

Public Input Template–2020 Ethnic Studies Model Curriculum May 2019 Draft

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General	Carol Thom	<p><i>While you mention Jewish American Studies along with all the other ethnicities, it appears that you left out the unit specifically for Jewish American Studies. For example:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • samplecoursemodelsesmc includes African American Studies Course Outline, Chicana/o/x and Latina/o/x Studies Course Outline, Asian American Studies Course Outline, and so on, but there is no Jewish American Studies Course Outline. • appendicesesmc also includes units for these other studies, but none for Jewish Studies. <p><i>At a time when antisemitism is at a high and is so overt, I think any ethnic studies course has to include a course in Jewish American studies.</i></p>