

ELD 062-002 2014 Outline May 5 – August 15, 2014

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Time: 12:30 – 2:50 p.m. M, Tu, W, Th,

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You are expected to attend every day, participate in class, and complete assignments. If you are absent, you must leave a message with your teacher.

Required Books and Materials:

1. Active Skills for Reading 4 (3rd Edition) By Neil Anderson

Optional but Recomended

- 2. Understanding and Using English Grammar and answer key Azar & Hagen 4th Edition
- 3. Collins Cobuild Dictionary for Advanced Learners
- 4. Three-hole binder and loose-leaf paper

No Classes: Victoria Day - Monday, May 19th

Canada Day – Tuesday, July 1st BC Day – Monday, August 4th

Learning Outcomes

ELD 062 is an integrated skills course focusing on reading and writing. At the end of the 4-month course (10 hours per week), successful students will be able to:

Reading:

Using skimming, scanning, questions, predictions, key words, highlighting, margin notes, summarizing, inferences, illustrations and graphic organizers to accomplish reading for specific purposes;

Find, collect and select information for specific purposes from a variety of print and electronic sources; Show understanding of main ideas, factual details and inferred meanings in a variety of print materials and electronic sources containing authentic texts (1-2 pages);

Use text signals, context knowledge and word parts to make sense of unfamiliar words and specialized vocabulary;

Show comprehension of diagrams, flow charts, time lines and schedules;

Follow a set of written instructions (10 - 13 steps) on everyday tasks (technical and non-technical); and Develop personal responses to reading materials and support responses with reasons, examples and details.

Writing:

Use the writing process to compose well-organized 200-word texts on familiar relevant topics;

Complete moderately complex forms;

Take notes from oral reports;

Write business letters requesting information and making a complaint;

Reproduce information provided in simple illustrations, maps, charts or other graphic representations;

Communicate thoughts, ideas, concerns, feelings and experience; and

Use a checklist to appraise your own and others' work and make suggestions for revision and editing.

Continue to Learn How To:

Demonstrate time management and independent learning skills;

Make use of an English-English dictionary and a reference grammar in order to select or confirm appropriate word choice and correct usage;

Use the computer and library facilities at the college to find information and produce documents; Make appropriate word choice and correct usage.

 Students must satisfactorily demonstrate the outcomes according to the 062 level criteria in order to move to the next level. Quizzes and assignments included in overall assessment.