

Writing 1

UCSC Writing Program

Provides declarative knowledge and procedural knowledge about writing, with a special focus on genre, rhetorical situation, revision, editing, and making connections between texts and one's own perspective. Prerequisite(s): College 1 and Writing 26; or College 1 and AWPE score of 2-6 or AWPE for Multilingual Students (AWPE-ELL) score of 6. Enrollment limited to 20.

Educational Outcomes

1. Demonstrate understanding of the purpose-driven nature of academic writing.
2. Identify and use rhetorical concepts (such as audience, purpose, context, or genre) to analyze and write about a variety of texts.
3. Use strategies such as response, analysis, interpretation, or critique to produce purpose-driven writing that draws connections between texts and student writers' perspectives.
4. Support their ideas through the use of appropriately acknowledged texts and, as appropriate, examples, personal experience, and/or observations.
5. Compose projects through multiple drafts using both writer- and reader-based strategies and revising for focus, quality of content, and/or coherence. Implement strategies to edit work according to genre and disciplinary conventions such as arrangement, language use, mechanics, or documentation style
6. Reflect cognitively and metacognitively on processes for writing and analysis, building on strengths and addressing weaknesses.