

COCONINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE
COURSE OUTLINE

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A. Identification:

1. Subject Area: Aerospace Studies (AES)
2. Course Number: 201
3. Course Title: Air Power History I
4. Credit Hours: 1
5. Course Description: Historical survey of events, trends, and policies leading to the emergence of air power through World War II. Nature of war, advent of the air age, and development of various concepts of employment and technological improvements in air power; effective communication skills.
Prerequisites: AES 101 or consent of instructor. Students interested in a future career in the Air Force have co-requisites: AES 211 and AES 250 or Consent of Instructor. One lecture.

B. Course Goals: Students will become familiar with key terms and definitions used to describe air and space power. Additionally, they will know the historical events, leaders, and technical developments which surrounded the evolution and employment of USAF air and space power. Students will also know the Air Force Core Values and understand the concepts of professionalism and officership as they apply to the military. Finally, each student will demonstrate basic verbal and written communication skills.

C. Course Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. describe course materials and requirements;
2. describe the basic concepts of effective written communication in paragraphs and editing;
3. cite selected historical events, leaders, and milestones in the technical development and deployment of air power from the beginning of flight through World War II;
4. cite selected historical events, leaders, and milestones in the technical development and deployment of air power through the end of World War II;
5. cite selected historical events, leaders, and milestones in the technical development and deployment of air power from the Cold War through the Berlin Airlift;
6. cite selected historical events, leaders, and milestones from LeMay, Korea, and Nuclear Deterrence;
7. and cite selected historical events, leaders, and milestones from The Global War on Terrorism: Ops EF & IF.

D. Course Outcomes Assessment will include examinations.

E. Course Content will include:

1. Air and Space Power Defined;
2. Early Flight to WWI;
3. Advent of the Air Age;
4. Interwar Years;
5. Airpower in WWII;
6. The European Theater in WWII;
7. Airpower through the end of WWII;

8. an Independent Air Force and the Cold War/Berlin Airlift;
9. LeMay, Korea and Nuclear Deterrence;
10. The Global War on Terrorism: Ops EF & IF;
11. Communication Skills;
12. And Air and Space Power Revisited.