Course Competency

REA 1125 READNG SKILLS REVIEW

Course Description

REA 1125 is a college level reading course designed for students whose reading and/or ACCUPLACER test scores demonstrate the need for continued instructional support. Students in this course will build vocabulary skills, literal and critical comprehension skills, and successful reading strategies.

Course Competency	Learning Outcomes
Competency 1: The Student will advance vocabulary skills by:	1. Communication
Using context clues Increasing word knowledge through memorization and application.	
Competency 2: The student will advance literal comprehension skills by:	1. Communication
 Recognizing stated main ideas through topics and topic sentences. Recognizing stated central points in multiparagraph selections. Identifying major and minor supporting details. Identifying relationships within and between sentences. Recognizing patterns of organization. 	
Competency 3: The student will advance critical comprehension skills in reading by:	1. Communication
 Making inferences. Drawing conclusions. Recognizing implied main ideas. Recognizing implied central points in multi-paragraph selections. 	

5. Distinguishing facts from opinions.6. Recognizing author's purpose, tone, and bias.7. Evaluating arguments.	
Competency 4: The student will employ advanced reading strategies.	1. Communication
 Developing reading flexibility. Paraphrasing materials. Summarizing materials. Improving test taking skills. 	

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