Department: World Languages Course Title Advanced ESL		Reading and Writing
Unit 1, September		Unit 2, October
Essential Question(s):	What tells the meaning of the whole paragraph? Can the main idea be stated in one sentence or more than one sentence? What goes with or supports the main idea? Is it necessary to have a main idea sentence in a paragraph? If not, how can you figure out the main idea? Is it critical to distinguish between FACT and OPINION? What does objective mean? What does subjective mean? Is FACT objective or subjective? Is OPINION objective or subjective? What does drawing a conclusion mean? How do we draw conclusions from what we read? What are the three basic parts that make up a paragraph? What is the purpose of a topic sentence? What is the purpose of developing sentences? What is the purpose of a conclusion statement?	Can a short essay also be called a composition? How many words do you think make up a short essay? How many parts make up a short essay? What are these parts called? What do the concepts of unity and coherence mean to you? What do repetition and transition mean? What is the purpose of a topic or introductory paragraph? What is the purpose of developing paragraphs? What is the purpose of a concluding paragraph? What is the difference between a strong and a weak topic sentence? What is another term for topic sentence? What does fiction mean? What does fiction mean? What does chronological mean? Is it important to tell events in chronological order? What is a time line? Why is it important to have a purpose when writing a story? What are some words that demonstrate time sequence? What is direct speech? What are the five basic questions asked in order to gather information?
Content	 Main Idea/Details Fact and Opinion Drawing Conclusions Paragraph Formation 	The short essay and its components The narrative and its components
Skills:	 Listening: teacher directed questions, oral questions, and explanations on content material Reading of content material, worksheets, and paragraph-by-students to class 	 Listening: teacher directed questions and explanations on content material Reading of content material, worksheets, and reading of short essay and narrative by students to class

	 Writing: note taking from board; construction of sentences containing main idea, details, fact, and opinion; formation of paragraphs Speaking: class discussion and individual answers on content material; answering teaacher prepared questions 	 Writing: note-taking from board, writing a short essay, and writing a narrative Speaking: class discussion on content material, individual responses, and answering teacher prepared questions
Standards/Benchmarks	• *WIDA 50.1A 1,2,3,4,5, SL 9-10.1 A, SL 5.1 A, RI 3.1, 3.2, .3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.10 RL 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6 W 3.1,3.2,3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7	*WIDA 50.1A 1,2,3,4,5, SL 9-10.1 A, SL 5.1 A, RI 3.1, 3.2, .3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.10 RL 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6 W 3.1,3.2,3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7
Assessments/Resources	 Review Homework Written Work Question and Answer Assessment Notebook Check Quizzes and Tests Bergen Record, Silver Burdett & Ginn worksheets 	 Review Homework Written Work Notebook Check Question and Answer Assessment Grading of short essay and narrative Teacher prepared notes

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-	Unit 3, November	Unit 4, December	
What is the main idea? What are the important details and inferences in this selection? What words are unfamiliar to you? What conclusions can be drawn after reading the selection? What predictions can be made about future events after having read the selection? - John F. Kennedy: Naval Hero - Martin Luther King, Jr: Civil Rights Leader - Mahalia Jackson: Gospel Singer - Benjamin Banneker: Surveyor - Dr. Seuss: Comic Artist - Walt Disney: Moviemaker - Trini Lopez: Singer - Grandma Moses: Painter - Listening: teacher reading aloud to class and individual students reading aloud - Reading: silent and individual reading - Writing: student note-taking from board, student journals, student compositions, written answers to multiple choice and opinion based questions - Speaking: class discussions on themes presented		What is the meaning of "to persuade?" What is the goal of writing a persuasive essay? What is needed to build arguments in a persuasive essay? Are logic and emotions necessary to convince the reader of your position? Is it necessary to present both sides of an argument? Must you footnote information obtained from books, periodicals, and interviews? Do you need to make a bibliography?	
		The Persuasive Essay How to gather information Aspects of logic (faulty and sound) versus emotion Vocabulary, punctuation, and usage Citation punctuation and style Organizing information Pre-writing (zero draft), rough and final drafts Peer editing	
		 Listening: teacher directed questions and explanations on content material Reading of content material, worksheets, peer editing, and presentation of final draft Writing: note-taking, rough and final drafts, and peer editing Speaking: class discussions on content material, individual responses, peer editing, responses to teacher prepared questions 	
Standards/Benchmarks	*WIDA 50.1A 1,2,3,4,5, SL 9-10.1 A, SL 5.1 A, RI 3.1, 3.2, .3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.10 RL 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6 W 3.1,3.2,3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7	*WIDA 50.1A 1,2,3,4,5, SL 9-10.1 A, SL 5.1 A, RI 3.1, 3.2, .3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.10 RL 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6 W 3.1,3.2,3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7	
Review Homework Written Work Notebook Check		 Review Homework Written Work: rough and final drafts Notebook Check 	

Quizzes and Tests	Presentation of essay to class
Text: Modern Short Biographies	Teacher prepared notes and worksheets

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	Unit 5, January	Unit 6, February
What is the author's purpose and main idea? Can you identify any inferences? What is meant by the following: flashback, foreshadowing, irony, mood, narrator, stereotype, symbol, allude to, and climax? What are the three main forms of poetry introduced in this book? What is a simile and a metaphor? What are some examples of poetry that you can find in your daily life? What is folk literature? What fairy tale characters can you think of? What are myths, folk tales, parables, fables, folk songs, and legends?		What is the purpose of writing a descriptive essay? What two kinds of details should be used in a descriptive essay? Should you describe everything about a subject or should you choose one single impression or idea and have all your details focus on that? Should you make a list of details and why? What are our five senses, and should you use these five senses when describing the subject? What is spatial order? Is spatial order a good technique to use when describing the subject and why? What are the most commonly used words when expressing thoughts in spatial order? What is the importance of good sentence structure?
Content Reading: Skills, Fiction, Poetry, Folk Literature Listening: teacher directed questions and explanations on content material Reading aloud and silently of content material Writing: note-taking, written answers to questions, journal entries, original poem, and original fiction story Speaking: class discussions and individual answers pertaining to content material, presentation of original poem and fiction story		The Descriptive Essay: objective and subjective details, organization, vocabulary, punctuation, rough draft, final draft, and presentation of essay
		 Listening: teacher directed questions and explanations on content material Reading of content material, worksheets, and presentation of final draft Writing: note-taking, rough and final drafts Speaking: class discussions on content material, individual responses, peer editing, responses to teacher prepared questions
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Assessments/Resources	 Review Homework Written Work Notebook Check Quizzes and Tests Text: The EMC Write-In Reader 	 Review Homework Written Work: rough and final drafts Notebook Check Presentation of essay to class Teacher prepared notes and worksheets

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Unit 7, March		Unit 8, April
Are Edgar Allan Poe's short stories famous all over the world? What literary title have his short stories earned him? What literary genre did he invent, and what did this become a model for? Did Poe write poetry? We be the world? Do to the wor		What do the words "mystery," "science fiction" and "supernatural" mean to you? Do you like mystery stories? Do you like science fictions stories? Do you like stories of the supernatural? What is a legend? Can you tell the class about a common legend from your country?
Content	 Selected Stories: "The Murders in the Rue Morgue," "The Black Cat," "William Wilson," and "Never Bet the Devil Your Head." Selected Poetry: "Annabel Lee," "The Raven," "To Helen," and "El Dorado." 	Do you know what a poltergeist is? Short stories: "The Strange Guests," "The God's Gift to Chang Fu-Yen," "The Tell-Tale Heart," "Dr. Heidegger's Experiment," "The Girl Who Lived Twice," and "The Great Amherst Mystery."
Skills:	 Listening: teacher reading aloud to class and individual students reading aloud Reading: silent and individual reading Writing: student note-taking from board, student journals, student compositions, written answers to multiple choice and opinion based questions Speaking: class discussions on themes presented 	 Listening: teacher reading aloud to class and individual students reading aloud Reading: silent and individual reading Writing: student note-taking from board, student journals, student compositions, written answers to multiple choice and opinion based questions Speaking: class discussions on themes presented
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Assessments/Resources	 Review Homework Review Journals Written Work Notebook Check Quizzes and Tests Text: An Edgar Allan Poe Reader – Adapted Classic Tales 	 Review Homework Review Journals Written Work Notebook Check Quizzes and Tests Text: Tales of Mystery and the Unknown

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	Unit 9, May	Unit 10, June	
The Cause and Effect Essay: What do you think is the reason to write a cause and effect essay, and how many ways are there to write it? What words and phrases are commonly used in this type of essay? What is the common punctuation in this type of essay? The Compare and Contrast Essay: What do the words "compare" and "contrast" mean? What is the purpose of this type of essay? What are two basic ways to organize this type of essay? Can a person compare and contrast any two items? Is it a good idea to make a list of topics to be compared of contrasted? What are some words and phrases that are often used in this type of essay?		Who is William Shakespeare and what country did come from? Can you name any of the plays or sonnets he wrote? Have you ever heard of his play The Merchant of Venice? Where and when does the play take place? Who are you favorite and least favorite characters and why? Can you identify with any of the characters and why? What are the conflicts among the characters and within the characters themselves? What is the central theme of the play? What is the climax of the play? How did the outcome of the play make you feel? Would you recommend this play to others to read?	
Content	 The components of the Cause and Effect Essay and the Comparison Contrast Essays The purpose of writing the Cause and Effect Essay and the Comparison Contrast Essays 	 Biography of William Shakespeare List of Shakespeare's plays and sonnets Play text: The Merchant of Venice Explanation of pertinent vocabulary and phrases 	

	 Important punctuation and vocabulary Rough Draft and Final Draft 	Video of play
Skills:	 Listening: teacher directed questions and explanations on content material Reading of content material, worksheets, and presentation of final draft Writing: note-taking, rough and final drafts Speaking: class discussions on content material, individual responses, responses to teacher prepared questions 	 Listening: teacher reading aloud to class, students reading parts aloud Reading: students will individually read narrative and character parts Writing: answer teacher made questions, directed note-taking, and reactionary journal Speaking: class discussions on characters and themes
Standards/Benchmarks	*WIDA 50.1A 1,2,3,4,5, SL 9-10.1 A, SL 5.1 A, RI 3.1, 3.2, .3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.10 RL 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6 W 3.1,3.2,3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7	*WIDA 50.1A 1,2,3,4,5, SL 9-10.1 A, SL 5.1 A, RI 3.1, 3.2, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.10 RL 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6 W 3.1,3.2,3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7
Review Homework Written Work: rough and final drafts Notebook Check Assessments/Resources Presentation of essay to class Teacher prepared notes and worksheets		 Review Homework Review Journals Written Work Notebook Check Quizzes and Tests Videotape Adapted play script

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Differentiation/Accommodations/Modifications

Gifted and Talented	English Language Learners	Students with Disabilities	Students at Risk of School Failure
Explore concepts in depth/encourage independent	Modified Assignments Native Language Translation	Pair visual prompts with verbal presentations	Pair visual prompts with verbal presentations Ask students to restate information, directions, and
study/Conduct research and provide presentation	(peer, online assistive technology, translation device, bilingual	Ask students to restate information, directions, and assignments.	assignments. Repetition and and practice
of topics.	dictionary) Extended time for Highlight key vocabulary and	Repetition and practice	Model skills / techniques to be mastered.
Encourage creative expression and thinking by allowing students to	important information	Model skills / techniques Extended time to complete class work	Extended time to complete class work
choose how to approach an assignment.	Emphasize critical/key information graphic organizers	Provide copy of classnotes	Provide copy of classnotes
Invite students to explore different points of view on	Refer to relevant previously taught or mastered skills		Preferential seating Student may request to use a computer to complete
a topic and compare two. Provide opportunities	multiple analogies and examples	Preferential seating Student may request to use a computer	assignments.
where students are in charge of their learning.	study guide and notes		

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	Provide models and demonstrations	to complete assignments.	Establish expectations for correct spelling on assignments.
Debate topics of interest /	Repeat/review	Extra textbooks for home.	Extra textbooks for home.
cultural importance. Authentic listening and	Shortened assignments	Student request books on tape/CD / digital media, as available and	Student may request books on tape / CD / digital media, as available and appropriate.
reading sources that	Consistent, immediate feedback	appropriate.	
provide data and support for speaking and writing	Vocabulary files	Assign a peer helper in the class	Assign a peer helper in the class setting
prompts.	Visual aids		Provide oral reminders and check student work during independent work time
Exploration of art and/or artists to understand	show student example/model of	Provide oral reminders and check student work during independent work time	Assist student with long and short term planning of
society and history.	any assignment	Assist student with long and short term	assignments
Use Higher Level Questioning Techniques	Modify reading required	planning of assignments	Encourage student to proofread assignments and tests
that require students to look into causes,	Modify writing required	Encourage student to proofread assignments and tests	Provide regular parent/ school communication
experiences, and facts to draw conclusions or			Teachers will check/sign student agenda daily
make connections to other areas of learning		Provide regular parent/ school communication	Student requires use of other assistive technology device
Provide assessments at		Teachers will check/sign student agenda daily	
a higher level of thinking		Student requires use of other assistive	Extended time to complete assignments.
		technology device	Student requires more complex assignments to be broken up
		Extended time to complete assignments.	and explained in smaller units, with work to be submitted in phases.
		Student requires more complex	

assignments to be broken up and explained in smaller units, with work to be submitted in phases. Provide student with clearly stated (written) expectations and grading criteria for assignments. Modifications for Assessments Extended time on tests and quizzes. Student may take/complete tests in an alternate setting as needed.	Provide student with clearly stated (written) expectations and grading criteria for assignments. Modifications for Assessments Extended time on tests and quizzes. Student may take/complete tests in an alternate setting as needed. Restate, reread, and clarify directions/questions
Restate, reread, and clarify directions/questions	Distribute study guide for tests.
Distribute study guide for tests.	Establish accommodations / modifications for assessments.
Establish or accommodations / modifications for assessments.	