NorthWest Arkansas Community College Division of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Education and Wellness, Legal and Protective Services

PHIL 2033 (World Religions, Honors)

Catalog Description:

An examination of different religious beliefs, with an emphasis on Christianity, Judaism, Islam, Hinduism, and Buddhism. Specific themes will vary by instructor. Please refer to the NWACC Honors Program section in the current catalog for more information.

Prerequisites:

None.

Credit Hours/Contact Hours/Load Hours:

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Course Outcomes:

- Identify major beliefs and rituals of the world's religions.
- Recognize the communities, organizations, institutions, and actions that influence major religions.
- Define the ethical values found in major religions.
- Identify characteristics and traits of modern day religions.
- Trace the development of movements in each religion in the context of human history.
- Write clearly and concisely about religions of the world. Learn how to compare and contrast religions core beliefs and values.