



## English III General Part 1

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Please read the information in this syllabus before proceeding to the course materials.

**Credits** .5 credit

**Prerequisites** EN021, EN022 (English II)

### INSTRUCTIONAL TEAM

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### COURSE DESCRIPTION

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### LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After completing English III General, students will be able to:

- Objective: Integrate and evaluate multiple sources of information presented in different media or formats (e.g., visually, quantitatively) as well as in words in order to address a question or solve a problem.
- Objective: Establish and maintain a formal style and objective tone while attending to the norms and conventions of the discipline in which they are writing.
- Objective: Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
- Objective: Examine and explain how culture influences language through projects.



- Objective: Use language persuasively in addressing a particular issue by finding and interpreting information effectively.
- Objective: Reflect and respond expressively to texts so that the audience will discover multiple perspectives.
- Objective: Demonstrate the ability to read, listen to and view a variety of increasingly complex print and non-print expressive.
- Objective: Present information, findings, and supporting evidence, conveying a clear and distinct perspective such that listeners follow the line of reasoning, alternative or opposing perspectives are addressed, and the organization perspectives are addressed, and the organization, development, substance, and style are appropriate to the purpose, audience, and a range of formal and informal tasks.
- Objective: Develop and strengthen writing as needed by planning, revising, editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach, focusing on addressing what is most significant for a specific purpose and audience.
- Objective: Gather relevant information from multiple authoritative print and digital sources, using advanced searches effectively; assess the strengths and limitations of each source in terms of the task, purpose, and audience; integrate information into the text selectively to maintain the flow of ideas, avoiding plagiarism and overreliance on any one source and following a standard format for citation.
- Objective: Evaluate the literary merit and/ or historical significance of a work from the Modern Era.
- Objective: Create memoirs that give an audience a sense of how the past can be significant for the present.

LESSONS	TOPICS
Lesson 1:	Review of Reading, Writing, Grammar, and Research
Lesson 2:	Real World Applications: The Environment
Lesson 3:	Real World Applications: Human Rights

## GRADING

The following point totals correspond to the following grades:

POINTS	GRADE
100-90	A
89-80	B
79-70	C
65-69	D



Below 65 F

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## GRADE WEIGHT

TOPIC	ACTIVITY	PERCENTAGE
Lesson 1	MC Quiz	20%
Lesson 2	MC Quiz	20%
Lesson 3	MC Quiz	20%
Assignment 1	Recycled Art and Writing	20%
Assignment 2	Educational Flyer	20%

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## English III General Part 2

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**Prerequisites** EN031

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Lesson 2:	All About Love

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