Course Information Form (CIF)

Course Code: ESL 091
Course Title: Grammar/Writing I

Department: Humanities
PCS Code: 1.9 - English as a Second Language
CIP Code: 32.0109
Repeatability: 3

Effective Date: Summer 2026

Credit Hours

Catalog Notation: 3-3-4
Credit Hour Distribution:

Lecture: 3	Lab: 3	Clinical: 0	**Total: 4**

General Course Information

Catalog Description

Introduction to basic grammar and writing structures for students of English as a second language. Repeatable for a maximum of 16 credit hours.

General Course Objectives

Non-native speakers will develop the essential grammar and writing to advance to a higher level.

Minimum Placement Levels

English	Reading	Math
None	None	None

Prerequisites

Placement by advisor

Methods of Evaluation

4-6 tests, several sentence-level writing projects, several homework assignments per week, and class participation.

Instructional Materials and Additional Supplies

Grammar in Context Basic (7th ed.) w/SPARK Platform (National Geographic), ISBN 979-82143-33472

Course Content

General Learning Outcomes (GLOs)

- Communication: Students will demonstrate the ability to read, write, listen, and speak effectively.

Course Segments and Student Learning Outcomes

Course Segment	Learning Outcomes	Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours
Grammar	1. Identify and correctly employ simple present, present progressive, and simple past verb tenses. 2. Identify and correctly use nouns and pronouns. 3. Identify and correctly use possessive adjectives. 4. Identify and correctly use adverbs of frequency. 5. Identify and correctly use coordinating conjunctions.	25	25	0
Writing	1. Write sentences which correctly use the simple present, present progressive, and simple past verb tenses. 2. Write sentences which correctly use nouns, pronouns, possessive adjectives, adverbs of frequency, and coordinating conjunctions.	20	20	0

Total Contact Hours

Lecture Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours
45	45	0