

Tamkang University Academic Year 109, 1st Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	ENGLISH WRITING	Instructor	HSUAN HSIEH
Course Class	TQICB1A DIVISION OF SOFTWARE ENGINEERING, DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATIVE INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY (ENGLISH TAUGHT PROGRAM), 1A	Details	◆ General Course ◆ Required ◆ One Semester
Departmental Aim of Education			
I. To develop the ability to use a foreign language and interact with students and friends from abroad. II. To cultivate the ability to appreciate the beauty of language and express ideas effectively and efficiently.			
Subject Schoolwide essential virtues			
1. A global perspective. (ratio:35.00) 5. Independent thinking. (ratio:30.00) 7. A spirit of teamwork and dedication. (ratio:35.00)			
Course Introduction	This course is aimed to build up the basic structures of an article to improve the students' writing skills by using a textbook as well as reading various articles. The students will learn how to analyze the structures of an article in order to understand and appreciate the points of view of the writers and their arrangements of the articles. It's hoped that by the end of the course that the students have developed the ability to express their thoughts better into their writings.		
The correspondences between the course's instructional objectives and the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor objectives. Differentiate the various objective methods among the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains of the course's instructional objectives. I. Cognitive : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the cognition of the course's veracity, conception, procedures, outcomes, etc. II. Affective : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the course's appeal, morals, attitude, conviction, values, etc. III. Psychomotor: Emphasis upon the study of the course's physical activity and technical manipulation.			
No.	Teaching Objectives		objective methods

1	1.To enhance the students' writing skills. 2.To provide the students with the information or knowledge they'll need when writing any articles about their own majors.			Affective
The correspondences of teaching objectives : core competences, essential virtues, teaching methods, and assessment				
No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1		157	Lecture, Discussion, Experience	Testing, Study Assignments, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written), Activity Participation
Course Schedule				
Week	Date	Course Contents		Note
1	109/09/14 ~ 109/09/20	Orientation		
2	109/09/21 ~ 109/09/27	Self Introduction Presentation 1 (Assignment 1)		
3	109/09/28 ~ 109/10/04	Self Introduction Presentation 2		
4	109/10/05 ~ 109/10/11	Self Introduction Presentation 3		
5	109/10/12 ~ 109/10/18	Ch1 The Topic Sentences		
6	109/10/19 ~ 109/10/25	Ch2 The Supporting Sentences		
7	109/10/26 ~ 109/11/01	Halloween Party		
8	109/11/02 ~ 109/11/08	Ch3 The Concluding Sentences		
9	109/11/09 ~ 109/11/15	Bring It All Together		
10	109/11/16 ~ 109/11/22	Midterm Exam Week		
11	109/11/23 ~ 109/11/29	Ch4 Descriptive Paragraphs:~Newcastle upon Tyne (Assignment 2)		
12	109/11/30 ~ 109/12/06	Show and Tell Assignment 2 -Descriptive Paragraphs		
13	109/12/07 ~ 109/12/13	Ch5 Narrative Paragraphs~9 important life lessons India taught me (Assignment 3)		
14	109/12/14 ~ 109/12/20	Show and Tell Assignment 3 -Narrative Paragraphs		
15	109/12/21 ~ 109/12/27	X'mas Party		

16	109/12/28 ~ 110/01/03	Ch6 Expository Paragraphs~Computer programming in 4 steps (Assignment 4)	
17	110/01/04 ~ 110/01/10	Show and Tell Assignment 4 -Expository Paragraphs	
18	110/01/11 ~ 110/01/17	Final Exam Week	
Requirement	Assignments: 50% 1. Individual Work:5%*4=20% 2. Group Discussion:10% 3. Random Assignment:10% 4. Presentation: 5%*2=10%		
Teaching Facility	Computer, Projector		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Writing to Communicate 1 by Cynthia A. Boardman		
References			
Number of Assignment(s)	7 (Filled in by assignment instructor only)		
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance : 20.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual : % ◆ Midterm Exam : 15.0 % ◆ Final Exam : 15.0 % ◆ Other 〈Assignments〉 : 50.0 %		
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