

ENGLISH 101 ASSIGNMENT SCHEDULE

AUGUST

- 25 Introduce course / Syllabus / Prologue: How to Succeed in School
- 27 Chapter 1: Learning to Write / Writing sample

SEPTEMBER

- 1 LABOR DAY HOLIDAY
- 3 Chapter 2: What Makes Writing Effective? / Bring in Sample

- 8 Chapter 3: Finding Something to Write About
- 10 Chapter 4: From First Thoughts to First Drafts / Sign up for conferences

- 15 *Draft conferences*
- 17 *Draft conferences*

- 22 Chapter 11: Personal Writing (old Ch. 14)
- 24 Description Exercises / Bring in Sample / **ESSAY 1**

- 29 Chapter 5: Thesis, Purpose, Audience (old Ch. 5 and 11)

OCTOBER

- 1 Chapter 5: Tone and Style / Dialogue help / Drop Date (Oct. 3)

- 6 Chapter 8: Beginning, Ending, and Titling / **ESSAY 2**
- 8 Catch-up Day

- 13 Chapter 12: Writing to Inform (old Chapter 15)
- 15 Chapter 10: Editing (old Chapter 12)

- 20 Chapter 16: Research (old Chapter 23) / Bring in Sample
- 22 Chapter 17: Using Sources (old Chapter 24)

- 27 **ESSAY 3**
- 29 Chapter 13: Writing an Argument—Thinking It Through (old Chapter 16)

NOVEMBER

- 3 Chapter 14: Writing an Argument—Selling the Case (old Chapter 17)
- 5 Current Events / Bring in Sample / Sign up for conferences

- 10 *Draft Conferences*
- 12 *Draft Conferences*

- 17 Documentation help
- 19 Chapter 18: The Academic Research Paper / Last minute info on Essay 4

- 24 **ESSAY 4**
- 26 **THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY**

DECEMBER

- 1 How to write in class / Course Evaluations
- 3 Final Exam information

- 8 **FINAL EXAM** (written during exam period)
MW 11:00 class (11-1:30)
MW 2:30 class (2:30-5:00)