2024 - 2025 General Education Assessment Plan

Department: Theology, Philosophy, and Biblical Languages

Date:November 18, 2024

Course(s) to be Assessed: Rel 131

Course(s) is (check one): Cornerstones - X Living Stones -

Enduring Question to be assessed (check one):

1. What is the basis of my faith and how does this inform how I should live my life? (Cornerstone Courses Only) X

2. What does the study of creation tell me about God, myself, and how I should care for it? (Natural Sciences, Computer Science & Math, HHP)

3. Who are my neighbors and how should I love them?

(Business, HSS, Hist/Geog/IS & MFL, ECTA)

4. How has God Designed humankind to be creators in service to God and neighbor? (ECTA, Art, Music)

Methodology - Enduring Question:

1. What data (i.e. artifact, question from an exam, total exam score, assignment) will be collected to assess the enduring question?

Total exam scores from Rel 131 during both the first and second semesters.

- a. How does this data address the assessment question?

 The data will demonstrate to what degree the student has gained the ability to comprehend the questions focusing on biblical and theological questions related to the Christian faith.
 - i. Include/attach a description/example of assessment tool to be used.
- 2. How will data be collected? Exam scores will be collected from Rel 131 for both first and second semesters of the 2024-25 academic year.

Analysis of Artifacts:

- 1) How will the artifacts be analyzed? (attach rubrics/scoring tools if used): A statistical analysis of the student exam scores for Rel 131, arriving at a mean score for the assignment.
- 2) Have you established benchmarks for success? (i.e. score required by % of students): A score of 80% or better will be required of 70% of the students in the classes.

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Assessment Committee Reviewed (Date): 12/4/24

Department Chair notified of approval/or additional action needed: Approved