

# ENGL 103

## Rhetoric & Composition I



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### Fall 2024 Daily Schedule

Date	Due Before Class	Activities During Class
Week 1		Words: Rhetoric & Composition
Monday, Aug. 26 <sup>th</sup>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to ENGL 103: Syllabus, Schedule, Grading, and Blackboard</li> <li>Class Questions 1.0</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Aug. 28 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Watch:</b> "<a href="#">10 Myths about Writing</a>"</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What is Writing?</li> <li>Introduction to WP0</li> </ul>
Friday, Aug. 30 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Watch:</b> "<a href="#">Why Reflection?</a>"</li> <li><b>Watch:</b> "<a href="#">What is a Critical Reflection?</a>"</li> <li><b>WP0 Full Draft</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to Portfolio</li> <li>Building Portfolio</li> <li>Introduction to Seed Narrative</li> </ul>
Week 2		Words: Composing & Invention
Monday, Sept. 2 <sup>nd</sup>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>NO CLASS: Labor Day</b></li> </ul>
Wednesday, Sept. 4 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>WP1 Seed Narrative</b></li> <li><b>Read:</b> "<a href="#">On Genre</a>"</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to WP1</li> <li>Genre Exploration</li> </ul>
Friday, Sept. 6 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Read:</b> "<a href="#">Remediation</a>"</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remediation Brainstorming</li> <li>Informal Proposals</li> </ul>
Week 3		Words: Genre & Discourse
Monday, Sept. 9 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Assignment:</b> Remediation plan/proposal</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP1 Feedback and Drafting</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Sept. 11 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP1 Pieces</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP1 Workshop Day</li> <li>Reflection Practice</li> </ul>
Friday, Sept. 13 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>WP1: Narrative 2.0 (Completion Draft)</b></li> <li><b>Watch:</b> "<a href="#">Writing Transfer &amp; Reflection</a>"</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to Reflection</li> </ul>
Week 4		Word: Revision
Monday, Sept. 16 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reflection Rubric</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP1 Reflection and Revision Plan</li> <li>Reflection rubric discussion</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Sept. 18 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peer Revision Experiences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peer Revision Discussion</li> </ul>

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Friday, Sept. 20 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP1: Reflection (Completion Draft)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peer Revision Workshop</li> </ul>
	Week 5	Word: Reflection
Monday, Sept. 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Sept. 25 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
Friday, Sept. 27 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP1: Narrative 2.0 (Revision Draft &amp; Reflection)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to WP2</li> <li>Portfolio Update</li> </ul>
	Week 6	Words: Research & Evidence
Monday, Sept. 30 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Read: “<a href="#">Discourse Communities</a>”</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussion of discourse communities</li> <li>Choosing your community</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Testing Class Discourse Community</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Class Discourse Community</li> <li>Good Collaboration Groups</li> </ul>
Friday, Oct. 4 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mini-Collaboration Report</li> <li>Samples</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Making Arguments</li> </ul>
	Week 7	Words: Audience
Monday, Oct. 7 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Watch: “<a href="#">Writing Claims</a>”</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finding Evidence</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Oct. 9 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find a Reading</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Incorporating Evidence</li> <li>Curating your data</li> </ul>
Friday, Oct. 11 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Read: “<a href="#">Writing for an Audience</a>”</li> <li>WP2 Data and Argument Outline</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Responding to Different Audiences</li> </ul>
	Week 8	Words: Curation & Bias
Monday, Oct. 14 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collaboration Report</li> <li>Observation Data</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Observation Swap and Discussion</li> <li>Checking claims &amp; evidence</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Oct. 16 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reflection Draft</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reflection Practice</li> <li>Putting It All Together</li> </ul>
Friday, Oct. 18 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP2: New Discourse (Completion Draft &amp; Reflection)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peer Revision Workshop</li> </ul>
	Week 9	Review: Revision & Reflection
Monday, Oct. 21 <sup>st</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Oct. 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
Friday, Oct. 25 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WP2: New Discourse (Revision Draft &amp; Reflection)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduction to WP3</li> <li>Portfolio Update</li> </ul>
	Week 10	Words: Exigence & Purpose
Monday, Oct. 28 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proposing Topics</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brainstorming topics</li> <li>Making groups</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Oct. 30 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Group Proposal</li> <li>Group Contract</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Groupwork Time</li> <li>Proposal/Contract</li> </ul>

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Friday, Nov. 1 <sup>st</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Audience ideas</li> <li><b>Watch:</b> “<a href="#">Audience Spectrum</a>”</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Determining Audience</li> </ul>
	Week 11	Words: Rhetorical Appeals
Monday, Nov. 4 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ideas for convincing audience</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Specific genre features of WP3</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Nov. 6 <sup>th</sup>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collaboration Report Time</li> <li>Group Work Time</li> </ul>
Friday, Nov. 8 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All of your pieces</li> <li><b>Final Collaboration Report</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Group Work Time</li> </ul>
	Week 12	Words: Rhetorical Appeals
Monday, Nov. 11 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>WP3: Joining the Discussion (Completion &amp; Reflection Draft)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peer Revision Workshop</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Nov. 13 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
Friday, Nov. 15 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
	Week 13	Words: Research & Support
Monday, Nov. 18 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>WP3: Joining the Discussion (Revision Draft &amp; Reflectio)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Portfolio update</li> <li>Introduction to WP4</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Nov. 20 <sup>th</sup>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>NO Class: Thanksgiving Break</b></li> </ul>
Friday, Nov. 22 <sup>nd</sup>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>NO Class: Thanksgiving Break</b></li> </ul>
	Week 14	Word: Multimodality
Monday, Nov. 25 <sup>th</sup>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reflection &amp; Transfer Workshop</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Nov. 27 <sup>th</sup>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Revision Workshop</li> </ul>
Friday, Nov. 29 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>WP4: Reflection Overview (Completion Draft)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peer Revision Workshop</li> </ul>
	Week 15	Word: Learning Transfer
Monday, Dec. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
Wednesday, Dec. 4 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conference Questions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conferences</li> </ul>
Friday, Dec. 6 <sup>th</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>WP4: Reflection Overview (Revision Draft)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Portfolio Completion</li> </ul>
	Finals	Week
Finals Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Final Portfolio Draft Due by 11:59 PM</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Optional Conferences.</li> </ul>