

SE 02

CHAMINADE UNIVERSITY - Schofield Barracks**Syllabus**

Course: Introduction to Expository Writing, ENG 101
Instructor: Janis Marchant E-mail: jhmarchant@hotmail.com
Meeting Dates/Times: 1 Apr -10 Jun MON 1730 - 2125 hours
Texts: by David Skwire 8th ed.
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Helpful Reference: A college dictionary and a college thesaurus
Objective: To write clear, organized and persuasive essays and to understand the writing process, essay structure, paragraphs, sentences, word choices and punctuation.
Course Requirements: This course is designed with a hands-on approach to effective writing. Attendance and class participation are essential and will determine a percentage of the course grade. There will be four typed essays submitted. Neatness will be required. Essays failing to be so will be returned for resubmission and a lower overall grade. Absence will not be considered a legitimate excuse for late submission. Without prior approval (owing to very extraordinary circumstances), a late essay submission will automatically be lowered TWO grades and accepted by the next class date ONLY.

Grading:

Attendance/Class Participation/Draft Checks	10%
Grammar Exam	10%
Narrative/Description Essay	10%
Comparison & Contrast/Cause & Effect Essay	20%
Definition Essay	20%
Argumentative Essay	25%

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

APR	Introduction, 'Writing Process,' Diagnostic Writing Narrative 8 Composing Discussion, Group Work 1: brainstorming, choosing topic, developing outline Reading Assignment-next class: WWT 1-96
8	Description Discussion, Group Work II: submit outline for group discussion, begin draft. Revising & Sentences Discussion, Group Work III: further draft work & revisions Proofreading Exercise Reading Assignment-next class: WWT157-222
15	Paragraph Discussion, Grammar Exercise Comparison & Contrast/Cause & Effect Discussion, Group Work NARRATIVE/DESCRIPTION PAPER DUE Further Sentence Discussion, Group Work 11, outline check Sentence & Open Discussion, Group Work III Solving Sentence Problems Discussion Reading Assignment -next class: WWT 255-274
29	Nouns and Pronouns Discussion, Group Confer - a Definition Discussion, Group work I, Grammar Exercise COMPARISON & CONTRAST/CAUSE & EFFECT PAPER DUE
MAY 6	Verbs Discussion, Group Work 11, outlines Agreement Discussion, Conferences, Group Work III Grammatical Discussion, Grammar Exercise, Proofreading Reading Assignment - next class: WWT 275-314

	t 3	Argumentation Discussion, Group Work I (Topic) Adjectives and Adverbs Discussion , Group Work I , outlines Grammatical Discussion, Group Work II DEFINITION PAPER DUE
	20	Revision, Grammatical & Structural Problems Discussion Group Work III
JUN	3	Final Wropup on Argumentative paper, persistent problems, conferences, Group Work IV ARGUMENTATIVE PAPER DUE
	t	Final Review of Grammatical Problems, Revision , In-class GRAMMAR EXAM