COURSE SYLLABUS

PHL 101  Comparative Religions I

CREDIT HOURS:  3.00

CONTACT HOURS:  45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This course covers the development of traditional religions and it explores world concepts with an emphasis on Judaism, Christianity and Islam.

PREREQUISITES:  NONE

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:
Upon completion of this course, the student will:
1. Explore the variety of beliefs of the world’s major religions.
2. Identify similarities and differences among Eastern and Western religions.
3. Discuss a variety of definitions of religion.
4. Discuss basic religions.
5. Discuss American Indian & African traditional religions.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:
Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:
90%-100% = A
80%-89.9% = B
70%-79.9% = C
60%-69.9% = D
<60% = E