

# ELL1060 - English Language Learner Writing I

Credits:	4 (3/1/0)
Description:	This writing course is for non-native learners of English and is designed to prepare students for ELL1080: ELL Writing II. Students will learn the short essay form for expository writing, emphasizing sentence and paragraph structures as well as editing for increased accuracy.
Prerequisites:	
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Use various rhetorical modes such as narration, description, comparison, cause and effect, etc.</li> <li>2. Compose short essays with proper theses, introductions, body paragraphs and conclusions.</li> <li>3. Experiment with a variety of sentence patterns.</li> <li>4. Use both direct and indirect speech.</li> <li>5. Apply basic formatting to documents using the basic functions of a word processing program.</li> <li>6. Use quotations, definitions and/or anecdotes effectively in introductory material.</li> <li>7. Use proper paragraph format including indentation, capitalization and basic punctuation.</li> <li>8. Construct paragraphs that are limited to a single sub-topic or aspect of the main topic.</li> <li>9. Construct suitable titles that are properly capitalized.</li> <li>10. Strengthen accuracy in article use.</li> <li>11. Distinguish between the passive and active forms of verbs.</li> <li>12. Recognize patterns of error and appropriate editing strategies for correcting them.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

\*Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.