

Course Code: HIS 169

Course Title: England in the Middle Ages

Department: Arts, Media, and Social Sciences

Effective Date: Summer 2026

PCS Code: 1.1 - Baccalaureate/Transfer

CIP Code: 54.0101

Repeatability: 0

Credit Hours

Catalog Notation: 3-0-3

Credit Hour Distribution:

Lecture: 3

Lab: 0

Clinical: 0

Total: 3

General Course Information

Catalog Description

Study of medieval history focusing on events surrounding Norman Conquest of England in 1066.
(Canterbury Program only)

General Course Objectives

- To provide students with a better understanding of events in the Middle Ages.
- To introduce students to the study in translation of Medieval sources.
- To help students profit from the historical and architectural inheritance of Canterbury and its region.

Minimum Placement Levels

English	Reading	Math
Placement out of ENG 098	Placement out of CCS 098	None

Prerequisites

None

Methods of Evaluation

Students take a midterm and a final exam; both are mixed objective-essay exams. Students are required to complete a reading and writing assignment which is usually a 2,000 word research paper which makes use of both primary and secondary sources.

Instructional Materials and Additional Supplies

None.

Course Content

General Learning Outcomes (GLOs)

- Critical Thinking and Information Literacy: Students will demonstrate the ability to evaluate perspectives, evidence, and implications, and to locate, assess, and use information effectively.
- Global Awareness and Cultural Reasoning: Students will demonstrate their understanding of global issues, gender and sexual orientation, and multicultural perspectives.

Course Segments and Student Learning Outcomes

Course Segment	Learning Outcomes	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours
The Nature of Medieval History and The Norman Conquest	1. Understand the nature of medieval history and the relationships between England and the rest of Europe. 2. Examine the Norman Conquest, its causes, and its broader significance in English and European history. 3. Analyze the Domesday Book and the Bayeux Tapestry and comprehend their contributions and significance.	20	0	0
The Reformation in 16th Century England	1. Examine the Protestant Reformation in England and understand its nature and progress in light of conflicting schools of thought about the spread of Protestantism. 2. Understand the importance of Medieval sources in translation.	25	0	0

Total Contact Hours

Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours
45	0	0