

Course Description

EAP1540 | Writing Level 5 | 3.00 credits

Students develop the ability to write more sophisticated, structured academic paragraphs and academic essays in various rhetorical modes and execute other academic writing tasks. Prerequisite: EAP0440; Corequisite: EAP1540L.

Course Competencies

Competency 1: The student will write a variety of paragraph and essay types by:

- 1. Recognizing a variety of rhetorical modes required
- 2. Producing a variety of essay types required

Competency 2: The student will plan and develop academic writing by:

- 1. Using a variety of sentence structures and vocabulary appropriate to the level
- 2. Writing paragraphs and essays with clarity, coherence and substance in Standard English

Competency 3: The student will proofread and edit written work by:

- 1. Focusing on grammar, mechanics, and sentence structure for accuracy
- 2. Focusing on unity and coherence for meaning
- 3. Using appropriate reference tools

Competency 4: The student will execute other academic writing tasks by:

- 1. Writing simple responses to test questions
- 2. Summarizing and writing records of observations and experiences

Learning Outcomes:

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

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