

UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA

Online Vocational English Program

Goal, Objectives, and Student Learning Outcomes

Level 2 - Vocational Reading/Writing/Grammar

Goal:

Build beyond foundational skills in Reading, Writing and Grammar skills through extensive reading of multi-paragraphed text, writing practice and mastery of grammatical functions and structures at the A2 level.

Objectives (functions/ structures taught)

- Using context clues to guess meaning of unknown words
- Developing everyday vocabulary related to self, school and work
- Demonstrating understanding of a passage through class discussions, comprehension questions and assessments
- Skimming for the main idea of a passage
- Scanning for specific information within a passage
- Summarizing short readings on familiar topics
- Identifying introductory and concluding statements
- Identifying meaning of new words through context
- Writing simple and compound sentences
- Writing a paragraph with a controlling topic sentence
- Editing for verb forms, spelling and word order
- Recognizing and utilizing the simple present, present continuous, simple past, past continuous and the future with will.
- Describe daily work activities
- Report a problem at work
- Make a suggestion at work

Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) (measured/assessed/ mastered)

- Identify main ideas and details in a passage at the A2 level
- Distinguish between main ideas and details in a passage at the A2 level
- Summarize main ideas of a reading, at the A2 level, in writing.
- Compose short paragraphs, on a controlling idea, with simple and compound sentences, employing North American conventions
- Utilize vocabulary at the A2 level to express ideas in writing
- Describe a problem at work and offer a suggestion