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AEP 105 - Reading and Vocabulary II

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Monday, Wednesday, Friday

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Course Goal & Objectives

AEP 105 will provide students with intensive instruction in reading comprehension skills and with opportunities to develop a broader vocabulary.

Students will gain strategies for comprehending text material, narratives, periodicals, etc.

Students will learn strategies for pronunciation using a phonetic base and/or context clues.

Students will gain speed and accuracy in reading through various timed tests.

Students will keep a notebook of vocabulary and will be tested on spelling and definitions.

Required texts and Workbooks

Reading Skills for College Students - Hancock

McCall Test Lessons in Reading Comprehension

Reading Comprehension workbooks - Continental Press

Longman Dictionary of Contemporary English

Periodicals

Course Requirements

Attendance and participation are essential for passing this course. Quizzes on reading and vocabulary will be graded and students will accumulate points toward their final grade. In addition, directed study sessions and off campus activities are required for all AEP students.

In the final week of class all AEP students will take the Nelson-Denney Reading Test. The test scores will determine placement in the Chaminade English department. If the student fails the test, additional AEP courses will be required.

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Reading Assignments

Text: *Reading Skills for College Students*, Hancock

<u>Week</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Topic</u>
January 11 - 15	1, 2	Study Skills, Using Context Clues
January 18 - 22	3	Structural Analysis
January 25 - 29	4	Dictionary Skills
February 1 - 5	5	Main Ideas
February 8 - 12	6	Details
February 15 - 19	7	Signal Words
February 22 - 26	8	Organizational Patterns
March 1 - 5	9	Inferences
March 8 - 12	10	Critical Reading
March 15 - 19	11, 12	Rate and Graphics
March 22 - 26	SPRING BREAK	
March 29 - April 2	13	Literature
April 5 - 9	14	History
April 12 - 16	15	Political Science
April 19 - 23	16	Psychology
April 26 - 30	17	Biology
May 3 - 7	18	Computer Science and Data Processing