

ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES II (ENG 102)

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Code : 6390102

Office :

Instructor's Name :

Office Hours :

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★ COURSE DESCRIPTION:

English 102 is a learner-centered, integrated-skills based course that will develop students in the four skills (reading, writing, listening and speaking) in an academic context. Tasks involving higher order thinking skills will require students not only to understand, but also to synthesize and evaluate information, ideas and judgments as well. The variety of texts and perspectives presented through themes in and outside the class will facilitate their critical thinking process and thus enable students to become active and autonomous learners.

★ COURSE AIM AND OBJECTIVES:

The overall aim of this course is to develop students' academic reading, listening, writing and speaking skills.

READING

Students will practise:

1. identifying key ideas in a text
2. recognizing the relationship between ideas in and among texts
3. identifying the writer's technique
4. evaluating information by adopting critical reading skills
5. making inferences
6. reflecting on and reacting to the ideas in a text

LISTENING

Students will practise:

1. listening for a specific purpose
2. listening for main ideas
3. listening for supporting ideas/details
4. listening for implied ideas
5. listening and note-taking
6. recognizing the relationship between a recording and a reading text
7. reflecting on and reacting to ideas in a recording
8. evaluating ideas in a recording

SPEAKING

Students will practise:

1. expressing and justifying their opinion in class discussions
2. reacting to different ideas
3. synthesizing information from different sources
4. justifying their opinions/arguments by providing supporting details

WRITING

Students will:

1. use appropriate style, language structures, vocabulary and discourse markers in academic context
2. respond to prompt(s) in academic context
3. follow the stages in process writing approach while writing essays
4. do research
5. evaluate sources for relevance and reliability
6. identify and select relevant sources
7. identify reference information
8. practise using APA citation rules
9. practise borrowing ideas by quoting, paraphrasing, summarizing, and synthesizing

★ COURSE MATERIAL:

- Gülcü, M., Gülen, G., Şeşen, E., & Tokdemir, G. (2015). *The compass: Route to academic English* 2. Nüans Press.
- Booklet available on oduclass.
- CBT material provided by the instructor.

★ GRADING:

Letter Grades

- Speaking : 15%
- Writing 1 : 15%
- Essay : 25%
- Quiz/Task sheet: 15%
- Final Exam : 20%
- Participation : 10%

90- 100	85- 89	80- 84	75- 79	70- 74	65- 69	60- 64	50- 59	0- 49
AA	BA	BB	CB	CC	DC	DD	FD	FF

★ REMINDERS

• Writing Tasks (Writing 1 and essay):

- **Rough drafts** must be uploaded to Turnitin within the given time limits. Students will not be allowed to write them afterwards unless they have an official medical report.
- If students upload the **final draft** on Turnitin late, they will be penalized for each late day.
- If students fail to upload their **rough draft** or **final draft** to Turnitin, the assignments will not be graded. Those students will receive 0 (zero) for the assignments.

- **Final Exam:** You will not be given a make-up for the final exam unless you have an official medical report. Not taking the final exam will result in an **NA** grade.

★ ATTENDANCE

It is students' own responsibility to catch up with the class and to make up for any work done during their absence. Missing the class does not excuse them from not turning in assignments. They will not be given a make-up if they miss any in-class graded task without a medical report.

★ ACADEMIC INTEGRITY

It is the responsibility of students to avoid unethical practices. Students who engage in unethical practices; who cheat in examinations, essays or any other assessable work; and who conspire with others to procure such a result will become subject to disciplinary procedures.

If turnitin.com detects plagiarism in your essay, you will be penalized based on the plagiarism policy of Department of Modern Languages.

(see <http://www.mld.metu.edu.tr/node/202> for more information).

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Information for Students with Disabilities

Students who experience difficulties due to their disabilities and wish to obtain academic adjustments and/or auxiliary aids must contact ODTU Disability Support Office and/or course instructor and the advisor of students with disabilities at academic departments (for the list:

<http://engelsiz.metu.edu.tr/en/advisor-students-disabilities>) as soon as possible.

For detailed information, please visit the website of Disability Support Office:

<https://engelsiz.metu.edu.tr/en/>