SYLLABUS FOR ANTHROPOLOGY 3300: ANTHROPOLOGICAL THEORY
Read this syllabus thoroughly and carefully before asking questions about the course.

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COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This course will examine the major theories and theoreticians of the field of anthropology.

TESTS
- There will be three tests each worth one-third of your final grade.
- Tests are not cumulative.
- Tests are comprised of multiple choice and matching questions.
- Test dates are listed in the agenda.
- If you arrive late for a test you will be required to take a makeup test.
- You are not allowed to leave the room during a test.
- Non-native speakers of English may use a translation dictionary (book only) during tests after letting me see it first. Electronic translation dictionaries are not allowed during tests.
- Students are not allowed to answer or look at phones or other electronic devices during a test.
- Wearing a hat is not allowed during tests.

MAKEUP TESTS
- Failure to take a test at the specified time results in a grade of zero for the test. A grade of zero on a test will result in a final grade of "F" for the course.
- Failure to take the third test on the specified date will result in a grade of zero for the third test.
- Makeup tests are given at the professor’s discretion, are based on merit, and must be approved by the professor.
- All makeup tests will be given immediately following the third test. It is the student’s responsibility to remind the professor during the last week of classes that they need to take a makeup exam.
- A grade of incomplete is not given due to failure to take or make up a test.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES
- Attendance is mandatory. Roll will be taken.
- Every KSU student is responsible for upholding the provisions of the Student Code of Conduct as published in the Undergraduate Catalog. Anyone caught violating the Code will be prosecuted.
- Cell phones must be muted during class.
- Texting is not allowed during class.
- Laptop use is not allowed during class.
- Do not carry on conversations during class.
- If you come to class late, enter the room quietly and do not disrupt class.
- Do not leave the room until class is dismissed.
AGENDA: Assignments should be read in the order indicated.

January 21, Martin Luther King Day, No Class.
March 2-8, Spring Break, No Class.

Introduction
Theory, Logic and Evidence
The Birth of Modern Science
   Evolutionism:
   Evolutionary Theory
Cultural/Social Evolution
Cultural Ecology
   Diffusionism:
   Culture Areas

TEST 1 2/13
Chapter Readings: 1, 2, 13

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   Historical Particularism:
   Culture and Personality
   Psychological Anthropology
   Ethnoscience/ Cognitive Anthropology
   Functionalism:
   Socialism
   Structural-Functionalism

TEST 2 3/27
Chapter Readings: 3, 4, 11, 10

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   Symbolic Anthropology
   Marxism:
   Marxism
   Cultural Materialism
   World Systems Theory
   Weberian Approach
   Practice Anthropology
   Postmodernism:
   Deconstructionism

TEST 3 5/1
Chapter Readings: 19, 15, 24, 22