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**Message**

 Dear Nathon,

 Upon thinking about this, I can't let you present today. I have tried to reach out to you several times during the semester. I also sent you an email last week telling you that I can't let you present if I don't know what your topic is.

 We can talk about this after class, or before class if you make it with time to spare. I apologize but this is a situation that you created

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**Message**

Dear Nathon,

Please revise your presentation. Calling a group of people "the Whites" or "the Blacks" is language that is not conducive to intercultural communication. Please revise this and resend it.

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## Message

Dear class,

Please find the presentation sign up list on the Content page of D2L. If you were absent on Monday, I have signed you up in the available day/time slot.

* We will be running short on time so **we will start immediately** at 11am on Monday.
* If you are late, please **do not walk in** while your colleague is presenting, but wait until their presentation is over.
* Please review the presentation description (also on D2L). Please review the rubric. You must cover **all the criteria** for a full grade.
* You must present for a minimum of **ten minutes**. If you only present for five, I will ask you to elaborate and answer questions until your ten minutes are up.
* You must also provide me with a **descriptive handout.**
* Please remember that if you want to use a powerpoint, you can either **email it** to me or **bring a USB** with your slides on it.
* **There will be no make-ups**. If you do not show up for your presentation or are not ready when it is your turn, you will forfeit the grade.
* Finally, **attendance** will still be taken each day. Just because you presented does not mean you can choose to no longer attend. Your peers need an audience to present to. Please make sure you are courteous and show up the same way other students show up to your presentation.

Enjoy your Thanksgivings and weekends! Eat well and be merry. Also, stay warm. A blizzard is a'coming :)

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## Message

Dear class,

This is a reminder email for those in class, and an informative email for those who weren't in class today, that I agreed to provide extra credit to the entire class should every student complete the course evals. If I see a 100% course eval completion on my end, I will provide extra credit. Not 99%, not 98%...

Please take five minutes to fill out the course eval to support me, to support your fellow students, and to support yourselves. It's a win-win-win!

Best,

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**Message**

Dear intercultural communicators,

Please take a look at the email message below. I am not sure if any of you attended the screening of this documentary on campus last week, but here is a chance to learn more about a culture you may not be familiar with if you are so inclined. In fact, if you attend and write up a 2-3 page report of your visit and tie it back to the class (check-in style), I will give you 5 points extra credit on your final grade in this class. I will also need a letter from the Interfaith Student Alliance confirming your attendance to be stapled to the report.

Yay, cultural learning!

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As a follow-up to the screening of the film *Waking in Oak Creek*, the Interfaith Student Alliance of the Community College of Aurora is pleased to host **a tour of the Sikh Gurdwara** (temple) in Commerce City **on Saturday, November 21**.  Please share this information with students who may be interested.  
 **The agenda will be as follows:**6:45 p.m. – Arrival  
7:00 p.m. – Guided Tour  
8:00 p.m. – Observe Worship Service (optional)  
A *langar* (free community meal) will be served following worship.  
Please be respectful of our hosts by remembering that:

* We cannnot wear shoes inside the gurdwara. (Warm socks, however, are okay).
* We must cover our heads. (Head coverings are provided for both men and women, but most women prefer to bring their own scarves.)
* No tobacco or drugs are allowed in the facilities. (Prescription drugs are fine.)
* It is not necessary to eat dinner if you are staying for the *langar* (free vegetarian meal).
* We will sit on the floor, so comfortable clothes are suggested (no shorts).

**Address and Contact Information:**Colorado Singh Sabha  
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[http://www.coloradosinghsabha.org](https://owa.cccs.edu/owa/redir.aspx?SURL=0OG7LWIPitX6kroYjbtCf-Y6k520INpezQlnuT3OPE3vftSzOvDSCGgAdAB0AHAAOgAvAC8AdwB3AHcALgBjAG8AbABvAHIAYQBkAG8AcwBpAG4AZwBoAHMAYQBiAGgAYQAuAG8AcgBnAA..&URL=http%3a%2f%2fwww.coloradosinghsabha.org)  
**Registration:**  Please fill out the following web form and field trip waiver to participate:[https://www.ccaurora.edu/waking-tour](https://owa.cccs.edu/owa/redir.aspx?SURL=PXYUmXUVvmYKU56QNddpkOr2IDjWZFqlphBZigphNhPvftSzOvDSCGgAdAB0AHAAcwA6AC8ALwB3AHcAdwAuAGMAYwBhAHUAcgBvAHIAYQAuAGUAZAB1AC8AdwBhAGsAaQBuAGcALQB0AG8AdQByAA..&URL=https%3a%2f%2fwww.ccaurora.edu%2fwaking-tour)   
  
Thanks for your support!!!  
  
  
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## Message

Hi class,

I came across this video today and thought it would be useful to share and continue the conversation about cultural appropriation we had on Wednesday:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KXejDhRGOuI>

Food for thought :)

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## Message

Dear class,

I have uploaded the presentation assignment handout on D2L under Content > Assignments and Rubrics. Please let me know if you have any questions. I am excited for your presentations :)

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## Message

Dear class,

Please look at the list below and see if any of these apply to you:

**INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS**

-General Criteria-

**CCA Senior Citizen Grant:**  Must be a Colorado resident and ***60 years or older***.  50% Discount on resident Tuition (max 12 credits per semester)

**CCA Advance Scholarship**:  Must have a cumulative ***3.5 GPA,***be enrolled in a minimum of six credit hours, have not yet earned a Bachelor’s degree, be a Colorado resident. Recent high school graduates or GED recipients may also qualify, see application for details \*\*

**CCA Aurorian Scholarship:**  Must be in first semester following an ***absence of at least three years*** from formal education, be enrolled in a minimum of six credit hours, have not yet earned a Bachelor’s degree, be a Colorado resident \*\*

**CCA Colorado Merit Aid Award:**  Must have a cumulative **2.75 GPA** or higher, be enrolled in a minimum of 12 credit hours, have not yet earned a Bachelor’s degree, be a Colorado resident. Recent high school graduates or GED recipients may qualify, see application for details \*\*

**CCA Launch Your Future Scholarship:**  Must have ***Graduated from High School within the last 24 months*** with a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, or earned a GED within the last 24 months with a Battery Average of 570 or higher.  Must be in your first semester of college coursework, be in your first semester at CCA, be enrolled in a minimum of six credit hours, have not earned a Bachelor’s degree, be a Colorado resident \*\*

**Daniel’s Boundless Opportunity Scholarship:**Designed for adult students age 25 or older in their ***FINAL semester at CCA*** (graduating Spring 2016) \*\*

**Pick up application in the Financial Aid office or online at**[**http://www.ccaurora.edu/getting-started/paying-college/scholarships-grants/grants**](https://owa.cccs.edu/owa/redir.aspx?SURL=t4l1-JThXwadNEVjBPhBXvJMQsAPIL9tPcDnmJ6hiyljfmjF--XSCGgAdAB0AHAAOgAvAC8AdwB3AHcALgBjAGMAYQB1AHIAbwByAGEALgBlAGQAdQAvAGcAZQB0AHQAaQBuAGcALQBzAHQAYQByAHQAZQBkAC8AcABhAHkAaQBuAGcALQBjAG8AbABsAGUAZwBlAC8AcwBjAGgAbwBsAGEAcgBzAGgAaQBwAHMALQBnAHIAYQBuAHQAcwAvAGcAcgBhAG4AdABzAA..&URL=http%3a%2f%2fwww.ccaurora.edu%2fgetting-started%2fpaying-college%2fscholarships-grants%2fgrants)**.**

\*\*Applicants must meet general financial aid requirements

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## Message

Hello class,

It has been brought to my attention that the micro aggression reading is not on D2L. I just got an email about this two hours ago. It is half my responsibility to make sure they are up there and half your responsibility to reach out if something is missing on D2L.

I am hoping this is not a reflection that the class does not do the readings...

This is the link: <https://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/microaggressions-in-everyday-life/201010/racial-microaggressions-in-everyday-life>

It is short. Read it.

Thank you to the student who actually paid attention. There may be a quiz, just for kicks.

See you tomorrow,

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## Message

Dear class,

I am aware the reading for Monday is not up yet. Due to technical difficulties, we will flip the schedule for this week. Please note we will discuss microaggressions on Monday, and Conflict on Wednesday.

Thanks,

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## Message

Hi class,

I was asked to share the following information with you. There is a fair for life after graduation from CCA on Thursday on our campus! Don't miss out!

FALL TRANSFERFairs @ CCA

Lowry! Tuesday, October 27th

11am to 2:30pm

CentreTech! Thursday, October 29th

11am TO 2:30pm

We want to help with the decision process about where to go after CCA!

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## Message

Dear class,

Please note that Study Guide #3 is up, as is the pop culture powerpoint.

Best,

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## Message

Hi class!

Thank you for such a great discussion this week. It is a pleasure to learn from you and with you as we continue engaging with intercultural communication topics.

I wanted to share a few links that I came across to carry on our momentum. The first was shared by Zachary in relation to our conversation today about difference,  privilege, and polyphony: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ea_xOqNvntA>

The other is one shared by a friend of mine that reminded me of the ball pit video we watched today:<http://www.huffingtonpost.com/entry/israel-hummus-cafe-discount-arabs-jews_56263e9be4b02f6a900dc495?section=impact&ncid=fcbklnkushpmg00000054>

Every small action matters.

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**Message**

Hi Nathon,

I understand that life gets in the way sometimes, but I do want to make sure you can succeed in this class. Do you have an immersion group? Have you attended any meetings or immersed yourself in any way? If you have, then we might be able to do something about this situation if I give you an extension that you will promise to meet. If you haven't, then it will be very hard for you to catch up at this point. The 3rd check-in is due this week, and the immersion project was intended to begin on the third week of the semester. What is your progress in regards to this?

I can accept a late journal entry (highest grade will be a B).

Also, you can't miss another class until the end of the semester.

Does all of that sound like something you can do? If you have am immersion group and have already immersed yourself, then I will give you a deadline for the two check-ins that you missed and the journal entry.

Looking forward to hearing from you, and hopefully reconciling this.

Best,

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At 2:03 AM on Saturday, October 17, 2015, nmill117@ucourses.com wrote

I truly apologist for the fact that you even have to write this this email to me, i've been a little distracted thus far this semester and am ready to turn the other cheek so whatever you think is the best next for me i'm wiling to do so

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At 7:02 PM on Friday, October 16, 2015, sshukri@ucourses.com wrote

Dear Nathon,

I hope you are well and having a good week. I am writing to you to check in about your progress in the class. As you are aware, several assignment deadlines have now passed and I do not have any of your work to grade or give you credit for. You at this point are missing one journal entry, and two immersion project check-ins. In fact, I don't know what your immersion group is.

You have also been absent for at 5 days, while the syllabus states:

* Per CCA’s Communication Program policy, more than 6 absences (or the equivalent of 20% of the course) means **you will not be able to pass this class with the final grade of “C” or higher.**

I am not sure how you want to proceed. As you know, CCA has a midterm early reporting system so that you can work with an advisor regarding options to succeed in the class. If you would like to go through that process, I am willing to work with you to try and help you pass the class.

Please let me know how you want to proceed. I appreciate your presence in class.

Best,

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## Message

Dear class,

It has come to my attention that Journal 1 & 2 were scheduled for today on D2L. It has further come to my attention that there is no Journal 2 due date on the syllabus. Whoops. Please forgive me. Somehow this got past me, my supervisor, and all of you (come on now! There's 21 of you!).

Please be advised that Journal #2 is due on 11/4 and Journal #3 is due the last day of class on 12/9.

All order is restored. Have a great weekend :)

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**Message**

Dear Nathon,

It was brought to my attention yesterday that you were on your phone for the majority of the class yesterday while you were sitting next to the head of the department, my supervisor. Needless to say, this does not reflect well on you nor does it reflect well on me. Vicki spoke to me about it at length and it was unfortunate for me to feel as though you could not hold back on such actions, not only for your sake and the sake of the class and the sake of my policy in the syllabus, but also could not hold back while sitting next to someone like Vicki who is assessing the class.

I am a little hurt, and a little disappointed. At this point, I will direct you to the policy on electronic devices as stated in the syllabus:

***Electronic Devices***

As we build an engaged, supportive, and respectful classroom environment, I expect you to cease all unnecessary use of electronic devices including cell phones, laptops, and mp3 players) during class. Texting is strictly prohibited. If I see you on your phone during class, I will deduct **2-points** from your **final** grade. If you have an emergency and need to use your cell phone, please keep it on silent and exit the classroom to have your conversation. Never leave during student presentations. On some occasions, I will ask you to bring your laptops to class to complete classroom activities. I will announce these occasions beforehand. Finally, feel free to use your laptop or an audio recording device to make notes if you find it helpful; however, if you wish to use a laptop/iPad, you must ALWAYS sit in the front row, center.

I will deduct:

* **2-points** from your **final** grade if you are distracted/surfing/Facebook-ing on your laptop.
* **2-points** from your **final** grade if you text/surf the Internet on your device.

**EXCEPTIONS:**  If you have a situation occurring in your personal life that would require you to use your phone or another electronic or battery operated device, NOTIFY THE INSTRUCTOR. **This is not a zero tolerance policy; this is a reasonable tolerance policy.**

Since I did not see you, consider this a warning. From here on out, if I see you on your phone please note that I will deduct 2-points. Every time. If there is an emergency or a pressing concern, please let me know ahead of time. I am not an unreasonable person.

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## Message

Dear class,

I hope your weekends are going well. Considering the difficulty that some of you have found in identifying your immersion group, I am forced to revisit the schedule and shift the check-in and journal assignments by a week. So your first check in is now due on 9/23 and your first journal entry is due 9/30. I will upload the most updated version of the schedule by tonight. What this means is that you first check-in is **not**due this Wednesday.

**This is meant to give you at least a week more to immerse yourself in a group**. I do this for you, so you have something to write about. We will discuss this more on Wednesday.

If you have not already done so, email me about your group immediately. I will not accept any of your check-ins without approving your group beforehand.

As a reminder, I will not be in class on Monday. Your test will be given out to you by Dr. Leah Seurer.

Best,

Salma Shukri, PhD

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## Message

Dear class,

I wanted to draw your attention to a mistake in the syllabus. For Monday, we will read Chapter Two (pp. 25-**31**) and Chapter Three. I apologize if this caused any confusion. I meant to mention this on Wednesday but we ran out of time with the discussion question sign-up situation.

Also, please note that the classroom constitution is now up on D2L. Should we need to make any amendments to it, please notify me and we can readdress it as a class. The powerpoint from Wednesday is also up.

Tomorrow morning, I will upload a copy of the discussion question sign-up sheet in the case that anyone forgot to write down the days they signed up for. I'm excited to get started with them!

Best,

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## Message

Hello everyone,

My name is Salma and I am your instructor for Intercultural Communication this summer. I am excited to start our semester together as we explore issues of difference, culture, power, and coexistence through our shared experiences. I am excited to get us talking and thinking about how these issues impact our everyday!

I am writing to remind you that our first class is this Monday, August 24th at 11 in classroom 102. I look forward to meeting you all and starting our journey together.

Best,

Salma