

**SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES
ELL-ELT ACADEMIC WRITING COURSE
2017-2018 SPRING
WEEKLY COURSE PACING**

Course Material:	Great Writing 4 Fourth Edition, National Geographic Learning			
Proficiency Level:	B2 / Level 4			
Curriculum pedagogy	Content-based approach, critical thinking, top-down and bottom-up listening strategies, collaborative learning			
Assessment procedures	2 midterms % 50 + 2 quizzes %30 + performance %20= %50 (each term)			
Content of instruction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Essay Organization • Cohesion and Coherence in Writing • Vocabulary skills: collocations, word associations • Peer editing • Timed writing 			
Course goals and objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use effective writing strategies • Identify and practice various essay types and formats • Fluently perform classroom writing tasks • Express ideas using a controlled range of structures • Acquire essay writing proficiency for international tests 			
Week	Weeks	Topic	Exam Date and Content	Content
1	19-23 Feb	Unit 1: Exploring the Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is an essay? • Example essays • Writing the introduction • Writing the body • Writing the conclusion
2	26 Feb - 3 March	Unit 1: Exploring the Essay Unit 2: Narrative Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a narrative essay? • Example narrative essays • Developing a narrative essay
3	5 - 9 March	Unit 2: Narrative Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a narrative essay? • Example narrative essays • Developing a narrative essay
4	12 - 16 March	Unit 2: Narrative Essay Unit 3: Comparison Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a narrative essay? • Example narrative essays • Developing a narrative essay
5	19 - 23 March	Unit 3: Comparison Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a comparison essay? • Example comparison essays • Developing a comparison essay

				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing ideas for writing
6	26 - 30 March	Unit 3: Comparison Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a comparison essay? • Example comparison essays • Developing a comparison essay • Developing ideas for writing
7	2 - 6 April	MIDTERM I Comparison Essay		
8	9 - 13 April	Unit 4: Cause-Effect Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a cause-effect essay? • Example a cause-effect essay • Developing a a cause-effect essay • Choosing words carefully • Developing ideas for writing
9	16 - 20 April	Unit 4: Cause-Effect Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a cause-effect essay? • Example a cause-effect essay • Developing a a cause-effect essay • Choosing words carefully • Developing ideas for writing
10	23 - 27 April	Unit 4: Cause-Effect Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a cause-effect essay? • Example a cause-effect essay • Developing a a cause-effect essay • Choosing words carefully • Developing ideas for writing
11	30 April - 4 May	Unit 5: Argumentative Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is an argument essay? • Example argument essay • Developing an argument essay
12	7 - 11 May	Unit 5: Argumentative Essay		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is an argument essay? • Example argument essay • Developing an argument essay
13	14 - 18 May	Unit 5: Argumentative Essay Unit 6: Other forms of Academic Writing		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is an argument essay? • Example argument essay • Developing an argument essay
14	21 - 25 May	MIDTERM 2 Argumentative Essay		