

California State University, Sacramento  
 Gerontology Department  
 GERONTOLOGY 100 – 01 – Aging Issues in Contemporary America  
 Spring 2022 -- WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE

**Please note that this schedule may be adjusted over the course of the semester. You are responsible for checking email notifications and Canvas announcements to stay updated on schedule changes.**

**\*Zoom link for first two weeks of class:**

<https://csus.zoom.us/j/87212982968?pwd=b3libjNZOGVtdmZickFYazFJM0IMZz09> (Links to an external site.)

Meeting ID: 872 1298 2968

Required Passcode: 332964

To join by phone: 1-669-900-6833

WEEK	TOPIC	READING	ASSIGNMENTS DUE	NOTES
1 1/24	Aging and Society	Chapter 1	Class meets via ZOOM* - Assignment #1 Due Sunday, Jan. 30 (midnight)	
2 1/31	Studying Aging	Chapter 2	Class meets via ZOOM* - Assignment #2 Due Sunday, Feb. 6 (midnight)	Begin Project #1, Analyzing academic research
3 2/7	Aging by the Numbers	Chapter 3	Class meets in person – ARC 1011 - Project #1 Due Sunday, Feb. 13 (midnight) (Research exercise – essay questions (quiz))	
4 2/14	Age and the Life Course	Chapter 4	Assignment #3 Due Sunday, Feb. 20 (midnight)	NO CLASS MEETING
5 2/21	Aging and the Family	Chapter 5	Assignment #4 Due Sunday, Feb. 27 (midnight)	Begin Project #2, Article Analysis and comparison

6 2/28	Work & Retirement in the Life Course	Chapter 6	Project #2 Due Sunday, March 6 (midnight)	
7 3/7	Practice reading and analysis of research article	To be assigned	Assignment #5 Due Sunday, March 13 midnight)	NO CLASS MEETING

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8 3/14	Economics of Aging	Chapter 7	Assignment #6 Due Sunday, March 20 (midnight)	Begin Project #3, Article Analysis
3/21	Spring Recess – no class			
9 3/28	Aging and Health: Individuals, Systems, and Policies	Chapter 8	Project #3 Due Sunday, April 3 (midnight)	
10 4/4	Politics, Civic Engagement, and Aging in America – Part 1	Chapter 9 – READ p. 253 – 266	Assignment #7 Due Sunday, April 10 (midnight) (no assignment)	Guest presenter
11 4/11	Politics, Civic Engagement, and Aging in America – Part 2	Chapter 9 – READ p. 267 - 287	Assignment #8 due Sunday, April 17 (midnight) Email PDF of article for Article Summary Paper by Sunday, April 17 (midnight)	
12 4/18	Global Aging	Chapter 10	Assignment #9 due Sunday, April 14 (midnight)	
13 4/25	The Future of Aging and the Life Course	Chapter 11	Assignment #9 Due Sunday, May 1 (midnight)	
14 5/2	Independent research and preparation for Final Project Presentations	None	Last day to turn in Extra Credit Assignment (optional)	NO CLASS MEETING

15 5/9	Article Presentations/ first half of the class	None	Begin Part 1 peer-review Assignment; Last day to turn in Extra Credit Assignment (optional)	Article Presentations/ first half of the class
16 5/16	Article Presentations/ Second half of class	None	Begin Part 2 peer-review assignment	Article Presentations/ Second half of class
	Finals Week – No Class	None	Turn in Final Article Analysis by 5/22 Midnight.	

Please note: Assignments and due dates may be subject to change.