

Tamkang University Academic Year 113, 2nd Semester Course Syllabus

Course Title	ENGLISH COMPOSITION (II)	Instructor	TZU-SHAN CHANG
Course Class	TFLXB2D DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, 2D	Details	◆ Blended Course ◆ Required ◆ 2nd Semester ◆ 2 Credits
Relevance to SDGs	SDG4 Quality education SDG10 Reducing inequalities SDG16 Peace, justice and strong institutions		
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. The entire course is divided into three stages. In Composition II, students will be taught to write an introductory paragraph, including a thesis statement, supporting paragraphs, and a concluding paragraph. In addition, students will be taught different writing techniques, such as transition between sentences and paragraphs and outlining, revising, and editing in the writing process.	
<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	<div>1. This required course is organized to systematically develop students’ writing skills and to prepare students for future academic writing.</div> <div>2. Having developed basic writing skills, students may apply the skills to future writing tasks required in their workplace.</div>	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, Study Assignments, Discussion(including classroom and online), Report(including oral and written), Activity Participation
Course Schedule				
Note for Blended Course : When utilizing weekly digital instruction, please fill in "Online Asynchronous Instruction".				
Week	Date	Course Contents		Note
1	114/02/17 ~ 114/02/23	Review/Unit 6		
2	114/02/24 ~ 114/03/02	Unit 6		0228 Day off
3	114/03/03 ~ 114/03/09	Unit 6		
4	114/03/10 ~ 114/03/16	Unit 6		
5	114/03/17 ~ 114/03/23	Unit 6		
6	114/03/24 ~ 114/03/30	Unit 6		線上非同步教學
7	114/03/31 ~ 114/04/06	Unit 6		Spring Break
8	114/04/07 ~ 114/04/13	Unit 6		
9	114/04/14 ~ 114/04/20	Midterm Exam/Midterm Assessment Week (teachers can adjust the week as needed)		
10	114/04/21 ~ 114/04/27	Unit 5		
11	114/04/28 ~ 114/05/04	Unit 5		
12	114/05/05 ~ 114/05/11	Unit 5		
13	114/05/12 ~ 114/05/18	Unit 5		
14	114/05/19 ~ 114/05/25	Unit 5		線上非同步教學
15	114/05/26 ~ 114/06/01	Unit 5		0530 Day off
16	114/06/02 ~ 114/06/08	Unit 7		
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	self-directed learning Humanistic Caring Problem solving		
Interdisciplinary	Competency-based education 'competency exploration' sustained competency or global issues STEEP (Society, Technology, Economy, Environment, and Politics)		
Distinctive teaching	Special/Problem-Based(PBL) Courses		
Course Content	Intellectual Property (learning intellectual property) Gender Equality Education Logical Thinking Environmental Safety Sustainability issue		
Requirement	The course content, progress, number of assignments, and grading policy, is subject to change, which, if any, will be announced in class. The course policy will be announced in class.		
Textbooks and Teaching Materials	Self-made teaching materials:Textbooks, Presentations, Handouts, Worksheets Using teaching materials from other writers:Textbooks		
References			
Grading Policy	◆ Attendance : 10.0 % ◆ Mark of Usual : 50.0 % ◆ Midterm Exam : 20.0 % ◆ Final Exam : 20.0 % ◆ Other 〈 〉 : %		

Note	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This syllabus may be uploaded at the website of the Course Syllabus Management System at https://info.ais.tku.edu.tw/csp or through the link of the Course Syllabus Upload posted on the home page of the TKU Office of Academic Affairs http://www.acad.tku.edu.tw/CS/main.php 2. According to the Implementation regulations of distance education for junior college and above are prescribed pursuant to Article 2, "The distance learning course referred to in these Measures refers to more than one-half of the teaching hours in each subject." 3. According to the regulations of Tamkang University Enforcement Rules for digital teaching, Paragraph 2 and Article 3, the distance learning course of our school must be "The course of digital teaching with distance learning platform or synchronous video system in our school. Teaching Hours include course lectures, teacher-student interaction discussions, quizzes and other learning activities." 4. If there are any temporary course changes (including time changes and classroom changes of distance learning courses, blended courses), please make out an application according to regulations to the Office of Academic Affairs. <p>※ Unauthorized photocopying is illegal. Using original textbooks is advised. It is a crime to improperly photocopy others' publications.</p>
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