

MIAMI DADE COLLEGE
School of Arts and Letters
ESL/Foreign Languages

HCXXXX: CONTRASTIVE ANALYSIS: HAITIAN-CREOLE/ENGLISH

Course Prefix and Number: HCXXXX

Prerequisite Adequate fluency in Haitian-Creole (determined by department Haitian-Creole exam) and English (determined by CPT)

Credit Hours: 3 credit hours

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course compares/contrasts linguistic features and characteristics of both the English and Haitian-Creole languages. Aspects of comparison/contrast include historical backgrounds, phonological systems, morphological systems, syntax, and semantics.

COURSE COMPETENCIES

- Competency 1: The student will demonstrate knowledge of the basic historical differences between English and Haitian-Creole by highlighting the main points of development and evolution of both English and Haitian-Creole.
- Competency 2: The student will demonstrate knowledge of the main features of English and Haitian-Creole phonology by comparing/contrasting the salient features of English and Haitian-Creole sounds.
- Competency 3: The student will demonstrate knowledge of English and Haitian-Creole morphology by comparing/contrasting the main characteristics of English and Haitian-Creole stems, roots, and affixes.
- Competency 4: The student will demonstrate knowledge of English and Haitian-Creole syntax by comparing/contrasting the salient features of English and Haitian-Creole syntax.
- Competency 5: The student will demonstrate knowledge of English and Haitian-Creole semantics by comparing/contrasting the salient feature of English and Haitian-Creole communication and meaning based on context.