

Mr. Waddell's Govt 2306

Reviewing the Basics

Office Hours

- Monday & Wednesday-
 - 9:30 -10:50 am, 12:30-2:30 pm (also from 6:00 to 7:00 pm on Mondays)
- Tuesday & Thursday
 - 8:00 -9:15 am, 1:00-2:00 pm
 - (I will generally be in my office until 5:00 on Tuesdays and 3:00 pm on Thursdays)
- Fridays
 - 8:00 to 9:00 am (I am generally around until much later in the afternoon, but I never know what meetings I will be asked to attend)
- If you need to meet at a different time, just let me know.

Grades

- There are three components:
 - Unit exams
 - Term Project
 - Extra credit projects
- The term project assignment is posted on the Canvas, Galveston College's learning management system,

Exams

- The unit exams will consist of two parts, an essay section and multiple choice questions. Each exam is worth 100 points
 - The essays will be based on the Reading Test Questions over the material in the textbook.
 - The multiple choice questions will be largely derived from the materials we cover in class

Term Project

- The term project is designed to accomplish the following:
 - Enhance your research skills
 - Demonstrate your writing proficiency.
 - Develop critical thinking skills

Extra Credit Projects

- There are several extra credit options. Each is designed to allow you to accomplish several goals:
 - Encourage the student to enhance their grade in the course.
 - Allow the student to put to use the materials that they have been exposed to in the course.
 - Expose the student to the options to gain additional information not directly covered in the course.

Using Canvas

- The following are posted on Canvas
 - Syllabus
 - Lecture Notes
 - Reading Test Questions
 - Instructions for Term Project
 - Extra Credit Projects
 - Calendar of assignments

Using Canvas

- Canvas is the online Learning Management System used by Galveston College
- You may access it from the GC Homepage or directly at <http://gc.instructure.com>
- Login using your Whitecaps login information.