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# Composition I

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## **COURSE SYLLABUS COLLIN COLLEGE** (6 pages)

<b>COURSE INFORMATION</b>
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**Course Number:** ENGL 1301.WS7 & WS8

**Course Title:** Composition I

**Course Credit Hours:** 3

Lecture Hours: 3

Lab Hour: 1

**Placement Assessments:** Placement in ENGL 1301; College-Level Reading

**Course Description:** Intensive study of and practice in writing processes, from invention and researching to drafting, revising, and editing, both individually and collaboratively. Emphasis on effective rhetorical choices, including audience, purpose, arrangement, and style. Focus on writing the academic essay as a vehicle for learning, communicating, and critical analysis. Lab required.

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

- State-mandated Outcomes: Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Demonstrate knowledge of individual and collaborative writing processes. (Teamwork, Communication Skills)
2. Develop ideas with appropriate support and attribution. (Communication Skills)
3. Write in a style appropriate to audience and purpose. (Communication Skills)
4. Read, reflect, and respond critically to a variety of texts. (Critical Thinking)
5. Use Edited American English in academic essays.

- Additional Collin Outcome: Upon successful completion of this course, students should be able to do the following:

1. Demonstrate personal responsibility through the ethical use of intellectual property. (Personal Responsibility)

**Important College Dates:**

- Census Date: 2/4
- Withdraw Date: 3/22
- Grades due in CougarWeb: 5/13, 11:00 pm

**If you register late for this course, you will not be able to make up any assignments.**

**College Repeat Policy:** Beginning fall 2016, Texas residents attempting a course more than twice at Collin College are subject to regular tuition plus an additional \$50 per semester credit hour.

**Plagiarism:** See the current *Collin Student Handbook*. As your instructor, I am asked to report suspected cases of plagiarism, collusion, and/or any scholastic dishonesty to the Dean of Students at Collin College. I will withhold a grade until your case is reviewed. All plagiarized assignments will receive a grade of a 0, and the student can possibly fail the course.

**Religious Holy Days:** Refer to the *Collin Student Handbook*.

**Americans with Disabilities Act:** Collin College will adhere to all applicable federal, state and local laws, regulations and guidelines with respect to providing reasonable accommodations as required to afford equal opportunity. It is the student's responsibility to contact the ACCESS office, SCC-D140 or 972.881.5898 (V/TTD: 972.881.5950) to arrange for appropriate accommodations. See the current *Collin Student Handbook* for additional information.

INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION
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**Instructor's Name:** Kelly Martin, Ph.D.

**Office Number:** B-105 at Spring Creek Campus (inside B-104 suite)

**Office Hours:** Refer to Meeting Times "section"

**Phone Number:** 972-516-5050 (email instead of leaving voicemail)

**Email:** kmartin@collin.edu [Preferred **method of contact is Canvas email**] Emails will USUALLY be addressed within 24 hrs. (except on weekends)

**Minimum Technology Requirements:** Familiarity with Microsoft Word (or equivalent program) and ability to perform basic Internet research; Internet-connected computer with appropriate hardware and software for listening to audio files and viewing online videos.

**Class Etiquette & Discussion Board Participation Requirements:** Refer to rubric uploaded in Canvas. Discussion posts and replies are graded.

**Supplies:** Textbook—refer to next page.

**Attendance Policy:** No late assignments are accepted. Technological difficulties are not excuses for late work, which is why you should not wait until the last minute to start and/or submit an assignment.

**Meeting Times:** Online **ONLY**, synchronous meetings using the online, free platform, Zoom. Contact instructor to arrange date/time for a meeting.

**Method of Evaluation:**

Course grades will be based on a 1,000-point scale.

1000-900 points=A

899-800 points=B

799-700=C

699-600=D

599 and below=F

**Assignments & Points:** out of 1,000 points (refer to end of document)

Some assignments will be due on Saturday or Sunday, but you can always work ahead.

**Required Textbook (\$25):**

Online textbook, the code for which can only be purchased at the Plano/Spring Creek Campus OR online via the College bookstore. (If purchasing online make sure to select the aforementioned campus.) You can apply financial aid.

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**Course Schedule** (subject to change) & assignments values on next page—**Zoom in to enlarge**.

Course average based on a 1,000-point scale

Date	Details	
Mon Jan 28, 2019	 <a href="#">E.C. Canvas Orientation Quiz</a>	due by 11:59pm
	 <a href="#">E.C. Pic.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Thu Jan 31, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Introd.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Wed Feb 6, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc. Rubric</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Feb 8, 2019	 <a href="#">S.C. Writing Assign.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Tue Feb 12, 2019	 <a href="#">Quiz: Coll. Writ.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Feb 15, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Time Man.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Tue Feb 19, 2019	 <a href="#">Assign.: Annotation</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Feb 22, 2019	 <a href="#">Assign.: Rhetorical Questioning</a>	due by 11:59pm
Wed Feb 27, 2019	 <a href="#">Assign.: Speech Analysis</a>	due by 11:59pm
Mon Mar 4, 2019	 <a href="#">S.C.: Thinking Ad.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Mar 8, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc. Ad Analysis</a>	due by 11:59pm
Tue Mar 19, 2019	 <a href="#">Quiz: Rhet. App. 1</a>	due by 11:59pm
	 <a href="#">Quiz: Rhet. App. 2</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Mar 22, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Film Review</a>	due by 11:59pm

Tue Mar 26, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Bias</a>	due by 11:59pm
Wed Apr 3, 2019	 <a href="#">Assign.: Rev Out.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Apr 5, 2019	 <a href="#">S.C. Rev. Out.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Apr 12, 2019	 <a href="#">Assign.: Article Analysis</a>	due by 11:59pm
Mon Apr 15, 2019	 <a href="#">Quiz: Analytical</a>	due by 11:59pm
Tue Apr 23, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Working Media</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri Apr 26, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Painting/Photo</a>	due by 11:59pm
Mon Apr 29, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Film/TV Analysis</a>	due by 11:59pm
Wed May 1, 2019	 <a href="#">Quiz: Visual</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri May 3, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Rhet. Quests.</a>	due by 11:59pm
Tue May 7, 2019	 <a href="#">Disc.: Logic</a>	due by 11:59pm
Fri May 10, 2019	 <a href="#">Assign.: Statis</a>	due by 11:59pm
Sat May 11, 2019	 <a href="#">Lab #1: Collin Writing Center</a>	due by 11:59pm
	 <a href="#">Lab #2: NetTutor</a>	due by 11:59pm

