
English As a Second Language (ESL)

ESL 001 Composition for College (5)

Class Hours: 90 Lecture

Advisory(s): ESL 135

Anti-Requisite(s) ENG 001A (ENGL C1000):

Transfers to: UC/CSU

C-ID: ENGL 100

Composition for College

ESL 001 is the study of standard college-level reading, writing, speaking and listening focusing on critical thinking skills. Students will practice the writing process by composing essays with effective writing skills and will develop academic literacy by employing advanced techniques of essay and research writing with an emphasis on critical thinking, argumentation or other rhetorical strategies, synthesis of research materials, and academic citation. Each module will reinforce the development of English reading, writing, grammar, presentation, communication, and research skills. This course is the equivalent of ENG001A.

ESL 120 Conversation Practice & Everyda (3)

Class Hours: 54 Lecture

P/NP

Conversation Practice & Everyday English

ESL 120 is for students whose native language is not English. This course includes listening and speaking practice with an emphasis on developing conversation skills for everyday situations.

ESL 210 ESL for College and Work (3)

Class Hours: 54 Lecture

ESL for College and Work

ESL 210 is designed to help the English Language Learner acquire general language skills needed to function effectively in work and academic environments. Emphasis is placed on the practice of listening, speaking, reading, writing, and computer skills. This low-intermediate level ESL course develops oral and written communication skills in English within the context of work environments. Students study and practice vocabulary for communicating with employers, customers, and industry professionals. Students learn about their profession and explore opportunities in their career industry.

ESL 125 Conversation Practice Inter Le (3)

Class Hours: 54 Lecture

P/NP

Conversation Practice Intermediate Level

ESL 125 is for students whose native language is not English but who can already speak basic English. This course continues conversation practice with an emphasis on increasing vocabulary and fluency. Students may enroll in 1 unit (6 weeks of study), 2 units (12 weeks of study), or 3 units (18 weeks of study) per semester.

ESL 130 Reading and Writing Beginning (3)

Class Hours: 54 Lecture

P/NP

Reading and Writing Beginning Level

ESL 130 is for students whose native language is not English. This course emphasizes beginning reading, basic grammar, and sentence writing. Students may enroll in 1 unit (6 weeks of study), 2 units (12 weeks of study), or 3 units (18 weeks of study) per semester.

ESL 135 Reading and Writing Intermedia (3)

Class Hours: 54 Lecture

P/NP

Reading and Writing Intermediate Level

ESL 135 is for students who have advanced ESL skills in reading, writing, and speaking. Students will practice communication skills necessary for career and life. This will be done through presentations, role playing, and mock interviews.
