

ENG - 1101 English Composition I (3 Theory credits)

This course is an introduction to college level writing, offering freshmen students training in the techniques and skills required to write unified, coherent paragraphs and essays and in the use of library and electronic formats as a source of reference. Students receive instruction on the principles, practice and skills of argumentation and critical reading and thinking. This course serves to meet the US Higher Educational Institution Gordon Rule writing requirements.

Educational Objectives

1. Expand knowledge of sentence construction and overall essay organization.
2. Write a documented research paper using the library and electronic formats.
3. Proofread and revise your writing.
4. Locate information in the library using various formats and write correct bibliographical references.
5. Identify and correct Run-Ons and Fragments within a passage.
6. Understand the writing process and follow the 4 steps in writing an effective paragraph and essay.
7. Identify subjects and verbs.
8. Make subjects and verbs agree.
9. Develop fluency in writing by increasing the frequency of writing.
10. Identify and correct spelling errors.
11. Correct use of capital letters and punctuation marks in sentences and paragraphs.

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