

## ENGL0091 - English Foundations

Credits:	3 (3/0/0)
Description:	This course integrates the beginning levels of college-level reading and writing. Students will practice various reading strategies and develop proficiency in comprehending, summarizing and interpreting college-level texts as well as practice strategies designed to strengthen their writing skills, including grammar, usage and mechanics.
Prerequisites:	Course placement is determined by assessment
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Develop awareness and understanding of personal strengths and weaknesses as readers.</li> <li>Describe and apply text reading strategies.</li> <li>Determine the implied meaning of a text.</li> <li>Comprehend the meaning of words and phrases in context.</li> <li>Identify central ideas of a text and analyze how sentences, paragraphs or sections of a text relate to each other and to the whole.</li> <li>Identify the different purposes for reading such as study reading, critical reading and recreational or personal reading.</li> <li>Develop awareness and understanding of personal strengths and weaknesses as writers.</li> <li>Create clear, well-constructed sentences and paragraphs in a variety of patterns.</li> <li>Practice application of appropriate tone and voice in writing based upon intended audience.</li> <li>Develop editing and proofreading skills.</li> <li>Compose unified, coherent and well-developed writings, including paragraphs and essays.</li> <li>Practice all stages of the writing process: prewriting/exploration, drafting, revising, editing, proofreading and presentation.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

<sup>\*</sup>Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.