PHILOSOPHY 1110 (IAI H4 904)
Ethics
3 credit hours

This is an information sheet only, not the course syllabus.

COURSE DESCRIPTION
Study of the elements of ethics, including principle ethical theories, principles, concepts and meanings, and their practical application to moral problems, dilemmas and decisions.
Prerequisite: Course requires Reading Placement Test Score-Category One. (3 lecture hours)

Instructor Note: We will study ethical theory and its application from the perspective of diverse traditions from around the world, both in their contemporary form as well as from antiquity. The focus of the first part of the course will be on meta-ethical systems of thought that support specific ethical arguments. The second part of the course will be an exploration of the application of these theories to contemporary ethical issues.

REQUIRED AND RECOMMENDED COURSE MATERIALS
Please follow the instructions below to locate information on the textbook and other materials for this course.

1. From COD home page, click on myACCESS.
2. Click on Search for Credit Classes.
3. From the Term drop-down box select the term.
4. Choose your course from the Subjects drop-down menu.
5. In the Course # field, enter your course number.
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7. From the Course Types drop-down menu select Internet/Online.
8. Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on SUBMIT.
9. Click on the Section Name and Title link.
10. Click on Click here for prices of required textbook(s) and supplies and course material information will be displayed.

Alternatively, you can visit the COD Bookstore website to find this information.

Note: Your primary text comes bundled from COD with an access code for the textbook’s Premium website.
**COURSE OUTLINE**

| Part I: Ethical Theory | Unit 1: The Nature of Ethics  
|                        | Unit 2: Classical Ethical Theories |
| Part II: Ethical Issues | Unit 3: Sexuality and Reproduction  
|                        | Unit 4: Social Justice and Conflict  
|                        | Unit 5: Science |

**EVALUATION/GRADING**  
Grade Distribution – Grades will be determined through several methods of assessment.  
Quizzes: 60% Midterm Paper: 20% Final Paper: 20%

Success in this course is strongly dependent upon both the student’s ability to be consistent in the amount of time spent on the course throughout the term as well as their willingness to be a proactive learner who can make use of diverse learning resources. Please, seriously consider if you have ample time available to dedicate to this course.

**SATISFACTORY/FAIL OPTION**  
The S/F grade option is not available to students in this course.

**INCOMPLETE GRADE POLICY**  
The Incomplete grade option is not available to students in this course.