

Tamkang University Academic Year 113, 2nd Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	ENGLISH COMPOSITION (I)	Instructor	LIN, MING HUEI
Course Class	TFLXB1C DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, 1C	Details	◆ General Course ◆ Required ◆ 2nd Semester ◆ 2 Credits
Relevance to SDGs	SDG4 Quality education		
D e p a r t m e n t a l A i m o f E d u c a t i o n			
<div>I . Cultivate diverse research specialists with abilities in language, literature, culture, and English teaching.</div> <div>II. Carry on and further the excellent tradition of domestic language instruction and literary research to be a department contributing equally to research and language teaching.</div> <div>III. Foster a holistic learning process by putting equal emphasis on language and literature, theory and practice.</div> <div>IV. Strategies</div> <div>1. Train students' abilities in five skills: English listening, speaking, reading, writing and translation.</div> <div>2. Promote technologicalization and internationalization.</div> <div>3. Upgrade the quality and quantity of those students who participate in the Junior Year Abroad program.</div> <div>4. Launch a common English Proficiency Test and enhance students' competitiveness in the job market.</div> <div>5. Enrich international video conferencing.</div> <div>6. Promulgate such areas of research as English and American literature, cultural studies, ecocriticism, and English Teaching.</div>			
S u b j e c t D e p a r t m e n t a l c o r e c o m p e t e n c e s			
<div>A. Strengthen students' abilities in English listening, speaking, reading, writing and translation. (ratio:20.00)</div> <div>B. Develop students' critical thinking skills in an English language learning context.(ratio:20.00)</div> <div>C. Strengthen students' workplace English ability.(ratio:25.00)</div> <div>D. Develop students' professional abilities in linguistics and English teaching.(ratio:25.00)</div> <div>E. Develop students' ability to appreciate Anglophone and Western literatures in cultural and historical contexts.(ratio:10.00)</div>			

Subject Schoolwide essential virtues				
<div>1. A global perspective. (ratio:10.00)</div> <div>2. Information literacy. (ratio:10.00)</div> <div>3. A vision for the future. (ratio:20.00)</div> <div>4. Moral integrity. (ratio:10.00)</div> <div>5. Independent thinking. (ratio:25.00)</div> <div>6. A cheerful attitude and healthy lifestyle. (ratio:5.00)</div> <div>7. A spirit of teamwork and dedication. (ratio:10.00)</div> <div>8. A sense of aesthetic appreciation. (ratio:10.00)</div>				
Course Introduction	This course aims at developing students’ English writing skills. Students will be taught to write complete and meaningful sentences, to write a proper topic sentence, and to develop a unified and coherent paragraph.			
<div>The correspondences between the course’s instructional objectives and the cognitive, affective, and psychomotor objectives.</div> <div>Differentiate the various objective methods among the cognitive, affective and psychomotor domains of the course's instructional objectives.</div> <div>I. Cognitive : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the cognition of the course's veracity, conception, procedures, outcomes, etc.</div> <div>II.Affective : Emphasis upon the study of various kinds of knowledge in the course's appeal, morals, attitude, conviction, values, etc.</div> <div>III.Psychomotor: Emphasis upon the study of the course's physical activity and technical manipulation.</div>				
No.	Teaching Objectives			objective methods
1	The course is given the aim to equip students with various writing skills.			Cognitive
The correspondences of teaching objectives : core competences, essential virtues, teaching methods, and assessment				
No.	Core Competences	Essential Virtues	Teaching Methods	Assessment
1	ABCDE	12345678	Lecture, Discussion	Testing

Course Schedule			
Week	Date	Course Contents	Note
1	114/02/17 ~ 114/02/23	Course orientation	
2	114/02/24 ~ 114/03/02	Unit 6: definition paragraphs	Lang-8: J1
3	114/03/03 ~ 114/03/09	to be decided	
4	114/03/10 ~ 114/03/16	Four paragraph essays	Lang-8: J3
5	114/03/17 ~ 114/03/23	Unit 11 Paragraphs in an essay: Putting it all together (1)	Lang-8: J4
6	114/03/24 ~ 114/03/30	Unit 11 Paragraphs in an essay: Putting it all together (2)	Lang-8: J5
7	114/03/31 ~ 114/04/06	Unit 11 Paragraphs in an essay: Putting it all together (3)	Lang-8: J6
8	114/04/07 ~ 114/04/13	Topic	線上非同步教學Lang-8: J7
9	114/04/14 ~ 114/04/20	Midterm Exam/Midterm Assessment Week (teachers can adjust the week as needed)	Lang-8: J8
10	114/04/21 ~ 114/04/27	to be decided	
11	114/04/28 ~ 114/05/04	Review 1	Lang-8: J9
12	114/05/05 ~ 114/05/11	John's articles	Lang-8: J10
13	114/05/12 ~ 114/05/18	IELTS & TOEFL Writing Samples (1)	Lang-8: J11
14	114/05/19 ~ 114/05/25	Continue	
15	114/05/26 ~ 114/06/01	Continue	
16	114/06/02 ~ 114/06/08	Review	Lang-8 survey
17	114/06/09 ~ 114/06/15	Final Exam/Final Assessment Week (teachers can adjust the week as needed)	
18	114/06/16 ~ 114/06/22	Flexible Teaching Week: Generally, no in-person classes; teachers may arrange teaching activities or final assessments, among other options.	
Key capabilities			
Interdisciplinary			

Distinctive teaching	
Course Content	Logical Thinking
Requirement	
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Self-made teaching materials:Others
References	
Grading Policy	<p>◆ Attendance : 20.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual : % ◆ Midterm Exam : 25.0 %</p> <p>◆ Final Exam : 25.0 %</p> <p>◆ Other 〈participation〉 : 30.0 %</p>
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