ATH 101. Introduction to Biological Anthropology. 4 Credits.
Introduces biological anthropology and the study of evolution in the context of modern genetics and primate behavior studies. Examines human fossil record, diversity, and commonality of present and past populations of humankind. Prerequisites: (WR 115 and RD 115) or IRW 115 and MTH 20 or equivalent placement. Audit available. This course fulfills the following GE requirements: Social Sciences/AAS, Social Sciences/AGS, Social Sciences/AS, Social Sciences/AAOT, Social Sciences/ASOT-B.

ATH 102. Introduction to Archaeology and Prehistory. 4 Credits.
Introduces archaeology as the anthropological study of humans in the past and the present through the examination of cultural materials and human remains. Considers archaeological theories and methods and ethical issues related to cultural resource management and excavation. Examines systems of power and social justice related to ancient societies and compares them with similar systems and issues in contemporary societies from an anthropological perspective. Prerequisites: (WR 115 and RD 115) or IRW 115 and MTH 20 or equivalent placement. Audit available. This course fulfills the following GE requirements: Social Sciences/AAS, Social Sciences/AGS, Social Sciences/AS, Social Sciences/AAOT, Social Sciences/ASOT-B.

ATH 103. Introduction to Cultural Anthropology. 4 Credits.
Considers contemporary human cultures from an anthropological perspective. Covers behavior, language, culture, kinship, marriage, politics, world view, religion, economics, and globalization from a cross-cultural perspective. Prerequisites: (WR 115 and RD 115) or IRW 115 and MTH 20 or equivalent placement. Audit available. This course fulfills the following GE requirements: Social Sciences/ASOT-B, Social Sciences/AAOT, Social Sciences/AS, Social Sciences/AAS, Social Sciences/AGS.
ATH 231. Native Americans of the Northwest. 4 Credits.
Examines the Native peoples of the Pacific Northwest from an anthropological perspective. Covers historical and contemporary cultures, concerns, and issues of Natives living in Washington, Alaska, and Southwest Canada. Considers systems of power and social justice issues impacting Native societies in this region. Prerequisites: (WR 115 and RD 115) or IRW 115 and MTH 20 or equivalent placement. Audit available. This course fulfills the following GE requirements: Cultural Literacy, Social Sciences/ASOT-B, Social Sciences/AAS, Social Sciences/AGS, Social Sciences/AS, Social Sciences/AAOT.

ATH 232. Native North Americans. 4 Credits.
Examines Native North American cultures from an anthropological perspective. Covers the prehistory, languages, and cultural regions of North America. Considers systems of power and social justice issues related to the historic and contemporary cultures of Native North American societies in different cultural and geographic areas. Prerequisites: (WR 115 and RD 115) or IRW 115 and MTH 20 or equivalent placement. Audit available. This course fulfills the following GE requirements: Cultural Literacy, Social Sciences/ASOT-B, Social Sciences/AS, Social Sciences/AAOT, Social Sciences/AAS, Social Sciences/AGS.

ATH 234. Death, Dying, and Forensics in Cross-cultural Perspective. 4 Credits.
Explores cross-cultural variations in human responses to death and dying, including legal and forensic aspects. Discusses the cultural universal of death from an anthropological perspective as experienced and processed by cultures and individuals in different regions of the world. Covers the history and development of contemporary U.S. views on mortality, health, and forensic medicine. Recommended: Introductory course in Anthropology or Sociology. Prerequisite: (WR 115 and RD 115) or IRW 115 and MTH 20 or equivalent placement. Audit available.

ATH 235. Archaeology of the Americas. 4 Credits.
Examines the archaeology and prehistory of the Americas and the impact of European contact and conquest on indigenous cultures. Covers the development of pre-Columbian cultures and civilizations such as the Olmec, the Maya, the Aztec, the Inca or their predecessors from an archaeological perspective. Compares the geographies, values, beliefs, social customs, politics, technologies, and resources of prehistoric cultures in the Americas. Examines systems of power and social justice issues related to excavation, study, and preservation of indigenous human remains. Prerequisite: (WR 115 and RD 115) or IRW 115 and MTH 20 or equivalent placement. Audit available.

ATH 298. Independent Study: Anthropology. 3 Credits.
Individualized, advanced study in areas of anthropology not considered in other courses, to meet special interests or program requirements. Complete a term project and readings approved by the instructor. Recommended: prior study in anthropology and instructor permission. Audit available.