

**PSY 339:001 Psychology of Women – 3.0 Credit Hours
Spring Semester, 2022**

1/10/22 – 1/28/22 Meets: Online – Asynchronous

1/31/22 – 4/29/22 Meets: Tuesday & Thursday 12:40pm – 2:00pm in 108 Bessey Hall

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Time Zone: All times listed in the syllabus are East Lansing, MI time. Make sure to adjust if you are in a different time zone.

Technical Assistance: The first week has minimal content, giving you time to learn how to navigate the course. Please use the first week to familiarize yourself with the syllabus and course so you are ready to begin in week 2. Dr. Weaver does not expect any of us to be perfect with the various forms of technology we will be using for this course. If you need technical assistance at any time during the course or to report a problem, you can:

- Visit the D2L Help Site – <https://help.d2l.msu.edu/>
- Call the D2L Help Line – (517) 432-6200 or (844) 678-6200
- Visit the MSU Tech Support Site – <https://tech.msu.edu/support/help/>
- Call the Tech Support Line – (517) 432-6200 or toll free (844) 678-6200

E-Mail: All official course communication will happen with your MSU email account. If you email Dr. Weaver, you can count on a response within 24 hours during the week and on Mondays following a weekend. **If you are having difficulty with the course, please reach out right away.** It's hard for us to know if you are stuck unless you tell us. We are here to support you and will work to develop a plan with you to help you be more successful in the course.

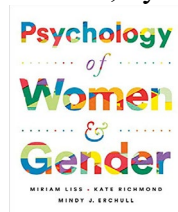
E-Mail Policy: E-mail is the best way to get a hold of your assigned TA and/or Dr. Weaver. However, please use the following guidelines when communicating via email:

- **First, ask yourself this question: “Can this question be answered by looking in the syllabus or looking on the D2L course site?”**
- Use PSY 339 in the subject line. That makes it clear you are a student in this course asking a question. This helps to prevent e-mails from going directly to the junk folder.
- Please address the e-mail properly. Use the appropriate salutation.
 - For your professor, you should say “Hi Dr. Weaver” or “Hello Dr. Weaver”.
 - For one of the TAs, you should say “Hi [First Name]” or “Hello [First Name]”.
- Proofread your e-mail. Is your question conveyed clearly? Did autocorrect make it sound super weird?
- Please sign your e-mail with your full name, so we know who you are. We can't wait to get to know all of you, but maizeandbluearetheworst@spartans.com makes it hard for us to know who you are.
- Be polite.

Check your e-mail and course site regularly! During the course, we will e-mail you or post on the course site from time to time with important information and reminders. Please read these e-mails or posts as soon as you receive them, and please set up D2L to forward course emails and announcements to your email address. Information on how to do this is provided in the Week 1 content.

Course Webpage: On D2L (<https://d2l.msu.edu/>). This page will provide you with the notes for the lectures, the recorded lectures (when asynchronous), readings, assignments, discussion forums, grades, and other important class information.

Required Textbook: Psychology of Women and Gender, by Liss, Richmond, and Erchull



Course Overview: Until recently, most psychological research focused on the experiences of men and was conducted by male researchers. The unique experiences of women were either ignored or extrapolated from the experiences of men. The psychology of women aims to correct this imbalance by focusing on the experiences of women. In this course, we'll study the ways in which men and women are different, but also how they are similar while moving beyond the sex/gender binary. We'll cover theories and research related to women's socialization, development, work experiences, sexuality, and health. In addition, we will explore the diversity that exists among women, particularly in regard to race, ethnicity, socioeconomic status, and sexual orientation.

Course Goals: At the completion of this course, you should be able to:

1. Describe, contrast, apply, and analyze research methods and major theories relevant to the psychology of women.
2. Critically evaluate conclusions made by psychologists and other social scientists.
3. Apply and write about the ideas from the course to everyday life experiences.

Honors Option: There is an honors option for this course, which involves creating an ePhoto Album, participating in discussions with other honors-option students, and writing a paper. **Email Dr. Weaver before 1/21/22 for instructions.**

Course Mode: For the first three weeks of the semester PSY 339 Section 1 is a fully online course. Therefore, **you will need to have access to a computer with consistent access to a high-speed internet connection.** Additionally, for the first three weeks the course is set up to be asynchronous. This means that for the first three weeks you can complete most work according to your own needs. The first three weeks of the course is designed to give you flexibility – but this flexibility also comes with the assumption that you will participate actively and meet due dates as required by the course.

After the first three weeks of the semester the plan is to move to in-person lecture instruction. Everything else for the course will basically remain the same. More information will be provided about the transition back to in-person lecture instruction as the Week 4 date approaches.

Unit Structure: The course is broken up into three Units. Each Unit will have two quizzes and two discussion board activities. At the conclusion of each Unit there is a consolidation week for the Unit Exam. See below for details and the course schedule at the end of the syllabus for dates and times.

Weekly Structure: Each week's content (Lectures, Readings, etc.) will open at 7pm the Friday before the week is set to begin. Each week's activities (Discussion Boards, Quizzes, and Exams) will open at 7am Monday

during the start of the week and close at 7pm on Friday to end the week. For example, Week 3 consists of the dates 1/24-9/28. Therefore, the Week 3 content will open at 7pm on Friday (1/21), the activities (Discussion Board #1 and Quiz #1) will open at 7am on Monday (1/24), and the activities will close / are due at 7pm on Friday (1/28).

- **One of Dr. Weaver's goals is to help you find rest (maybe even some fun!) on your weekend, so the weekly structure is designed to help achieve that goal.** You can use your weekend however you see fit – catching up on previous content, getting ahead on the next week's content, or doing absolutely nothing for the course – but please know that is why **everything closes at 7pm on Fridays**.
- Each week you will be expected to complete the readings, watch the recorded lectures (when online) or come to lecture (when in-person), participate in the Discussion Board forum (when applicable), and take the Quizzes (when applicable). As a 3-credit, 16-week course, **you should plan to spend about 8-10 hours each week on course material**. This should look like 2 hours of reading and taking notes on the readings, 1 hour to write your discussion posts and interact with the discussion forum, 2 hours to watch and take notes of lecture material, 1 hour to review the previous material, 1-2 hours for quizzes and exams, and 1-2 hours of planning and working on the paper. Each week consists of an overview, topics, activities, and a checklist.
- **Overview:** A recorded weekly overview video will also be provided that will introduce the week's topics, videos, readings, activities, and communicate due dates.
- **Topics:** This page will include the readings, recorded lectures (when online), notes, and media to support your learning growth during the course.
- **Activities:** This page will ask you to make products – discussion posts, assignments, etc. – or take quizzes / exams. These are designed to both synthesize and represent what you have learned.
- **Checklists:** This page will help you keep track of the weekly content and ensure you have done all expected tasks.

Evaluation Criteria:

- **Orientation Quiz:** This quiz assesses your understanding of the course policies as outlined in the syllabus and introduction video that is available on our D2L course site (<https://d2l.msu.edu/>). You can take the Orientation Quiz as many times as you like in order to maximize your score. **Be sure to read this syllabus first!** The Orientation Quiz is worth 10 points and determines 2.5% of your final grade. It will open 1/10/22 at 7am and will close 2/18/22 at 7pm.
- **Online Group Discussion Board Activities:** You will be put into a random discussion group of 10 other students in your class. Each unit has two discussion board activities worth 10 points each, so there are a total of six discussion board activities. Your lowest discussion board score will be dropped. Specifically, only your top five discussion board scores will be counted towards your final grade for a total of 50 points (12.5% of your total grade). See the course schedule at the end of the syllabus for due dates and see the discussion board guidelines posted on the D2L course webpage for instructions and expectations.
- **Quizzes:** Each unit has two quizzes worth 10 points each, so there are a total of six quizzes. Your lowest scored quiz will be dropped. Specifically, only your top five quiz scores will be counted towards your final grade for a total of 50 points (12.5% of your total grade). See the course schedule at the end of the syllabus for due dates.
 - For each quiz you will be provided with the list of questions that the quiz questions will be selected from via a pdf file under the “Quizzes” content area on the D2L course page.
 - Each quiz will be open from 7am on Monday of the specific week and will close / is due by 7pm on Friday of the specific week. Note that is East Lansing, MI time. Make sure to adjust if you are in a different time zone. See the course schedule at the end of syllabus for dates. To get to each mini-quiz click on "Assessments" then "Quizzes".
 - **You can take the quizzes as many times as you like throughout the week they are open.**

- These quizzes are designed to take 10 minutes to complete 10 questions. Each mini-quiz question is worth 1 point each. To adjust for students with extended time via their VISAs, once you start each quiz you will have 30 minutes to complete the questions.
- Please note each quiz will close at 7pm on the Friday due date (again, East Lansing, MI time), so if you start at 6:55pm on the Friday due date you will only have 5 minutes to take the quiz.
- Quizzes will be graded automatically by D2L and you can see your questions and answers to help you study and potentially re-take the quiz if you would like to obtain a higher score. Again, you can take the mini-quizzes as many times as you like throughout the week they are open.
- **Paper:** There is one short 4-6 page paper. The paper is due 3/25/22 at 7pm. The paper details will be posted on the D2L course webpage by Week 3. The paper will allow you the opportunity to describe and analyze the course content while applying the concepts learned in the class to the outside world. The paper is worth 50 points (12.5% of your final grade).
 - **Grade Appeals:** If you believe your assignment grade is incorrect, you may appeal the grade. All grade appeals must observe the following rules: 1) they must be typed; 2) you must clearly provide support for the appeal by citing relevant page(s) in the textbook or the relevant lecture material; 3) appeals must be emailed to Dr. Weaver (weaver71@msu.edu) within 5 days of the posted grade.
 - **Use of Turnitin:** Consistent with MSU's efforts to enhance student learning, foster honesty, and maintain integrity in our academic processes, Dr. Weaver has chosen to use a tool called Turnitin to compare your papers with multiple sources. The tool will compare each paper you submit to an extensive database of prior publications and papers, providing links to possible matches and a 'similarity score.' The tool does not determine whether plagiarism has occurred or not. Instead, Dr. Weaver will make a complete assessment and judge the originality of your work. All submissions to this course may be checked using this tool. You should submit papers to Turnitin Dropboxes without identifying information included in the paper (e.g., name or student number), the D2L system will automatically show this information to Dr. Weaver when he views the submission, but the information will not be retained by Turnitin. If you forget and submit your paper with your identifying information on it, it will be retained in the Global Turnitin repository.
 - In choosing to use Turnitin in this course, Dr. Weaver has agreed to follow five guidelines. They are:
 1. Dr. Weaver will use Turnitin as part of a balanced approach to encourage academic integrity and foster student success.
 2. Dr. Weaver will openly disclose use of Turnitin in this course on the syllabus and at the time assignments are announced.
 3. For a given assignment, Dr. Weaver will use Turnitin for all papers.
 4. Dr. Weaver will make the final determination of originality and integrity.
 5. To ensure privacy, Dr. Weaver will ask students to remove identification (e.g., names and student numbers) from submissions.
- **Exams:** Four exams will be given in class – three unit exams, and one during the final exam period. Any material from lectures, readings, videos, and related materials are fair game for exam questions. Each exam is worth 80 points (20% of your final grade). Your lowest exam score will be dropped. Therefore, your three best exam scores will account for 60% of your final grade (240 points). For instance, if you do well on the first three exams, your grade on the cumulative final exam will not matter. If you are comfortable with your grade you do not need to take (or login) to the final exam. Or, if you do poorly on one of the first three exams, you can take the final exam to make up for it.
 - A study guide will be posted for each exam.
 - Exams are open book and open notes, but you need to take them by yourself. It is advised that you get your notes organized with lots of real world applications examples.

- Each exam will be open during each Unit's consolidation week from 7am Monday during the start of the week and close at 7pm on Friday to end the week. Also, please note that is East Lansing, MI time. Make sure to adjust if you are in a different time zone. See the course schedule at the end of syllabus for dates.
 - To get to each exam, click on "Assessments" then "Quizzes" on the D2L course webpage.
 - Once you start each exam, you will have 90 minutes to complete the exams. For those of you with extended time via your VISAs, Dr. Weaver will add in the extended time on D2L.
 - Ten questions will appear on the screen at a time, and you are allowed to backtrack.
 - Each exam question is worth 2 points each, and exam questions will be pulled from a pool of questions.
 - Please note each exam will close at 7pm (again, East Lansing, MI time), so if you start at 6:55pm you will only have 5 minutes to take the exam.
 - Grades will be posted the Monday following the closure of the exam. Exam 3 grades will be posted the Saturday following the closure of Exam 3.
 - Questions for exams will not be posted after, but you may view your exams with Dr. Weaver via Zoom. However, each exam must be looked at before the next exam is given. For example, after Exam 2 has been given you are no longer permitted to view Exam 1.
- **Makeup Quizzes and Exams:** Plan to complete your quizzes and exams by their due dates. Also, keep in mind the drops that are already built into the course. Obviously, things happen. If something happens that prevents you from completing a quiz or exam by the due date, **please try to notify Dr. Weaver by the end of the due date for the quiz or exam. Failure to notify Dr. Weaver within 5 class days will result in you not being allowed to makeup the quiz or exam.**
 - If you cannot take an exam or quiz because of a religious holiday, required participation in a university-sanctioned event (e.g., a commitment for a sports team), or some other acceptable event that can be foreseen, you must notify Dr. Weaver **at least two weeks in advance.**
 - **Extra Credit:** You may accumulate an additional 1% extra course points by participating in ongoing research. All such participation will be through the Department of Psychology's HPR (Human Participation in Research) / SONA program. You will receive 0.5 extra-credit points for each half-hour that you spend participating in an experiment or study, up to a maximum of 4 extra-credit points (or, 4 total hours = 8 half-hours). **More detailed information for setting up your HPR / SONA account and how to sign up for research hours will be provided on the D2L course webpage.**
 - **Alternative to research participation:** If you do not wish to participate in psychological research, you may write a research-based paper that is designed for this situation. Details about the paper requirements will be posted on D2L. All papers are due by April 22nd, 2022, at 7pm. The assignment folder will close promptly at 7pm, and no papers will be accepted after this. **There will be no exceptions to this rule.**

Grading: Your final grade will be based on the following course points:

Requirement	Points	% of final grade
Orientation Quiz	10	2.5%
Top 5 (out of 6) Discussion Boards	50	12.5%
Top 5 (out of 6) Quizzes	50	12.5%
Paper	50	12.5%
Top 3 (out of 4) Exam Scores	240	60%
Total	400	100%
Extra Credit	4	+1% potentially

The grading scale is as follows:

Total Points	Grade
358 – 400	4.0
338 – 357.99	3.5
318 – 337.99	3.0
298 – 317.99	2.5
278 – 297.99	2.0
258 – 277.99	1.5
238 – 257.99	1.0
0 – 237.99	0.0

Policy on grade changes: Extra credit is the only way to increase your point total if you are concerned about falling on the wrong side on one of these cut-offs. At the end of the semester, if you believe that an error was made in calculating your grade, please let Dr. Weaver know. Your grade will be checked and changed if an error was made. **This is the only circumstance under which your grade will change.** Under no circumstance will your grade be “bumped”, or a special extra credit opportunity be given. Please don’t ask. **There will be no exceptions.**

Cheating: Any student caught cheating on an exam, cheating on a quiz, plagiarizing within their paper, or plagiarizing within a discussion post will **receive a zero for the course, and be reported to the University.** **This includes sharing answers in any form via group messaging applications like GroupMe.**

Academic Honesty: Any and all forms of cheating are unacceptable. Students are expected to complete quizzes, exams, and written assignments individually and without outside help. Any student caught cheating on quizzes, exams, or written assignments will receive a zero in this course. Legalistic Details: Article 2.3.3 of the *Academic Freedom Report* states that "The student shares with the faculty the responsibility for maintaining the integrity of scholarship, grades, and professional standards." In addition, the Psychology Department adheres to the policies on academic honesty as specified in General Student Regulations 1.0, *Protection of Scholarship and Grades*; the all-University Policy on *Integrity of Scholarship and Grades*; and Ordinance 17.00, Examinations. For extensive details see *Spartan Life: Student Handbook and Resource Guide*. Further information about cheating can be found on a website provided by the MSU Ombudsperson (<https://ombud.msu.edu/resources-self-help/academic-integrity>). Make sure you are familiar with MSU definitions regarding academic dishonesty. Ignorance is not an excuse.

You are expected to develop original work for this course; therefore, unless authorized, you are expected to complete all course assignments, including homework and exams, without assistance from any source (except as specified in the assignment). This also means that you may not submit course work you completed for another course to satisfy the requirements for this course. In addition, plagiarism of written work is forbidden. It includes taking the work of another individual or source and presenting it as your own. This is considered plagiarism even if the source has given you permission to use their work, or the work is in the public domain (e.g., on the web). Students who violate MSU academic integrity rules may receive a penalty grade, including a failing grade on the assignment or in the course; and may be reported to the Office of Academic Affairs and the Office of Student Affairs. Contact Dr. Weaver if you are unsure about the appropriateness of your course work. Or, for examples of what constitutes plagiarism, see:

- <https://wts.indiana.edu/writing-guides/plagiarism.html>

Policy on Religious Observations: If you anticipate being unable to complete a graded portion of the course due to a major religious observance, please provide notice of the date(s) to Dr. Weaver, via email, by the 1/24/22.

Note taking and recording: As members of a learning community, students are expected to respect the intellectual property of course instructors. All course materials presented to students are the copyrighted property of the course instructor and are subject to the following conditions of use:

- Students may not post recordings or other course materials online or distribute them to anyone not enrolled in the class without the advance written permission of the course instructor and, if applicable, any students whose voice or image is included in the recordings.
- Commercialization of lecture notes and university-provided course materials is not permitted in this course.
- Any student violating the conditions described above may face academic disciplinary sanctions, including receiving a penalty grade in the course.

Accommodations for Students with Disabilities: Michigan State University is committed to providing equal opportunity for participation in all programs, services, and activities. Requests for accommodations by persons with disabilities may be made by contacting the Resource Center for Persons with Disabilities at 517-884-RCPD or on the web at <http://rcpd.msu.edu>. Once your eligibility for an accommodation has been determined, you will be issued a Verified Individual Services Accommodation ("VISA") form. **Please present this form to Dr. Weaver at the start of the term and/or two weeks prior to the accommodation date (exam, quiz, etc.) so the proper accommodations can be made.**

Academic Assistance: This is a university, and you are expected to produce college level work. If you have any trouble with the material covered in class, please make an appointment to speak with Dr. Weaver, or one of the course assistants. Additionally, the university has resources to assist students, such as the Campus Tutorial Center, the Campus Writing Center, Adult Student Services, and more. A lot is expected of you, but the university wants to help you to produce your best work.

Limits to Confidentiality: Please be aware that class materials are generally considered confidential pursuant to the University's student policies. However, all University employees, including instructors, cannot maintain confidentiality when it conflicts with their responsibility to report certain issues based on external legal obligations or health and safety considerations of MSU community members and others. Dr. Weaver and the Graduate TA for this course must report the following information (including your name and the details of the disclosure) to the Office of Inclusion if you share it with us:

- **Suspected child abuse/neglect, even if this maltreatment happened when you were a child,**
- **Allegations of sexual assault or sexual harassment when they involve MSU students, faculty or staff, and**
- **Credible threats of harm to oneself or to others.**

The Office of Inclusion will reach out to you via a confidential email, to see if you would like to pursue legal action and to provide you with additional university resources. **You have the right to choose whether or not you would like to utilize any of these services or even respond to the university's email.** If you would like to talk about these events in a more confidential setting, you are encouraged to make an appointment with the MSU Counseling Center (<https://caps.msu.edu/>).

While this policy will be discussed and critiqued throughout the semester, it is an MSU required mandate that Dr. Weaver and the Graduate TA for this course are required to follow as MSU employees. Given this, **you should not disclose experiences of abuse or sexual violence related to MSU unless you are comfortable having this information shared with the Office of Inclusion.** Despite the mandate, Dr. Weaver does not want to further the culture of silence surrounding abuse and sexual violence in this class. All are encouraged to use the resources listed below (not mandated university reporters) as they process their feelings and experiences in this course.

MSU Safe Place <http://safeplace.msu.edu/>

NCDSV <http://www.ncdsv.org/>

RAINN <https://rainn.org/>

Feministing <http://feministing.com/>

NRCDV <http://www.nrcdv.org/>

MCEDSV <http://www.mcedsv.org/>

The Joyful Heart Foundation <http://www.joyfulheartfoundation.org/>

Futures Without Violence <http://www.futureswithoutviolence.org/>

NNEVD <http://www.nnedv.org/>

No More <http://nomore.org/>

Course Climate: We are all working toward the same goals in this course! By building a strong learning community from the start, we will benefit.

- **Student-student interactions:** Part of being a strong group member is being a good listener or reader (depending on the course modality), being motivating and empathetic, and providing constructive feedback. We will focus on these characteristics throughout the semester.
- **Student-instructor interactions:** If you find that you have any trouble keeping up with assignments or other aspects of the course, make sure you let Dr. Weaver know as early as possible. As you will find, building rapport and effective relationships are key to becoming an effective professional. Make sure that you are proactive in informing Dr. Weaver when difficulties arise during the semester so that he can help you find a solution.
- **Disruptive Behavior:** Article 2.III.B.4 of the Student Rights and Responsibilities (<http://splife.studentlife.msu.edu/student-rights-and-responsibilities-at-michigan-state-university/article-2-academic-rights-and-responsibilities>) at Michigan State University states: “The student’s behavior in the classroom shall be conducive to the teaching and learning process for all concerned.” Article 2.III.B.10 (<http://splife.studentlife.msu.edu/student-rights-and-responsibilities-at-michigan-state-university/article-2-academic-rights-and-responsibilities>) states that “The student and the faculty share the responsibility for maintaining professional relationships based on mutual trust and civility.” General Student Regulation 5.02 (<http://splife.studentlife.msu.edu/regulations/general-student-regulations>) states: “No student shall obstruct, disrupt, or interfere with the functions, services, or directives of the University, its offices, or its employees (e.g., classes, social, cultural, and athletic events, computing services, registration, housing and food services, governance meetings, and hearings).” Students whose conduct adversely affects the learning environment in this classroom may be subject to disciplinary action through the Student Judicial Affairs office.
- **Appropriate Netiquette:** Below are the key elements that we can use together to build a strong learning community.
 - Be professional. Interact with your fellow classmates and instructor as you would in your professional life. Use appropriate language. Be clear and concise.
 - Have opinions but be respectful of disagreement.
 - Be cautious with humor or sarcasm. We do not want to create a dull environment devoid of fun, but it is very easy for these tones to be lost in text. If you want to make jokes or be sarcastic, indicate your intent with emoticons or a sarcasm tag “/s”.
 - **Be kind. Be respectful.**

Disclaimer: Below is a general indication of when we will cover the topics in the course. However, as the instructor, Dr. Weaver reserves the right to adjust this schedule according to the pace of the course and the needs of the students. This also includes making any changes that Dr. Weaver deems necessary to the details and/or policies listed in this syllabus. **Check D2L regularly to keep up with the topics. You will be given notice of any changes. Also, please know that you are responsible for keeping track of all due dates.**

PSY 339 (Section 1) Course Schedule for Spring 2022

Week: Dates	Meets	Topic(s)	Readings	Activities: Due Dates
Unit 1 Content		Unit 1 Content	Unit 1 Content	Unit 1 Content
1: 1/10 – 1/14	Online – Asynchronous	Syllabus; Getting to know the course; Getting to know each other		
2: 1/18 – 1/21	Online – Asynchronous	Introduction	Chapter 1 and any posted readings on D2L	

Week: Dates	Meets	Topic(s)	Readings	Activities: Due Dates
3: 1/24 – 1/28	Online – Asynchronous	Power and Privilege	Chapter 2 and any posted readings on D2L	Quiz #1 and Discussion Board #1 Due at 7pm on 1/28
4: 1/31 – 2/4	In-person Lectures on 2/1 & 2/3	Similarities and Differences	Chapter 3 and any posted readings on D2L	Discussion Board #2 Due at 7pm on 2/4
5: 2/7 – 2/11	In-person Lectures on 2/8 & 2/10	Beyond the Sex/Gender Binary	Chapter 4 and any posted readings on D2L	Quiz #2 Due at 7pm on 2/11
6: 2/14 – 2/18	Online – Asynchronous	Unit 1 Consolidation Week	Exam 1 covers material (readings & lectures) for chapters 1, 2, 3, & 4	Discussion Board #1 & #2 edits due at 7pm on 2/16 (if needed) Orientation Quiz and Exam 1 close at 7pm on 2/18
Unit 2 Content		Unit 2 Content	Unit 2 Content	Unit 2 Content
7: 2/21 – 2/25	In-person Lectures on 2/12 & 2/24	Gender Socialization	Chapter 5 and any posted readings on D2L	
8: 2/28 – 3/4	In-person Lectures on 3/1 & 3/3	Women's Bodies	Chapter 6 and any posted readings on D2L	Quiz #3 and Discussion Board #3 Due at 7pm on 3/4
3/7 – 3/11	Not meeting	Spring Break	None	Stay Safe! Have Fun!
9: 3/14 – 3/18	In-person Lectures on 3/15 & 3/17	Sexuality and Sexualization	Chapter 7 and any posted readings on D2L	Discussion Board #4 Due at 7pm on 3/18
10: 3/21 – 3/25	In-person Lectures on 3/22 & 3/24	Relationships	Chapter 8 and any posted readings on D2L	Quiz #4 and Paper Due at 7pm on 3/25
11: 3/28 – 4/1	Online – Asynchronous	Unit 2 Consolidation Week	Exam 2 covers material (readings & lectures) for chapters 5, 6, 7, & 8	Discussion Board #3 & #4 edits due at 7pm on 3/30 (if needed) Exam 2 closes at 7pm on 4/1
Unit 3 Content		Unit 3 Content	Unit 3 Content	Unit 3 Content
12: 4/4 – 4/8	In-person Lectures on 4/5 & 4/7	Reproduction and Mothering	Chapter 9 and any posted readings on D2L	Discussion Board #5 Due at 7pm on 4/8

Week: Dates	Meets	Topic(s)	Readings	Activities: Due Dates
13: 4/11 – 4/15	In-person Lectures on 4/12 & 4/14	Work	Chapter 10 and any posted readings on D2L	Quiz #5 and Discussion Board #6 Due at 7pm on 4/15
14: 4/18 – 4/22	In-person Lectures on 4/19 & 4/21	Gender-Based Violence	Chapter 12 and any posted readings on D2L	Quiz #6 Due at 7pm on 4/22
15: 4/25 – 4/29	Online – Asynchronous	Unit 3 Consolidation Week	Exam 3 covers material (readings & lectures) for chapters 9, 10, & 12	Discussion Board #5 & #6 edits due at 7pm on 4/29 (if needed) Exam 3 closes at 7pm on 4/29 SONA System closes at 5pm on 4/29
16: 5/2 – 5/6	Online – Asynchronous	Final Exam (if needed)	Cumulative	Final Exam closes at 7pm on 5/6