

COURSE SLO ASSESSMENT REPORT, SCC

Department: Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences Division

Course: Physical Geography 101 Section 75867

Year: 2013

Semester: Fall

1) Outcome to be assessed	2) Means of assessment and criteria of success	3) Summary of data collected	4) Analysis of data	5) Plan of action/what to do next
1. Analyze various meteorological and geomorphologic phenomena.	SLO 1 – Assessment Tool Questions: 2, 3,11, 12, &13	SLO 1 – 70% of the students answering 3 or more questions correctly	SLO-1=3/5 Questions were answered collect.	Physical geography 101 was very challenging, with unfavorable student learning outcomes. The course is scheduled to meet at 7:00 am T & Th for 18 weeks with many materials to cover, still most students engaged in full time jobs while struggling with early morning class. Though previous students have done well in this class, but young students that made up most the class refused to work extra hard therefore, did not perform well in this class. Because of their respective full time jobs, they fall short from completing extra credit projects assigned in the class. New plan to be considered is to increase the percentage of class and home work exercises to 70% because it worked in other classes I have taught. Time management between jobs and classrooms should also be discussed next semester this class will be taught.
2. Evaluate cause and effect relationships. Interpret maps and information charts.	SLO 2 – Assessment Tool Questions: 15,16, 18, 19 &20	SLO 2 – 70% of the students answering 3 or more questions correctly.	SLO-2=2/5 Questions were answered collect.	
3. Develop a vocabulary that incorporates terms specific to physical geography and earth systems.	SLO 3 – Assessment Tool Questions: 5,8,9,10, 14,&17	SLO 3 – 70% of the students answering at least 4 or more questions correctly	SLO-3=3/6 Questions were answered collect.	
4. Develop an appreciation and knowledge of physical landscapes leading to a better understanding of global environmental challenges.	SLO 4 – Assessment Tool Questions: 1,4,6,&7	SLO 4 – 70% of the students answering at least 3 or more questions correctly	SLO-4=3/4 Questions were answered collect.	