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## Online Study Groups

### **British Literature: Selected Topics 4 cr with Maureen Kravec**

spaces avail **15** Adv./Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req | Humanities - fully  
Basic Communications - partially

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In this study, the student will read selected works of British literature in the context of its historical development. The primary text will be The Norton Anthology of British Literature, one volume edition; the student will supplement this text with other readings as individual interests develop. Each student will read the introduction to each section of the anthology. As a group, we will read and discuss Beowulf on the Moodle site; each student will then choose three additional areas of focus from a list, including but not limited to the following: traditional ballads; The Canterbury Tales; Renaissance literature -- selections from Shakespeare's contemporaries; John Milton, Puritans and Cavaliers; Dryden, Pope, and Neoclassicism; the birth of the novel; Romanticism; Victorians and pre-Raphaelites; and Modernism and stream of consciousness: Joyce Woolf, and Eliot. Because of the quantity of material available, and because the goal is to familiarize the student with British literature from a historical perspective, it is likely that the study will focus on pre-Modern works. Topics should be chosen according to interest and to allow the student to explore topics new to him or her. Each student will write critical papers, each approximately 5 pages in length. At least 2 of the papers should incorporate material from sources in addition to the literature. Students will be expected to share their insights through answering questions and journaling in the Moodle site. This study meets the General Education requirement in Humanities OR Basic Communication, not both.

### **Women in Song 4 cr with Peggy Lynn**

spaces avail **\*CLOSED\*** Adv./Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req | American History - fully  
The Arts - fully

\*\* Online Study Group \*\*

The purpose of this study is for students to develop listening and music appreciation skills. While listening to women's music, students will also be studying American women's history and feminist movement. Students will use critical thinking to describe songs, their feminist message, and their historical context. This study requires college level writing skills and the ability to draw information from different sources into a coherent essay.

## Fort Drum Study Groups

Meeting dates/times/locations not yet published

### **College Composition (8-week intensive study group, 3/14/16 to 5/6/16) 4 cr with Donna Petzoldt**

spaces avail **\*CLOSED\*** Intro/Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req | Basic Communications - fully

\*\*\* Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined \*\*\*

This study group is specifically designed for the Fort Drum WTB soldiers. This study is intended to acclimate the student to academic writing and critical thinking. It will develop knowledge of grammar, sentence structure, and organization in order to prepare for more advanced writing courses. Students will engage in all phases of the writing process: prewriting, drafting, revising, editing, and reflecting. They will learn to refine topics; develop and support ideas; investigate, evaluate, and incorporate appropriate resources; edit for effective style and usage; and determine appropriate approaches for a variety of contexts, audiences, and purposes. Students will critically evaluate selected readings in a variety of content areas and write essays and a research paper. This study meets State University of New York (SUNY) general education requirements in Basic Communication. Students relying on New York State and/or Federal Title IV financial aid may be ineligible. Please contact the Financial Aid Office with any questions.

### **Diversity in the Workplace (8-week intensive study group, 3/14/16 to 5/6/16) 4 cr with Teal Abel**

spaces avail **\*CLOSED\*** Adv./Liberal

\*\*\* Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined \*\*\*

This study group is specifically designed for the Fort Drum WTB soldiers. This study is designed to increase knowledge about the impact and management of the expanding and changing diversity in the workplace and the workforce, broadly defined to include differences in gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, religion, race, ethnicity, class, and culture/nationality. Students will explore the interpersonal, social, supervisory, organizational, and legal aspects and issues. Students relying on New York State and/or Federal Title IV financial aid may be ineligible. Please contact the Financial Aid Office with any questions.

### **Human Nutrition (8-week intensive study group, 3/14/16 to 5/6/16) 4 cr with MaryJo Jackson**

spaces avail **\*CLOSED\*** Intro/Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req | Natural Sciences - fully

\*\*\* Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined \*\*\*

This study group is specifically designed for the Fort Drum WTB soldiers. The student will be introduced to basic principles of nutrition, with emphasis on the role of nutrition in health maintenance. Topics include essential nutrients and their digestion, metabolism, function, and sources in food, with emphasis on specific aspects of nutrition and food selection. The dynamic nature of the science of nutrition as a changing and growing field of study will be discussed. Students relying on New York State and/or Federal Title IV financial aid may be ineligible. Please contact the Financial Aid Office with any questions.

### **Statistics (8-week intensive study group, 3/14/16 to 5/6/16) 4 cr with Edmund Burke**

spaces avail **\*CLOSED\*** Intro/Liberal fulfills SUNY gen. ed. req | Mathematics - fully

\*\*\* Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined \*\*\*

This study group is specifically designed for the Fort Drum WTB soldiers. This study introduces statistical reasoning, concepts, and mathematical methods. Major topics include: mathematical techniques for statistical analysis, frequency distributions, drawing samples from populations, descriptive statistics, properties of the normal curve, sampling distributions, confidence intervals, probability theory, probability distributions, confidence intervals, hypothesis testing, and linear regression and correlation. Prerequisite: College Mathematics or equivalent. Students relying on New York State and/or Federal Title IV financial aid may be ineligible. Please contact the Financial Aid Office with any questions.

## Syracuse Study Groups

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### **Introduction to Horticulture 4 cr with Nikki Shrimpton**

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\*\*\* Meeting dates/time/location not yet determined \*\*\*

Horticulture is one of the branches of agriculture, with agronomy and forestry being the other two. It is the science and art of cultivating garden plants. This introductory study begins with a focus on the biological principles behind horticultural practices, and then considers the practical applications. The study group includes practical/field activities growing vegetables and herbs in the Student/Community garden located in the rear of the College offices at Carrier Circle. It also includes visits to public gardens that students will carry out independently of the group activities.