

Tentative Schedule for English K100

Note: This schedule is subject to change based on student's needs.

Thursday, January 22, 2009

Introductions
Review of syllabus and schedule
Writing sample
Edgar Allan Poe- Writing Assignment

Tuesday, January 27, 2009

Chapter 1 – Reading to Write
“What’s in a Name?”
Decision on major paper or final exam

Thursday, January 29, 2009

Chapter 2 – Invention
Assignment/Limits
Free writing/Brainstorming
Writing Assignment

Tuesday, February 3, 2009

Chapter 2 Continued
Clustering/Forming a Thesis Statement

Thursday, February 5, 2009

Chapter 3 – Arrangement
Parts of the essay/ outlining
Writing Assignment

Tuesday, February 10, 2009

Chapter 4- Drafting and Revising
Peer critiques/ feedback
First Drafts/Second drafts

Thursday, February 12, 2009

Continue with Chapter 4
Review individual strengths/weaknesses
Writing Assignment

Tuesday, February 17, 2009

Introduce chapter 5 – editing and proofreading
Editing for grammar
Editing for punctuation

Thursday, February 19, 2009

Continue with chapter 5 – editing and proofreading
Editing for sentence style and word choice
Proofreading your essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday February 24, 2009

Introduce Chapter 6 – Narration
What is Narration?
Planning and structuring a narrative essay.

Thursday, February 26, 2009

Revising and editing a narrative essay
Peer editing
Writing assignment

Tuesday, March 3, 2009

Introduce Chapter 7 – Description
What is description?
Planning and structuring a descriptive essay

Thursday, March 5, 2009

Continue with descriptive essay
Revising and editing a descriptive essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday, March 10, 2009

Introduce chapter 8 – exemplification
What is exemplification?
Planning and structuring an exemplification essay.

Thursday, March 12, 2009

Continue with chapter 8
Revising and editing an exemplification essay
Commas in a series
Writing assignment

SPRING BREAK – NO CLASSES – March 16 to March 20, 2009

Tuesday, March 24, 2009

Introduce chapter 9 – Process
What is process?
Planning and structuring a process essay

Thursday, March 26, 2009

Continue with chapter 9 on process
Revising and editing a process essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday, March 31, 2009

Introduce chapter 10 – Cause and effect
What is cause and effect?
Planning and structuring a cause and effect essay

Thursday, April 2, 2009

Continue with chapter 10 – cause and effect
Revising and editing a cause and effect essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday, April 7, 2009

Introduce chapter 11 – comparison and contrast
What is comparison and contrast?
Planning and structuring a comparison and contrast essay

Thursday, April 9, 2009

Continue with chapter 11 on comparison and contrast
Revising and editing a comparison and contrast essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday, April 14, 2009

Introduce chapter 12 – classification and division
What is classification and divisional essays?
Planning and structuring a classification or divisional essay

Thursday, April 16, 2009

Continue with chapter 12 on classification and division essays
Revising and editing a classification and division essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday, April 21, 2009

Introduce chapter 13 on definition
What is a definition essay?
Planning and structuring a definition essay

Thursday, April 23, 2009

Continue with chapter 13 on definition essays
Revising and editing a definition essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday, April 28, 2009

Introduce chapter 14 on argumentation
What is argumentation?
Planning and structuring an argument

Thursday, April 30, 2009

Continue with chapter 14 on argumentation
Revising and editing an argument
Writing assignment

Tuesday, May 5, 2009

Introduce chapter 15 on combining the patterns
How does one combine patterns seamlessly?
Planning and structuring a combined patterns essay

Thursday, May 7, 2009

Continue with combining patterns in an essay
Editing and revising a combined patterns essay
Writing assignment

Tuesday, May 12, 2009

Review – Individual reviews of strengths/weaknesses

Thursday, May 14, 2009 - Final examination or Paper due