Course Prefix and Number: ENGL 100  Credit hours: 3

Course Title: English for Speakers of Other Languages

Course Prerequisites: Placement test scores or permission of instructor

Textbook(s): To be determined

Course Description: Development of grammar, conversation, reading, and writing skills in English for speakers of other languages through the study of and practice of language skills in standard, English dialect at an intermediate or advanced level.

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of this course, the student will be able to
A. demonstrate English listening skills by understanding of the majority of face-to-face speech in standard dialect;
B. demonstrate English speaking skills by responding to and asking questions, communicating orally utilizing correct tenses and vocabulary in social situations, and adjusting language usage from informal to formal in given social situations;
C. demonstrate English writing skills by writing complex sentence structures, composing paragraphs, and taking notes; and
D. demonstrate English reading skills by interpreting and summarizing passages correctly, identifying main ideas and supporting details, and making inferences.

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will
(The letter designations at the end of each statement refer to the learning outcome(s).)
1. engage in conversational exercises to practice advanced English skills, both speaking and listening (A and B).
2. write multi-paragraph texts utilizing simple and complex sentence structures (C).
3. communicate using correct grammar and punctuation as practiced in written and spoken Standard English (B, C).
4. take notes of lectures and assigned reading passages (A, B, C, D)
5. write and orally communicate summaries of assigned readings in English (B, C, D).
6. infer factual information as well as fiction (C, D).

Course Requirements: Students are required to read the assigned material in advance, participate in class discussion and dialogue, pass exams including the final, and complete required writing assignments.
Course Grading Scale: The course uses the Liberal Arts grading scale.

90 – 100  A
80 – 89   B
70 – 79   C
60 – 69   D
0 – 59    F

Attendance Policy: The college attendance policy is available at http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html

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