

Week	Date	Activities & Skill Focus	Assignments Due
1 & 2	1/28 - 2/6	Introduction to the class & diagnostic writing Introduction to research essay topic (Change & Innovation) Evaluating Sources & APA Style Citations/Format - Overview Genre Discovery and Analysis: Blogs Past Tense forms	Blog first draft due (Thursday, Week 2)
3 & 4	2/11- 2/20	Common knowledge vs. Cited Material Genre Discovery and Analysis: Open Letters Gerunds and Infinitives Agreement	<u>Blogs Final Drafts Due</u> (Thursday, week 3) Gerunds and Infinitives & Agreement <b>quiz</b> (Tuesday, week 4) <i>Introduction paragraph due</i> (Thursday, week 4) <i>Open letter mock up due</i> (Sunday, week 4)
5 & 6	2/25- 3/5	Open letter follow up Appositives with Paraphrasing/Summarizing Sentence boundaries Summary-Response Essay Test Questions	<u>In-Class Writing #1: Open Letter</u> (Thursday, week 5) (Thursday, week 6) Appositives and sentence boundaries <b>quiz</b> (Thursday, week 6)
7 & 8	3/10- 3/19	Summary-Response Essay Test Questions Parallel Structure Article Usage Adverb Clauses	<u>Summary-Response short in-class writing #2 + Midterm grammar exam (all grammar so far)</u> (Thursday, week 8) <i>Research essay body paragraphs due</i> (Thursday, week 8)

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<b>9 &amp; 10</b>	<b>3/31- 4/9</b>	APA Title page and References page Genre Discovery and Analysis: Listicles Coherence and Cohesion Noun Phrases and Complex Noun Phrases	<i>Research essay first full draft – with cover page and references page (Thursday, week 10)</i>
<b>11 &amp; 12</b>	<b>4/14- 4/23</b>	Problem-Solution Listicles Noun Clauses	<u>Problem-Solution in-class writing #3</u> (Thursday, week 11) <i>Research essay final draft due</i> (Thursday, week 12)
<b>13 &amp; 14</b>	<b>4/28- 5/7</b>	Argumentative Essay structure Adjective Clauses (Adverb Clauses) Sentence combining review	Noun phrases & noun clauses <b>quiz</b> (Tuesday, week 13) Adjective clauses <b>quiz</b> (Sunday, week 14 online)
<b>15 &amp; 16</b>	<b>5/12- 5/14</b>	Grammar final exam review	
	<b>5/19- 5/21</b>	<b>Final Writing Exam - <u>In-class writing #4: Argumentative Essay</u></b> Tuesday and Thursday, 5/19 & 5/21	
<b>17</b>	<b>12/10</b>	<b>Final Grammar Exam</b> on Tuesday, 5/26 from 9:25 to 11:25 am	