



## PROGRAMA

### IDENTIFICAÇÃO

Código e nome da disciplina: **LLE 5149 – Cultura Americana**

Curso: Secretariado Executivo

Carga horária: 72 horas/aula

### EMENTA

Estudo dos valores culturais dos Estados Unidos e sua influência na política, economia, artes, tradições, instituições e costumes do povo.

### OBJETIVOS

Introduzir aspectos da vida e cultura dos Estados Unidos no que se refere à geografia, história, política, economia, artes, tradições e costumes do povo.

### CONTEÚDO PROGRAMÁTICO

#### 1. American Geography:

From the Atlantic to the Pacific: The Northeast, The Midwest, The Rocky Mountains, The West Coast, The Southwest, The South, Weather and Climate, Natural Resources, Transport and Communication, National Production.

#### 2. American History:

Colonial America, The Protestant Heritage, American Independence, 19th Century Expansion, The War of Secession, Industrialization and Immigration, America and two World Wars, Post-war America, Vietnam and Watergate, The End of the Cold War.

#### 3. American Institutions:

Government, Elections and Political Parties, Education, Higher Education, Religion, The Media, Wall-Street.

#### 4. American Arts:

Literature, Movies, Music, Architecture, Painting.

#### 5. The American People:

Facts and Figures about Americans, American Values, Leisure and Sport in the USA, Americans at Work, Celebrations, The American Family.

#### 6. The British People:

The Family, The Cost of Living, Housing, Leisure Time, Celebrations.

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Fiedler, E. et al (1990) *America in Close-up*. Essex: Longman.

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Stevenson, D.K. (1987) *American Life and Institutions*. Stuttgart, German: Klett