



CAMOSUN COLLEGE
School of Access
ELD Department

ELD 075-D02
Grammar for Composition
Winter 2021

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Description:

This course focuses on grammar for college level writing. Offered in a workshop format, it will help non-native English speakers to express analytical and critical thought in clear, grammatical sentences. Written and oral assignments will build and reinforce students' ability to write grammatical prose.

Ω Please note: This outline will not be kept indefinitely. It is recommended students keep this outline for their records, especially to assist in transfer credit to post-secondary institutions.

****This is an online course. Each student will need a computer and internet to do this course. Go over the following information to get ready for this course.***

<https://elearningtutorialscamosun.opened.ca/d2l-tutorials/d2l-for-students/>

<https://elearningtutorialscamosun.opened.ca/collaborate-ultra-tutorials/collaborate-for-students/>

https://camosun.ca/libguides.com/Student_Success/DistanceLearning

<http://camosun.ca/services/orientation/online-learning.html>

1. Instructor Information

Instructor: John Hampton

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Section: D02

Credits: 2

2. Intended Learning Outcomes

At successful completion of this course students will be able to:

- Demonstrate an understanding of the form and function of English grammatical structures as follows:
- Use self-monitoring to identify and correct errors in the revision process.
- Demonstrate accurate use of grammatical rules with minimal assistance from texts or teachers.

3. Required Materials

All course materials are on the ELD 075-D02 D2L Course

4. Course Content and Schedule

Winter 2021 Schedule

Week 1: Jan 21: *Course Introduction/Sentence Basics*

Week 2: Jan 26-28: *Sentence Types/Building Sentences*

Week 3: Feb 2-4: *Sentence fragments/Run-on Sentences/Sentence Quiz*

Week 4: Feb 9-11: *Verb Tenses*

Week 5: Feb 15-19: *Reading Break

Week 6: Feb 23-25: *Verb Tenses*

Week 7: Mar 2-4: *Conditionals/Active-passive voice/Verb Quiz*

Week 8: Mar 9-11: *Parallelism/Pronoun Problems*

Week 9: Mar 16-18: *Pronoun Problems/ Subject-verb Agreement*

Week 10: Mar 23-25: *Gerunds and Infinitives/Comparatives and Superlatives/Articles/A Lot of/few/little*

Week 11: Mar 30-Apr 1: *Review and Final Quiz*

5. Basis of Student Assessment (Weighting)

Evaluation

Quizzes: 50%

Class Participation: 50%

6. Grading System

Standard Grading System (GPA)

Competency Based Grading System

7. College Supports, Services and Policies



Immediate, Urgent, or Emergency Support

If you or someone you know requires immediate, urgent, or emergency support (e.g. illness, injury, thoughts of suicide, sexual assault, etc.),

SEEK HELP. Resource contacts @ <http://camosun.ca/about/mental-health/emergency.html> or <http://camosun.ca/services/sexual-violence/get-support.html#urgent>

College Services

Camosun offers a variety of health and academic support services, including counselling, dental, disability resource centre, help centre,

learning skills, sexual violence support & education, library, and writing centre. For more information on each of these services, visit the **STUDENT SERVICES** link on the College website at <http://camosun.ca/>

College Policies

Camosun strives to provide clear, transparent, and easily accessible policies that exemplify the college's commitment to life-changing learning. It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the content of College policies. Policies are available on the College website at <http://camosun.ca/about/policies/>. Education and academic policies include, but are not limited to, Academic Progress, Admission, Course Withdrawals, Standards for Awarding Credentials, Involuntary Health and Safety Leave of Absence, Prior Learning Assessment, Medical/Compassionate Withdrawal, Sexual Violence and Misconduct, Student Ancillary Fees, Student Appeals, Student Conduct, and Student Penalties and Fines.

A. GRADING SYSTEMS <http://www.camosun.bc.ca/policies/policies.php>

The following two grading systems are used at Camosun College:

1. Standard Grading System (GPA)

Percent age	Grad e	Description	Grade Point Equival ency
90-100	A+		9
85-89	A		8
80-84	A-		7
77-79	B+		6
73-76	B		5
70-72	B-		4
65-69	C+		3
60-64	C		2
50-59	D		1
0-49	F	Minimum level has not been achieved.	0

B. TEMPORARY GRADES

Assigned for specific circumstances and convert to a final grade according to the grading scheme being used in the course. (See Section E below for conversion to final grades.)

Temporary Grade	Description
I	Incomplete: A temporary grade assigned when the requirements of a course have not yet been completed. Students must complete the course requirements within six (6) weeks of the “I” grade being assigned. Appears on the transcript.
IP	In Progress: A temporary grade assigned for courses that may require further enrollment in the same course. No more than two IP grades will be assigned for the same course. (For these courses a final grade will be assigned to either the 3rd course attempt or at the point of course completion.) Appears on the transcript.