

King Saud University
Community College, Riyadh
Department of Arts and Education

Course Number: ENG 111

Course Title: Basic Language Skills

Credit Hours: 3

Class Standing: Level 1

Course Objectives: This grammar course has been designed for Level 1 students. Its main focus is to train the students in the skills of constructing basic English sentences. Stress is on thorough training and practice in basic sentence writing by making extensive use of exercises, both in the classroom and in home assignments. At the end of the course the students are expected to write correct English sentences.

Teaching Schedule

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1.	ORIENTATION....Parts of Speech- I. Words and Sentences II. The Sentence Subjects and Verbs	1 2
2.	III. Substantives: Nouns, Kinds of Nouns, and their Properties. Pronouns, Kinds of Pronouns and their Properties	4-7
3.	IV. Verbs, their kinds and properties, Transitive, Intransitive, and Linking. Tenses- Present , past, future-simple, perfect...	8-20
4.	V. Basic Sentence Patterns- S+V, S+V+O, S+LV+ C, Substantive Complement, Adj. Complement, cases in 3 patterns..	21-24
5.	VI. Modifiers, their types, use of Punctuations with them ..	26-43
6.	VII. Verbals- The Infinitive, their forms and functions, Some Special notes on Infinitive, Sequence of tenses, punctuations.	44-50
7.	FIRST MID – TERM TEST VIII. Compounds- Coordinating Conjunctions, Two Unit and Multiple Unit Compounds, Conjunctions their pairs...	51-59
8.	IX. The Compound Predicate – A 4 th Sentence Pattern, their forms and functions...	60-62

9.	X. Appositives- Their Forms and function, Restrictive and Nonrestrictive Appositives,	63-64
10.	XI. Independent sentence elements, Exclamatory and Interpolated Elements, Vocatives, The Expletive <i>there</i> ..	68-69
11.	XII. Types of sentences, Declarative, Imperative, Interrogative,..	71-77
12.	XIII. Phrases- Verb, Prepositional , Gerund, Participle and Infinitive phrases...	78-96
13.	XIV. The Complex Sentence- Independent and dependent Clauses- Simple and Complex Sentences- Types of Dependent Clauses, the Noun Clause and it's form and function and types.	102-112
14.	XIV. Adjective Clauses SECOND MID-TERM TEST	127-134
15.	XIV. Adverb Clauses XV. Compound and Compound Complex Sentences	135- 147 148-155.
16.	R E V I S I O N	

Book Prescribed : Writing Good Sentences by Claude W. Faulkner