

Subject: Religious Studies 3666
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Good afternoon,

On Friday, November 12, the Arts and Humanities Panel 2 of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed the course proposal for Religious Studies 3666. Please find below the Panel's feedback for the course. {N.B. **Contingencies (bolded)** require revision and resubmission to the Panel chair, while *recommendations (italicized)* or comments are suggestions from the Panel that an instructor can implement at their discretion when the course is taught.}

RELIGIOUS STUDIES 3666 | Unanimously approved with *five (5) recommendations* and one (1) comment

- *Recommendation: According to the course calendar, attendance during Week 14 will count double its regular weight; the Panel recommends including a description about this part of the attendance policy in the grade breakdown section at the beginning of the syllabus.*
- *Recommendation: The Panel suggests clarifying which films students should view as homework vs. those that will be shown in class. Currently on the course calendar only some full-length films are marked as homework along with required readings – should students assume the other remaining films will be part of material presented in class?*
- *Recommendation: The Panel recommends including “Netflix subscription” with the other required materials listed for the course.*
- *Recommendation: The Panel suggests adding a note indicating where students can access the other films required for the course that are not available on Netflix.*
- *Recommendation: The Panel recommends removing D- from the grading scale, as OSU does not formally award this mark.*
- **Comment:** The Panel kindly notes that there is a typo on page 3 of the syllabus; the section title “Requirments and Evaluations” should read “Requirements and Evaluations.”

Religious Studies 3666 will continue through the approval process.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Eugenia Romero (faculty Chair of the A&H2 Panel; cc'd on this e-mail) or me.

Best,
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