Geography 4a: World Geography.

Instructional Center: Sanger Center.

Instructor: Edward A. Krause.

Required Textbook: Essentials Of World Geography. 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition.

Quick Reference World Atlas. Rand McNally.

Course Description: A study of the physical settings, population patterns, natural resources, and economic and political status of the regions of the world.

Course Objective: The course objective is for the individual student to develop an understanding and good comprehension of the key geographical concepts enumerated in the course description.

Attendance Policy: According to the stated policy in the Reedley College catalog. Excessive absences over the stated policy can and may very well be cause for the lowering of the student's grade.

Last Day To Drop This Class And Receive A Grade Of "W": October 15,1999.

My Campus Voice Mail Number Is 638-3641, Box # 3883.

## Grading:

There will be five equally weighted exams including the final. The lowest letter grade exam score will be dropped. This gives you four exam grades averaged with one other grade will constitute your final grade. If you miss an exam, that is the grade that will be dropped, THERE WILL BE NO MAKE UP EXAMS.

One letter grade will be assigned for cumulative results of quizzes which will be given randomly ( although you should plan on having them weekly ). Quizzes are usually given at the beginning of the class period ( BUT NOT ALWAYS!), being punctual to class is to your benefit.

Two written abstracts will be due from each student (more details will follow) the scores will be added to your cumulative quiz point total. Failure to complete either or both of the abstract assignments will result in a corresponding lowering of the quiz point total.

Geography 4a, Sanger Center. Tuesday Night. 6:00PM-8:50PM. Fall Semester, 1999,

- 8/17 Introduction & Course Outline.
- 8/24 Chapter 1.
- 8/31 Chapter 2.
- 9/7 EXAM # 1. First Abstract Article Is Assigned.
- 9/14 Chapter 3.
- 9/21 NO CLASS TONIGHT.
- 9/28 Chapter 4.
- 10/5 Chapter 5.
- 10/12 EXAM # 2. First Abstract Is Due.
- 10/19 Chapter 6.
- 10/26 Chapter 7.
- 11/2 EXAM # 3. Title Of Second Article Is Due.
- 11/9 Chapter 8.
- 11/16 Chapter 9.
- 11/23 EXAM # 4. Second Abstract Is Due.
- 11/30 Chapter 17.
- 12/7 Chapter 18.
- 12/14 FINAL EXAM.