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Good afternoon,

On Thursday, September 23, the Assessment Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed the proposal to offer a distance learning version of Anthropology/NELC 2241.

I am pleased to report that the proposal was unanimously approved with one contingency and two recommendations:

- **Contingency:** The Panel requests that the language (on page 8 of the syllabus) around absences is clarified. Currently, it states that a student will lose “up to 5%” when they miss a class beyond the 2 excused days. They would like this language clarified to quantify exactly how many percentage points a student will lose if they miss class.
- **Recommendation:** The Panel strongly recommends adhering to the original formatting of the ASCTech Distance Learning Syllabus Template, as custom font color coding could cause issues of legibility and accessibility for some students.
- **Recommendation:** The Panel recommends rephrasing the “not expensive” descriptor of the textbook (on page 4 of the syllabus) since what is or is not cost-effective for each individual student is subjective.

I will return Anthropology/NELC 2241 via curriculum.osu.edu to enable the department to address these points.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Mat Coleman (faculty Chair of the SBS Panel; cc'd on this e-mail), or me.

Best,
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