



Course Description

EAP1500 | Speech/Listening Level 5 | 3.00 credits

Students develop communication, organization, and pronunciation skills necessary for effective academic presentation and discussion with an introduction to lecture note taking. Prerequisite: EAP 0400; Corequisite: EAP 1500L.

Course Competencies

Competency 1: The student will produce spoken English by:

1. Using grammatical structures consistent with Levels 1-5
2. Demonstrating sufficient accuracy and fluency to ensure comprehensibility in diverse social, professional, and academic situations
3. Producing intelligible pronunciation, stress, and intonation
4. Delivering prepared presentations
5. Explaining and supporting opinions
6. Giving extemporaneous presentations on diverse topics

Competency 2: The student will demonstrate comprehension of spoken English by:

1. Paraphrasing basic information or opinions from original sources and crediting the source
2. Taking notes during oral presentations and using notes to summarize the content
3. Recognizing and correcting his/her own verbal mistakes
4. Applying various listening strategies such as listening for main ideas, listening for details, making inferences
5. Using analytical skills to distinguish facts from opinions, make inferences, and identify the speaker's point of view
6. Demonstrating comprehension of figurative language

Learning Outcomes:

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills