



Course Objectives, Student Learning Outcomes, and Promotion Requirements

Interpretation of Achievement Scale – Advanced Grammar and Writing Level 9

The goal of Advanced Grammar and Writing Level 9 is for students to review, evaluate and practice advanced grammatical structures in the contextual frameworks in which they are used.

Advanced Grammar and Writing Level 9 Teaching Objectives:

Students will review advanced grammar skills that include the form and usage of:

1. Nouns and noun phrases
 - a) Count and noncount nouns
 - b) Descriptive and quantitative adjectives, articles, and prepositions in the construction of noun phrases
2. Simple past and present perfect verb tenses
 - a) Analysis of appropriate tense choice for precise time communication
3. Word forms in relationship to parts of speech for lexical precision
4. Modals
 - a) use in creating and comprehending nuanced meaning in text and speech.
5. Prepositions
6. Gerunds and infinitives
7. Passive voice
 - a) Appropriate usage of antecedents and stylistic application

Course Evaluation

Original Writing Assignments	50%
Quizzes	25%
Homework	
Final Exam	25%

Advanced Grammar and Writing Level 9 Student Learning Outcomes to Formally Assess:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

1. Identify, evaluate, and generate text using nouns and noun phrases (including correct articles, adjectives, and prepositions) in relation to their use in a particular context of meaning in both oral and written form.
2. Analyze, explain, and produce text that uses and differentiates the simple past and present perfect verb tenses for the precise presentation of time in both oral and written form.
3. Identify and produce text that demonstrates understanding of word forms and their associated parts of speech in both oral and written form.
4. Recognize and produce text using both active and passive voice in both oral and written form.
5. Explain and produce text that uses modal structures to convey nuanced meaning in both oral and written form.
6. Identify and produce sentences that demonstrate understanding of gerunds and infinitives in both oral and written form.



Grading Scale

EXCELLENT		GOOD		AVERAGE		REPEAT	
A+	98-100	B+	88-91	C+	78-81	R	0-70
A	95-97	B	85-87	C	74-77		
A-	92-94	B-	82-84	C-	71-73		
The student demonstrates level-appropriate English ability that is almost always accurate and is characterized by a strong competence in the SLOs listed above.		The student demonstrates level-appropriate English ability that is generally accurate and is characterized by a competence in the SLOs listed above.		The student demonstrates level-appropriate English ability that is somewhat accurate and is characterized by an emerging competence in the SLOs listed above.		The student does not demonstrate level-appropriate English ability and is incompetent in the SLOs listed above.	

Advanced Grammar and Writing Level 9 Requirements for Promotion

1. Students must pass the class with a cumulative grade of C- (71%) or better.