

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

The primary objective of OA 1030 is to improve communication skills (fundamental grammar skills). Knowing the parts of speech, using them correctly, and understanding how they relate to one another is an important step in creating strong writing skills. Upon successful completion of the course, students should be able to:

Identify the eight parts of speech and understand the function of each part of speech.

Understand different vocabulary terms that will allow them to participate in analyzing grammar usage and sentence structure.

Compose complete sentences (simple, compound and complex).

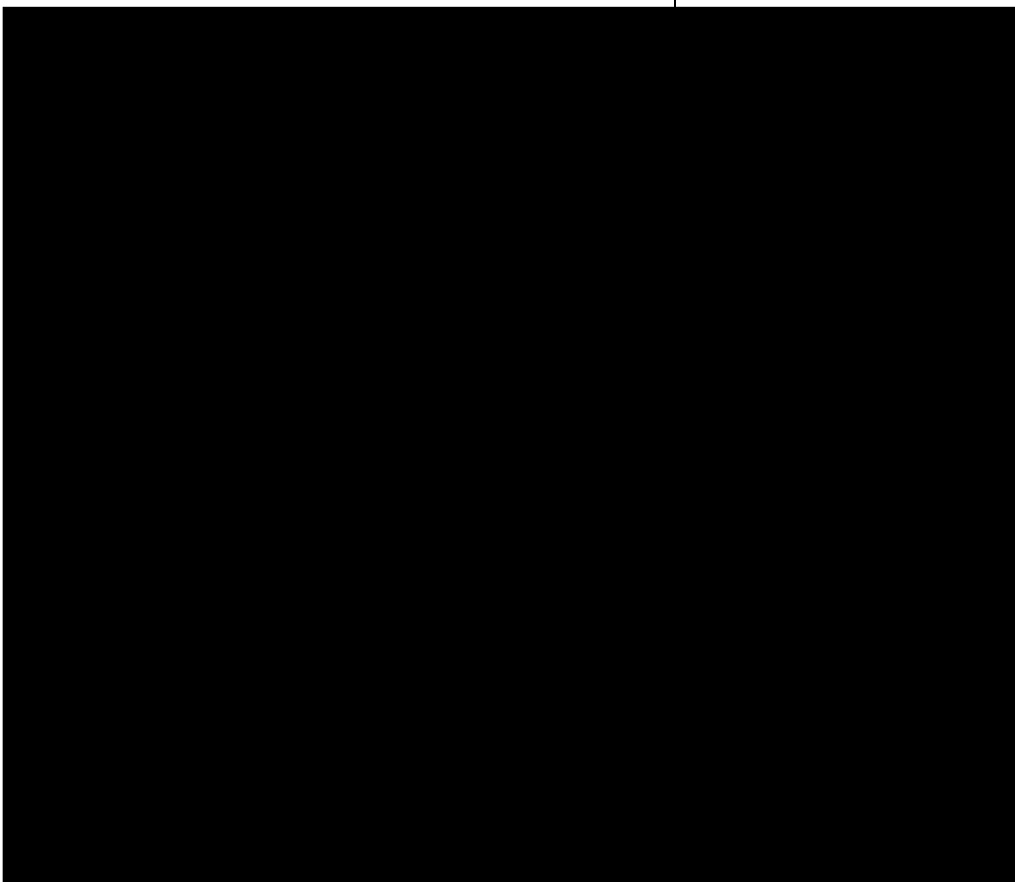
Correctly spell commonly misspelled words.

Apply Standard English grammar and mechanics to compose and edit text.

TRANSFERABILITY:

This course is not intended to be transferable to other post secondary institutions. Consult the AB transfer guide at <http://www.transferalberta.ca>

**** Grade of D or D+ may not be acceptable for transfer to other post-secondary institutions.**



		Required Reading(s)
		Chapter 1
		Chapter 2
		Chapter 3
		Chapter 4
		Chapter 5
		Chapter 6/7
		Chapter 8
Oct. 7-15	Verbs: Types, Tenses and Forms	
Oct. 16-20	Subject-Verb agreement	Chapter 9
Oct. 23-27	Adjectives and Adverbs	Chapter 10
Oct. 20 Nov. 3	Midterm Punctuation: The Comma	Chapter 11
Nov. 6-10	The Semicolon, colon and other marks	Chapter 12
Nov. 13-17	The Fine Points	Chapter 13
Nov. 20-24	Polished Writing Styles	Chapter 14
Nov. 27- Dec. 1	Capitalization, Abbreviations and Nuf1 Tf1 Oq58.08 1	