Open Comments from Philippine Studies SurveyMonkey  
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1. Other Philippine Studies course(s), specify:
   - Indigenous tribes in the Philippines.
   - ILO Advance Ilokano and Advance Tagalog. I already have taken ILO 101 with Manang Precy Espiritu.
   - American Studies / Ethnic Studies on Filipinos taught by Drs. Ohamoto and Alegado.
   - Filipino foods, like how they cook in different provinces, like how they cook adobo in Visaya, Ilocano, and Tagalog. The specialty for every province.
   - Filipino Cuisine.
   - Folk Dances.
   - Any that you can offer.
   - Vsain.

Other courses that would fulfill requirements at Bachelor's level.

Try to have Philippine courses online as well.

Whatever applies, what about Japanese, French, and other Hawaiian language classes here on Molokai? It is not given at Molokai High School anymore; I mean there are no foreign language classes at the high school. The students there could take a foreign language class here on Molokai if it was provided.

None.

Not interested at all - let’s concentrate on technical and professional skills that are sustainable. What value in this economy do Filipino courses have? None. It’s a “feel good” thing but irrelevant - I wouldn’t study any Filipino course.

2. What times would you like the courses offered? Comment:
   - Depends on my schedule.
   - Early Morning @ 8?
   - Alot of people do work full-time and later classes are better.
   - All of the above time.

This would help alot of American Filipinos be able to understand and also speak our language. Not only Filipinos, I would want others of any ethnicity join also. This would also help everyone to gain experience so that later on in the path, the language & knowledge of what you learn from the history of Filipinos, such as speaking their language can be useful to all.

Great I would definitely like to attend a Tagalog course to relearn the language I have forgotten, and I would definitely like to learn about the history of my country. Please make Philippine studies possible at MCC. Thanks.

Go fellow Filipino.

None.

I wouldn’t want to learn about this! What about Mexican heritage or Russian or any other Race? Hawaiian should be taught cause this is their home. This is not the home of the Philippinos.

3. Additional comments:
   - Have been waiting for 5 years for you to offer Tagalog! This is great!
   - I think teaching the Filipino language and history is a great idea.
   - I hope by Fall ’09 the classes will be available.
   - Go and succeed.
   - I would love to learn more about my nationality.
   - I would like to learn more about my cultural history.
   - It would be interesting to have these courses offered because even though I’m a Filipino, I really don’t know my culture’s history.
   - With so many of students of Filipino descent this is long overdue.
   - Although I am not a humanities major, I think it would be nice for myself and other students to have the chance to learn more about the culture. I like the idea.
   - Filipino cooking?
   - Have a weekly activity as of dance, painting, weekly one-on-one speaking in Tagalog.

Online Filipino classes and courses at MCC is a must!
Online courses in Philippine studies!!!!

Can’t comment because I don’t need for credits.

It is good that you can offer these classes but for me I’m interested in other languages like Japanese or Spanish.
I am interested in Hawaiian studies pathway-music or hula.
I am interested in Asian History or Culture instead of just the Philippine Studies courses.
Would like to see more Hawaiian language and studies courses offered here...
I am not interested in Philippine Studies. I would be more interested in World History classes after 1500 and European history.

Not interested in this field of study.
I wouldn’t study it at all.
None.