

E.S.L. Courses

E.S.L. 004A: College ESL IV: Writing and Grammar

- 6 units, Letter, 6 lec
- DA
- Prerequisite: ESL 003A or placement exam
- Students in this intermediate ESL course learn written composition, grammar, and critical reading skills to prepare them for college work. The emphasis is on writing based on critical reading and personal experience. Students will be introduced to summarizing skills. Grammar skills and mechanics are emphasized throughout each lesson.

Required: Eight to ten writing assignments, including at least four paragraphs of 200- 300 words.

Prerequisite: Completion of ESL 3A with credit, or appropriate ESL placement level demonstrated through the assessment process.

E.S.L. 004C: College ESL IV: Listening and Speaking

- 3 units, P/NP, 3 lec
- NDA
- This English speech improvement class is for students with foreign language backgrounds and stresses pronunciation, intonation, idiomatic expressions, phrasing, grammar and vocabulary. Includes speaking assignments prepared by students.

E.S.L. 005A: College ESL V: Writing and Grammar

- 6 units, Letter, 6 lec
- DA, CSU
- Prerequisite: E.S.L. 004A or placement exam
- Students in this high-intermediate ESL course learn written composition, grammar, and critical reading skills to prepare them for college work. The emphasis is on writing based on critical reading, interpretation/analysis, and personal experience. Students will develop paraphrasing and summarizing skills. Grammar skills and mechanics are emphasized throughout each lesson.

Required: Eight to ten writing assignments, including at least four compositions of 300-500 words.

Prerequisite: Completion of ESL 4A with credit, or appropriate ESL placement level demonstrated through the assessment process.

ESL 005C: College ESL V: Listening and Speaking

- 3 units, Letter, 3 lec
- DA, CSU
- Students in this high-intermediate ESL course improve their listening comprehension and oral fluency to prepare for academic work across the curriculum. Speaking practice includes level-appropriate activities such as presentations, discussions, and interviews using academic vocabulary.

E.S.L. 006A: College ESL VI: Writing and Grammar

- 6 units, Letter, 6 lec
- DA, CSU
- Prerequisite: ESL 005A or placement exam
- Students in this advanced ESL course learn written composition, grammar, and critical reading skills to prepare them for college work. The emphasis is on writing based primarily on critical reading and interpretation/analysis. Students will be introduced to appropriate citation and basic bibliographic conventions in their writing. Advanced grammar skills and mechanics are emphasized throughout each lesson.

Required: Eight to ten writing assignments, including at least four essays of 400-600 words.

Prerequisite: Completion of ESL 5A with a grade of 'C' or better, or appropriate placement level demonstrated through the assessment process.

ESL 006C: College ESL VI: Listening and Speaking

- 3 units, Letter, 3 lec
- CSU
- Students In this low-advanced ESL course improve their listening comprehension and oral fluency to prepare for academic work across the curriculum. Speaking practice includes level-appropriate activities such as presentations, discussions, and debates using academic vocabulary.

E.S.L. 008: College ESL VI: Advanced ESL Composition

- 6 units, Letter, 6 lec, DE
- DA, CSU/UC, LACCD D1
- Prerequisite: ESL 006A or instructor approval.

- This is a course in written composition, grammar, and critical reading skills tailored for the English-as-a-second language student. It is a prerequisite for English 101. The emphasis is on writing based primarily on critical reading and interpretation/analysis. Students will be required to use MLA and/or APA citation and bibliographic conventions in their research. Advanced grammar skills and mechanics are emphasized throughout each lesson.

Required: Eight to ten writing assignments, including at least four essays of 600-800 words, and one research paper.

- UC limits how much credit you can receive for taking this course. See "UC Credit Limitations" section of the LAHC catalog for information.