

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

GEOGRAPHY 4911 FAO RECREATION AND TOURISM FALL 2020

CONTACT INFORMATION

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DELIVERY LOCATION

Times ZOOM T/TH 1:00-2:30

COURSE DESCRIPTION

An introduction to the fields of recreation and tourism as elements of geographic study. Examination of how the spatial distribution of these activities is related to economic, cultural and environmental conditions. The interrelationship between recreation and tourist activities will be examined via discussion of types of activity and planning for the future. The effects of COVID-19 will be discussed.

REQUIRED MATERIALS

Required Text: C. M. Hall & S. J. Page (2014) *The Geography of Tourism and Recreation* (4th ed) London: Routledge.

ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Lecture slides will be available on D2L. The following articles will also be available:
 Horne, W.R. How Students Spend Their Time, *The Learning Assistance Review* V5.2
 Horne, W.R. Municipal Economic Development via Hallmark Tourist Events
The Journal of Tourism Studies V11.1
 Horne, W.R. Orillia's Got Talent: Developing Tourism with Non-stop Entertainment.
Journal of Rural and Community Development V5 #4,

EVALUATION

| Component | Value | Due Date |
|--------------------|-------|--|
| Diary Assignment | 25% | Part 1: Sept 10 Part 2: Sept 13-19 Part 3: Sept 24 |
| Journal Assignment | 20% | Start Sept 14 due Nov 26 |
| Essay Assignment | 25% | Oct 22 |
| Final Exam | 30% | Set by Registrar |

COURSE POLICIES

Attendance is expected.

Requests for late submission must be made BEFORE the due date

Penalty for, late submissions 10% unless medical or compassionate grounds arranged before due date.

EXAM must be written on date scheduled.

Assignments:

Assignments are due in class on the date specified. Instructions will be posted on D2L well in advance of due dates.

EXAM: A multiple choice test done on line or in class as situation may allow.

MISSED EXAMS

Make-up examinations will only be given with written documentation from a healthcare practitioner using the official Student Health Certificate, available at

<https://www.lakeheadu.ca/studentcentral/exams-grades/misled-exam-medical-personal>

Final examinations run from Dec 10th -21st inclusive. **There will be no rescheduling of examinations to accommodate holiday travel or extracurricular activities. No one will be allowed to write examinations prior to the scheduled date.**

DO NOT PLAN YOUR VACATION BEFORE EXAM DATES ARE POSTED

GRADING SCHEME

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| A+ | 90 to 100% | Outstanding understanding of the course concepts including integration of materials and ideas, ability to apply knowledge to situations |
| A | 80 to 89% | |
| B | 70 to 79% | Above average to excellent knowledge, ability to apply knowledge to situations |
| C | 60 to 69% | Satisfactory knowledge including ability to recognise and apply major course concepts, and to progress to next level of course |
| D | 50 to 59% | Some grasp of course concepts; will likely encounter difficulty with higher levels |
| E | 40 to 49% | Failed to meet minimum requirements of the course |
| F | 1 to 39% | Failure |

COURSE SCHEDULE

Depending on COVID-19 situation classes may be either in person or on-line However the following dates will be adhered to as much as possible.

| Week | Date | Topic | READING |
|------|-----------|---|---|
| 1 | Sept8/10 | Introduction | TEXT Chapter 1 Submit A1 Part 1 Sept 10 |
| 2 | 15/17 | Demand Factors | Chp 2 Keep Diary Sunday-Saturday |
| 3 | 22/24 | continued | Submit A 1 Part 3 Sept 24 |
| 4 | 29/Oct 1 | Supply Factors | Chp 3 |
| 5 | Oct 6/8 | continued | |
| | Oct 13/15 | Reading Week | |
| 6 | 20/22 | Impact Factors | Chp 4 Essay Due Oct 22 |
| 7 | 27/29 | Urban recreation and tourism | Chp 5 |
| 8 | Nov 3/5 | Rural recreation and tourism | Chp 6 Withdrawal deadline Nov 6 |
| 9 | 10/12 | Wilderness and Parks recreation/tourism | Chp 7 |
| 10 | 17/19 | Coastal and Marine Recreation/Tourism | Chp 8 |
| 11 | 24/26 | Recreation and Tourism Planning | Chp 9 Journal due Nov 26 |
| 12 | Dec 1/3 | Future Prospects and Review | Chp 10 |
| | | | Final Exam set by Registrar |

NOTE: Any important announcements, including changes in due dates will be announced in-class and sent to your University email account

GENERAL REGULATIONS

Student Affairs (Orillia) coordinate services and facilitates reasonable academic accommodations for students with disabilities. Academic accommodations are provided on the basis of documentation of a disability. Additional information is available at the following campus websites: <https://www.lakeheadu.ca/faculty-and-staff/departments/services/sa-orillia> Note special regulations related to COVID-19

ACADEMIC DISHONESTY

The University takes a most serious view of offences against academic honesty such as plagiarism, cheating and impersonation. Penalties for dealing with such offences will be strictly enforced.

A copy of the "Code of Student Behaviour and Disciplinary Procedures" including sections on plagiarism and other forms of misconduct may be obtained from the Office of the Registrar.
<https://www.lakeheadu.ca/...academic/academic.../academic-dishonesty- regulations>

The following rules shall govern the treatment of candidates who have been found guilty of attempting to obtain academic credit dishonestly.

- (a) The minimum penalty for a candidate found guilty of plagiarism, or of cheating on any part of a course will be a zero for the work concerned.
- (b) A candidate found guilty of cheating on a formal examination or a test, or of serious or repeated plagiarism, or of unofficially obtaining a copy of an examination paper before the examination is scheduled to be written, will receive zero for the course and may be expelled from the University.

Students disciplined under the Code of Student Behaviour and Disciplinary Procedures may appeal their case through the Judicial Panel.

Note: "Plagiarism" shall be deemed to include:

1. Plagiarism of ideas as where an idea of an author or speaker is incorporated into the body of an assignment as though it were the writer's idea, i.e. no credit is given the person through referencing or footnoting or endnoting.
2. Plagiarism of words occurs when phrases, sentences, tables or illustrations of an author or speaker are incorporated into the body of a writer's own, i.e. no quotations or indentations (depending on the format followed) are present but referencing or footnoting or endnoting is given.
3. Plagiarism of ideas and words as where words and an idea(s) of an author or speaker are incorporated into the body of a written assignment as though they were the writer's own words and ideas, i.e. no quotations or indentations (depending on format followed) are present and no referencing or footnoting or endnoting is given.
4. The submission of any work that was not the original work of the submitter.
5. the submission of the same work for two courses without the permission of both instructors.