



**CURRICULUM GUIDE  
2012-2013**

**GEOGRAPHY: CULTURAL**

Certificate of Accomplishment in Geography: Cultural

**Requirements for Certificate of Accomplishment:**

- a) Complete satisfactorily the courses listed for the particular certificate.
- b) Complete at least 50% of the required units at Ohlone College.
- c) Maintain a 2.0 grade point average.

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This Certificate of Accomplishment signifies that students have received basic training in regional variations of the world, as well as human modification of the physical environment. Upon completion of this certificate students will have lab experience with map analysis, weather, and the earth's landform features and will be educated in current theories of how different cultures use, abuse, or otherwise change the earth. This certificate provides an excellent background for careers in public policy and environmental impact.

**Student Learning Outcomes**

- 1. Demonstrate an understanding of the background, the sequence, and effects of the origin and spread of people as users and change agents of the earth, with particular reference to how different cultures have used and interacted with the natural environment.
- 2. Discuss and describe the major concepts in human geography including place, space, scale, landscape, etc.
- 3. Demonstrate and explain important characteristics of the major world regions and discuss and compare the major issues confronting that region.
- 4. Assess earth's physical environment and explain how various physical forces shape those environments.
- 5. Evaluate the components and elements of the natural environment and the interrelationships of those components and environments as they relate to the continuance of all life on earth.

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