



# BROWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSE OUTLINE

**LAST REVIEW: 2008-2009 NEXT REVIEW: 2011-2012 STATUS: A**

**COURSE TITLE: Bible as Literature**

**COMMON COURSE NUMBER: LIT 1370**

**CREDIT HOURS: 3**

**CONTACT HOUR BREAKDOWN**

**CLOCK HOURS:**

Lecture: 48

Lab:

Clinic:

Other:

**PREREQUISITE(S): Eligible to take ENC 1101**

**COREQUISITE(S): None**

**PRE/COREQUISITE(S): None**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION: A study of literary forms found in the Bible, such as history, biography, short story, parable, and lyric poetry. Basic literary analysis of selected portions of the Bible.**

General Education Requirements – Associate of Arts Degree (AA), meets Area(s): Area

General Education Requirements – Associate in Science Degree (AS), meets Area(s): Area

General Education Requirements – Associate in Applied Science Degree (AAS), meets Area(s): Area

## **UNIT TITLES**

- 1. Literary Forms in the Bible**
- 2. Literary Structures in the Bible**

## **ASSESSMENT:**

Students will be assessed on course outcomes by various methods. These methods may include, but are not limited to, the following: Individual presentations, take-home assignments, in-class exercises, presentation aids, group presentations, essay assignments, and examinations.



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## **UNIT 1: Literary Forms in the Bible**

### **General Outcome:**

**The student shall:** The students should be able to analyze and discuss the use of history, biography, short story (or narrative), and lyric poetry in the Bible.

### **Specific Measurable Learning Outcomes:**

Upon successful completion of this unit, the student shall be able to:

- 1.1 Discuss the purposes of using history in the Bible**
- 1.2 Relate the use of biography to the message of the particular passage in the Bible.**
- 1.3 Identify specific short stories or narratives found in the Bible and relate these short stories or narratives to the biblical message.**
- 1.4 Identify lyric poetry as used in the Bible**

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### **UNIT 2: Literary Structures**

**General Outcome:** The students should be able to identify similes, metaphor, and parables in the Bible and discuss the purposes and effects of these literary structures.

**Specific Measurable Learning Outcomes:**

Upon successful completion of this unit, the student shall be able to:

**2.1 Identify similes, metaphors and parables in the Bible**

**2.2 Describe the literary effects and result from their use**

**2.3 Describe how the effectiveness in delivering the message of the Bible is aided through the use of these literary structures.**