



EPGY English Program 美國史丹福大學資優兒課程 (英文)

Writing Courses 英文寫作 (direct tuition by Stanford University EPGY)

All English writing courses (except E01 and W11C) have weekly meetings in the virtual classroom where students and instructors discuss aspects of the course. The courses have long and short essay assignments which students complete off-line and submit electronically to instructors for evaluation. Most English courses are offered just once a quarter. You can, however, begin the E01A-C courses at the start of any month. All students must pass with a B- or better in every class to continue in the EPGY English Program.

Students applying to take Expository Writing courses must submit writing samples for assessment at least 45 days before the quarter starts (Usual start months: Spring Quarter - April; Summer Quarter - June; Fall Quarter - September; Winter Quarter – January). Enrolments are subject to passing a writing assessment test.

申請參加EPGY 英文寫作者, 須於學期開課四十五日前呈交寫作樣本 (詳情請電 2504 2228) 報名者須參加 EPGY 寫作評核試, 以便確認能否被取錄

Fees: Test fee: HK\$280 (non-refundable) Tuition: HK\$4880 fixed term 1 quarter. Tuition does not include books and course readers.

(Introductory level)

W09A Introductory Expository Writing

W09B Introductory Non-fiction Description and Narration

W09C Introductory Literary Analysis

This course sequence is intended for students who are reading at the sixth-grade level or beyond, who have a good grasp of the essential elements of English grammar and mechanics. The sequence provides opportunities to develop paragraph- and essay-writing skills. Topics include: paragraph coherence and development; thesis statements and essay organization; narration and description; introduction to literary analysis. Students read and discuss texts chosen from a variety of fiction sources. (Reading material can vary depending on instructor.) Virtual classroom is mandatory. All students must pass W09A with a B- or better as the prerequisite to W09B or W09C. W09B and W09C do not have to be taken sequentially. Completion time: 1 quarter per course.

(Intermediate level)

W10A Intermediate Expository Writing and Textual Analysis

W10B Intermediate Literary Analysis: *The Importance of Being Earnest*

W10C Intermediate Argumentation

These courses introduce students to essay composition in the context of critical reading. These courses are intended for students studying in middle school, and for students who have completed W09ABC. Topics include: literary analysis; argumentative essay composition; critical reading of a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts, including poems, short stories, narrative essays, a full-length dramatic work, historical nonfiction, and editorials. (Reading material can vary depending on instructor.)

Virtual classroom is mandatory. All students must pass W10A with a B- or better as the prerequisite to W10B or W10C. W10B and W10C do not have to be taken sequentially. Completion time: 1 quarter per course.

(Advanced level)

W11A Advanced Expository Writing and Literary Analysis

W11B Shakespeare: *Julius Caesar*

W11C Advanced Rhetoric and Argument

