## Academic Writing Lab (AS009, no credit)

## Course Description:

This is a weekly lab designed to complement and supplement Reading and Composition. The course offers instructional support and focused practice in college-level reading, writing, and analytical skills to students who are underprepared in these areas. Writing is the primary focus of this course in which classwork emphasizes the fundamentals of English grammar, syntax, paragraph development, vocabulary, and the application of these elements for text-based assignments given in Reading and Composition, ENG 101. Since students' individual needs vary, instructors offer intensive individualized attention.

## Prerequisite: Academic Placement

Students will:

1. Enhance communication literacy through experiences that strengthen the ability to read, write, speak, listen, and think critically. (PC 1, 2, 3)
2. Develop key college-level reading, writing, and study skills and successfully apply them to course work. (PC 3)
3. Employ the formal writing process - pre-writing, writing, editing, and revising - to compose responses to course work. (PC 2,3)

## Required Texts:

- The Broadview Anthology of Expository Prose. 3rd ed. Broadview Press, 2016.

ISBN: 9781554813339

- Casson, Leslie E. A Writer's Handbook: Developing Writing Skills for University Students. 3rd ed. Broadview Press, 2011.

ISBN 9781554810772

- Starkey, David. Academic Writing Now: A Brief Guide for Busy Students. Broadview Press, 2015.

ISBN 9781554813803
(\$20.95)
Supplementary Readings: There are no supplemental readings for this course.
Supplies: There are no supplies for this course.
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