

4年生用

## ゼミコースアウトライン Seminar Course Outline

For 4<sup>th</sup> year students

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\*ゼミタイトル: **Research Seminar in English Communication Studies C3, C4**

\*授業概要 **Outline of the contents**

This course focuses on Visual Media, especially **American film**.

Spring semester (C3): The beginning of American film, and the The Golden Age of Hollywood Animation which includes

- Disney's *Mickey Mouse* series,
- famous *Silly Symphonies* of the 1930s
- Warner Bros animated shorts

Fall semester: (C4) Famous films from the *US National Film Registry*, a list of hundreds of films considered worthy of preservation, and deemed historically, culturally, and aesthetically significant.

LISTEN to Tom and SEE more about this seminar class!

[https://bit.ly/tom\\_movies\\_zemi](https://bit.ly/tom_movies_zemi)

(Google Slides link)

\*業の形式 **How the class is conducted**

Students view media and articles/information about the media, then brainstorm, research, and present their research. Quizzes are derived from a mix of what the teacher thinks you ought to know, what students find surprising and noteworthy.

\*課題・成績評価基準 **Requirements and Assessment**

No required text. Readings and visual material will be made available to students.

Assessment:

Homework, discussion, and study sessions 50%

Quizzes, presentations 50%

\*その他 **Others**

All instruction and class activities will be in ENGLISH. *Students who are highly motivated, who are excited to speak in English with the teacher and classmates, who participate actively with enthusiasm, and demonstrate diligence in their research and presenting* will receive the highest grades. For samples of media, contact the teacher directly at

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