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Course Description: English 1302 builds upon what students learned in English 1301, emphasizing more complex research, analytical, and rhetorical skills. Students are prepared to write advanced essays and are introduced to the formal study of texts selected from a variety of genres (historical, philosophical, political, literary). Students learn to develop and support cogent written arguments, utilizing proper rules of evidence-gathering to draw key conclusions, to document sources, and to integrate citations using appropriate conventions of style (MLA). English 1302 focuses on critical thinking and problem solving to shape and define content, while also holding students responsible for the fundamentals learned in English 1301, such as familiarity with the traditional modalities of essay writing, mastery over sentence and paragraph construction, and the basics of English grammar and punctuation.

Course Objectives:

- Understand, strengthen and demonstrate the persuasive application of language in writing.
- Evaluate a variety of texts critically, both individually and through group discussion.
- Draw conclusions from the interpretation of a wide range of genres (historical, philosophical, political, literary) and mediums (visual texts, multimedia, speeches, recordings) that challenge student perspectives of person, place and identity (questions that relate to personal, social, and civic responsibility).
- Master common genre terminology.
- Compose multi-paragraph essays in appropriate rhetorical styles demonstrating advanced discourse.
- Prepare written analyses on a variety of texts and genres.
- Utilize proper research methods to support a logical thesis statement, as well as integrate and document the ideas of others in a competent manner.
- Demonstrate a thorough understanding of the appropriate conventions of style as applicable to upper-level courses and disciplines (MLA).

Learning Outcomes:

- 1. Demonstrate knowledge of individual and collaborative research processes.
- 2. Develop ideas and synthesize primary and secondary sources within focused academic arguments and essays.
- 3. Analyze, interpret, and evaluate a variety of texts for the ethical and logical uses of evidence.
- 4. Write in a style that clearly communicates meaning, builds credibility, and inspires belief or action.
- 5. Apply the conventions in correct MLA style.

Grading:

Students will complete a variety of in-class assignments and out-of-class reading and research.

- Major (60%)-includes 3 major papers and an oral presentation
- Minor (30%)—includes the midterm exam, grammar labs, rough drafts, vocabulary exercises, and quizzes.
- Final exam (10%)—a comprehensive exam at the end of the semester.

Late Work:

Late work is not accepted and will be awarded a zero. It is the students' responsibility to contact the professor to report circumstances contributing to late work. Circumstances will be considered case-by-case and may not be accepted as a reason for turning in late assignments.

Texts and Online Materials:

Anthem by Ayn Rand, Various readings and writing skills practice in McGraw Hill StudySync.

Student Disability Services:

The Office of Student Affairs is the designated campus department charged with the responsibility of reviewing and authorizing requests for reasonable accommodations based on a disability, and it is the student's responsibility to initiate such a request by contacting: Ms. Dallas A. Swafford Director of Student Disability Services ● 325-942-2047 ● dallas.swafford@angelo.edu ● Houston Harte University Center

Student Absence for Observance of Religious Holy Days:

A student who intends to observe a religious holy day should make that intention known in writing to the instructor prior to the absence. See ASU Operating Policy 10.19 Student Absence for Observance of Religious Holy Day for more information.

Academic Integrity:

Students are expected to maintain complete honesty and integrity in all work. Any student found guilty of any form of dishonesty in academic work is subject of disciplinary action and possible expulsion from ASU.

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 one's own. Plagiarism is literary theft. In your discussions and/or your papers, it is unacceptable
 to copy word-for-word without quotation marks and the source of the quotation. It is expected
 that you will summarize or paraphrase ideas giving appropriate credit to the source both in the
 body of your paper and the reference list. Resources to help you understand this policy better
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You are encouraged to report any incidents involving sexual misconduct to the Office of Title IX Compliance and the Director of Title IX Compliance/Title IX Coordinator, Michelle Miller, J.D. You may submit reports in the following manner:

Online: angelo.edu/incident-form

• Face to Face: Mayer Administration Building, Room 210

• Phone: 325-942-2022

• Email: michelle.miller@angelo.edu

Assignments and Due Dates: (This is a tentative schedule and may be adjusted for unforeseen circumstances. Students will be notified in class and through email if any changes are made. No assignments will be added.)

WEEK	ASSIGNMENTS	DATE ASSIGNED	DUE DATE
01/18/22- 01/21/22	Capitalization of Quotations in StudySync	Jan 18	Jan 20 (11:59 pm)
	Vocabulary List 1	Jan 18	
	Reading for Analysis and Writing Commentary PPT and graphic organizer	Jan 18 (in class activity)	
	How to write a strong introduction review	Jan 19 (in class lecture)	
	Anthem Thesis paragraph Conferences	Jan 19	Jan 20 (11:59 pm) in Google Classroom
01/24/22- 01/28/22	Quotations with other punctuation in StudySync	Jan 24	Jan 27 (11:59 pm)
	Vocabulary list 2 (test Thurs.)	Jan 24	
	Essay Template Handout, Lecture: Finding and quoting what others have said about your topic. In text citations.	Jan 24 (in class)	
	Anthem Body Paragraphs 1-3 in Google Classroom (2 nd conference)	Jan 21	Jan 25 (11:59 pm)
	Citing primary and secondary sources	(in class)	
	Vocabulary Quiz 1 (lists 1 & 2)	Jan 27	Jan 27
	Anthem rough draft with citations	Jan 25	Jan 28 (11:59 pm)
01/31/22-	Capitalization of sentences in StudySync	Jan 31	Feb. 4 (11:59 pm)
02/04/22	Vocabulary list 3	Jan 31	
	Peer Edit rough drafts Revise and edit	Jan 31 (in class)	
	Marker Verbs and Strong Verbs Handout and discussion	Feb 1 (in class)	
	Revise verb usage	(in class)	Fob 2
	Anthem Revised draft Second peer edit		Feb. 2
	Final Draft Essay 1		Feb. 4 (11: 59 pm)
	Blast assignment in StudySnyc	Feb 3	Feb 4
02/07/22- 02/11/22	Figurative Language in StudySync	Feb. 7	Feb. 11 (11:59 pm)
<i>52</i> /11/22	Vocabulary list 4	Feb. 7	
	Introduction to poetry/How to read poetry	(in class)	Feb. 9
	Poetry Reading 1 "Little Brown Girl" Quiz in StudySync		Feb. 11
	Vocabulary Quiz 2 (lists 3 & 4)		Feb. 10

WEEK	ASSIGNMENTS	DATE ASSIGNED	DUE DATE
02/14/22-	Feb. 14: Staff Day only		
02/18/22	Commonly Confused Words 1 in noredink.com	Feb. 14	Feb. 18 (11:59 pm)
	Vocabulary List 5	Feb. 15	
	Modernism lecture	Feb. 15 (in class)	
	Poetry Reading 2 and quiz: "The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock"		Feb. 15 (11:59 pm)
	Discussion of "J. Alfred Prufrock" and complete Close Read questions in StudySync		
	Poetry Reading 3 "The Second Coming"		Feb. 16
	How to compare 2 pieces of literature handout and lecture	(in class)	
	Poetry Reading 4 "Dulce Et Decorum Est" in Study Sync		Feb. 18
02/21/22- 02/25/22	Commonly Confused Words 2 in noredink.com	Feb 21	Feb 25 (11:59 pm)
	Vocabulary List 6	Feb 21	Feb 24 Test
	Poetry Reading 4 quiz due. Discuss "Dulce Et Decorum Est.	Feb. 21	Feb. 23
	Vocabulary Review	Feb. 23 (in Class)	
	Subject/Verb Agreement Purdue Owl practice	(in class)	
	Poetry Reading 5: "The Fish" in StudySync	Feb. 24	Feb 28
	Vocabulary Quiz 3 (lists 5 & 6)		Feb. 24
02/28/22- 03/04/22	"Commas-Misuse" in StudySync	Feb. 28	Mar. 04 (11:59 pm)
03/04/22	Poetry Reading 5: "The Fish" Quiz		March 1
	Poetry Reading 6: "Oh, Captain, My Captain" in StudySync TV		Mar. 4
03/07/22- 03/11/22	Parallel Structures	March 7	March 11
	Essay 2 Poetry analysis Thesis paragraph (Google Classroom)	Mar 7	Mar. 9 beginning of class
	Conferences in class	Mar. 9	
	Midterm exam (Vocab lists 1-6, commonly confused words)	Mar. 10	Mar. 10

03/14/22-	SPRING BREAK		
03/18/22 WEEK	ASSIGNMENTS	DATE ASSIGNED	DUE DATE
03/21/22- 03/25/21	Vocabulary List 7 Poetry body paragraphs 1-3	March 9	March 22
	Rhetorical Devices Handout and lecture First rough draft Voice, tone, mood video and lecture		March 25
	UIL Mar 23-no class		
03/28/22- 04/01/22	Contested Usage in StudySync Vocabulary list 8 Peer review and edit First draft	Mar. 28 Mar. 28 (in class)	Apr. 2
	Rough Draft with citations Peer review rough drafts	Mar. 31 (in class)	March 31 Beginning of class
	Contested Usage video and lecture		
04/04/22- 04/08/22	Adjectives in StudySync		Apr. 8
04/06/22	Peer Review revised drafts	Apr. 5 in class	
	Essay 2 Final Draft Due in Google Classroom		Apr. 5
	Using dashes for Rhetorical effect	Apr. 6 in class activity	
	Analyzing visual texts	Apr. 7 in class activity	
	Vocabulary test 4 (lists 7&8)	Mar. 21, 28	Apr. 8
04/11/22-	Vocab list 9	Apr. 11	
04/15/22	Reading 1: Speech—"We Choose to go to the Moon" and quiz	Apr. 11	Apr. 14
	Visual and contextual support "Hope" in StudySync	Apr. 11	Apr. 12
	Lecture: Using visuals in an MLA paper	Apr. 12 in class	
	Print and Graphic Features in StudySync	Apr. 12	Apr. 14
04/18/2022- 04/22/2022	Vocab list 10	Apr. 19	
	"Dream Home" in StudySync	Apr. 18	Apr. 20
	"Print and Graphic Features-Dream Home" in StudySync	Apr. 20	Apr. 22

	Subjunctive form of Verbs-Lecture and practice	In class	
	Reading 2: Speech—"Commencement Address, Be Ye Men of Valor and quiz		Apr. 21
	Reading 3: "Speech to the Troops at Tilbury" and quiz		Apr. 21
	Analyze techniques in speeches	April 22 in class	
	Vocabulary Quiz 5 (lists 9 & 10)		Apr. 22
WEEK	ASSIGNMENTS	DATE ASSIGNED	DUE DATE
04/25/22- 04/29/22	Consistent Verb Tenses in StudySync		Apr. 29
	Essay 3 and group project Thesis		April 26
April 28 last	Paragraph		
day to drop	Conferences		Apr. 27-29
	Writing and Group work days Essay 3 body paragraphs 1-3 and one		April 20
	illustration		April 29
05/02/22-	Essay 3 Rough draft with citations and		May 4 beginning of class
05/06/22	illustrations		
	Peer editing	May 4 in class	
	Writing and Group work day	May 5	
	Essay 3 Final Draft		May 6
05/09/22-	Group presentations		May 9
05/13/22	Review for final		May 10
	Final Exam (Proctored, no notes): Vocab lists 1-10, punctuation, verb usage		May 11