

**GHANA COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY**  
**AFRICAN STUDIES COURSE OUTLINE**

**Session 1: Culture and Development in Africa**

Identify and examine Africa culture in the context of modernity and development.

**Session 2: African Moral Values**

Classify the features of the moral codes or values of African culture and explain their importance to the people and their societies.

**Session 3: African Popular Culture and Festivals**

Examine and discuss some African festivals and their roles to the developmental needs of the people.

**Session 4: Religion and Worldview**

Discuss why religion is important factor in the determination of African worldview.

**Session 5: Africa in the Contemporary World**

Outline issues and problems facing African countries today.

**Session 6: Traditional and Modern Leadership in Africa**

Identify and discuss the leadership styles that have emerged on the African continent.

**Session 7: Gender Roles, Marriage and Family**

Gender roles, marital and family structure and its impact on African development.

**Session 8: Agriculture and Development in Africa**

Critically analyse the food insecurity problem in Africa and suggest measures that can be taken collectively to achieve food security in a named Africa.