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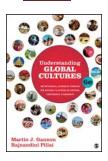
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Global Cultures Week 8

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What's Happening this Week

Main Due Dates 🛂

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2. In the-News This Week

Fake News / Media Bias Chart 🛂

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Contact Information

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Real People . . . Real Places . . .

Videos for the Semester

I Named Her Angel

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Class Slides for the Semester

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"Units of Analysis"

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as mentioned in the "Orientation"

units of analysis may include:

- one person
- the family
- the community
- a region
- a "culture area"
- a culture / "subculture"
- a nation
- the world
- an item or action itself
- a "cultural metaphor"

6. Readings for the Week

Readings for the Semester

Turkey

Mexico

7. Other Assignment Information

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For other optional items for the week check "Calendar" ✓ or "Syllabus" ✓

Questions? Comments?

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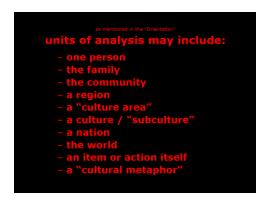
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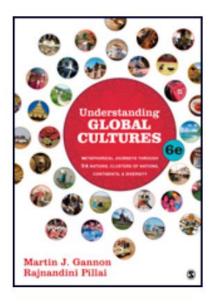
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6. Readings for the Week

Readings for the Semester



News-of-the-Week

- Mexico
- Turkey

PART VII: TORN NATIONAL CULTURES

Chapter 21: The Mexican Fiesta

Chapter 22: The Turkish

Coffeehouse

(assigned readings are in bold letters)

Video

I Named Her Angel [Turkey]

(29 min., 2008)

on-line access

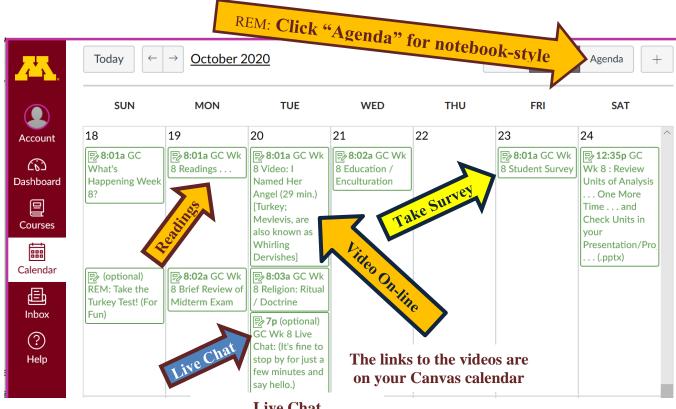
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Best Wishes,

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P.S. REM: From time to time check the $\underline{Canvas\ Student\ Guide}$ $\ oldsymbol{\mathbb{L}}$.