<ul> <li>A. Distinguish representative examples of architecture, sculpture, painting, and other artistic media.</li> <li>B. Analyze the formal elements of works of art and architecture.</li> <li>C. Relate stylistic trends to specific dates, periods, cultures, and artists.</li> <li>D. Critique the use of media, materials, and techniques applied in artistic production.</li> <li>E. Apply relevant art historical vocabulary and methodologies to analyze representative examples of artistic media.</li> <li>F. Explain how works of art and architecture relate to the social, religious, political, and economic contexts in which they were produced.</li> </ul>	A. Slide lectures B. Large and small group discussion C. Documentary films and movie clips on art and artists D. Art museum and gallery visits will be <i>required</i> .	A. Measure understanding of textbook concepts and class lectures with performance on objective and essay exams. B. Written essays and/or research projects to be graded on the student's ability to describe style, iconography, context, and meaning of works of art and architecture. C. Assess level of research skills, comprehension of subject matter and use of art historical methodology through evaluation of research paper.	<ul> <li>A. Read assigned textbook chapters (approx. 40-50 pages per week).</li> <li>B. Museum and gallery visits will be the basis of written exercises in which students discuss and analyze works of art.</li> <li>C. Written assignments may include short analysis papers, response papers, reviews of films or exhibitions and abstracts of assigned articles.</li> <li>D. Reading from supplemental art history reader and/or scholarly journals will be assigned.</li> <li>E. Students will complete a research paper based on a work or works of art viewed at a local museum.</li> </ul>