**Course: EWR004**

**Semester: Summer 2017**

**Course Plan**

**Week 1 (May 11)**

* Syllabus

**Week 2 (May 15-18)**

* Paraphrasing diagnostic
* Essay diagnostic
* Paraphrasing techniques
  + What is plagiarism? Why do we paraphrase?
  + Synonyms, word forms, working with numbers
  + Grammar (introduce passive voice)

**Week 3 (May 22-25)**

* Paraphrasing techniques continued (finish passive, begin gerunds/infinitives + passive)
* Essay review

**Week 4 (May 30-June 1)** *no class May 29, Memorial Day*

* Paraphrasing techniques continued (subject & Subject complement noun clauses)
* Opinion essays:
  + Brainstorming and outlining techniques
  + Transition words and connectors
  + Format and organization

**Week 5 (June 5-8)**

* Paraphrasing techniques continued (combined grammar practices + paragraph)
* Opinion essays continued

**Week 6 (June 12-15)**

* Compare and contrast essays
  + Brainstorming and outlining techniques
  + Transition words and connectors
  + Format and organization
* paragraph paraphrase

**Week 7 (June 19 - 22)** *June 19 midterm start date*

* Compare and contrast essays
  + Brainstorming and outlining techniques
  + Transition words and connectors
  + Format and organization
* Begin summary skills

**Week 8 (June 26-29)**

* Cause and effect essays
  + Brainstorming and outlining techniques
  + Transition words and connectors
  + Format and organization
* Continue summary skills

**Week 9 (July 3-6)** *no class July 4, Independence Day*

* Argumentative essays
  + Brainstorming and outlining techniques
  + Transition words and connectors
  + Format and organization

**Week 10 (July 10-13)**

* Argumentative essays
  + Brainstorming and outlining techniques
  + Transition words and connectors
  + Format and organization
* Research skills: supporting an author’s opinion well + paraphrasing supports

**Week 11 (July 17-20)**

* Expository essays
  + Brainstorming and outlining techniques
  + Transition words and connectors
  + Format and organization
* Research skills: paraphrasing supports for an expository topic

**Week 12 (July 24-27)**

* Focus on Written Response

**Week 13 (July 31-Aug.3)**

* Review for Final Exam

**Week 14 (Aug. 7-8)**

* Aug. 7 – Reading, Writing Finals
* Aug. 8 – Grammar, Listening/Speaking Finals