

Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

ESL 101-English as Second Language I

CREDIT HOURS: 2.00

CONTACT HOURS: 30.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course will provide students with a basic vocabulary to enable them to have simple conversational exchanges. Audio as well as computer-based material is used to reinforce and expand the skills program in the classroom. This course is for the beginning students whom English as a second language.

PREREQUISITE: N/A

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:

- Build a basic understanding of authentic communication activities which integrate speaking, listening, reading and writing skills.
- Understand grammatical constructions to express ideas in English.
- Build a basic vocabulary
- Comprehend and use appropriate basic idiomatic expressions and vocabulary in English.
- Have knowledge of basic phonetics
- Demonstrate proficiency in oral drills and dictation in English
- Demonstrate comprehension and use of American culture conventions in oral communications.
- Identify parts of speech

ASSESSMENT METHODS:

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:

90%-100% = A

80%-89.9%= B

70%-79.9%=C

60%-69.9%= D

<60% = E