Course Description

Helps the student refine their reading processes. Emphasizes applying and synthesizing ideas. Includes ways to detect organization, make inferences, draw conclusions, evaluate generalizations, recognize differences between facts and opinions, and other advanced comprehension strategies. May include comprehensive library skills. Lecture 3 hours per week.

General Course Purpose

ENG 108 is designed to introduce students to critical reading techniques.

Course Prerequisites/Co-requisites

Prerequisite: An English Placement Testing recommendation for ENG 108 or ENG 5 or equivalent.

Course Objectives

Development of critical reading skills to analyze college level materials.

Major Topics to be Included

- Patterns of organization
- Drawing inferences/conclusions
- Recognizing facts and opinions
- Note taking
- Literary analysis