

Weekly Schedule

For this course, we will cover 7 major topics or sections. Below you will find a week by week breakdown showing which assignments must be completed during each week. If you start to fall behind on any of your work, contact your mentor and your instructor **IMMEDIATELY!**



Introduction Week



Section 1: How does college differ from high school?

Assignment	Points
Reading: High School Days v. College Days	-
Reading: The Transition to College	-
Reading: Interacting With Instructors	-
Assignment: Question Sheet - How does College Differ From High School?	60
Section 1 Total	60
INTRO WEEK TOTAL POINTS	60



Week 1



Section 2: How to Improve My Study Techniques

Assignment	Points
Assignment: Study Skills Assessment	60
Reading: General Study Habits	-
Assignment: Study Skills Improvement Chart	50
Assignment: Barsch Learning Inventory	50
Section 2 Total	160



Section 3: Time Management

Assignment	Points
Reading: Time Management	-
Reading: Overcoming Procrastination	-
Assignment: Scheduling Activity	60
Assignment: Schedule Review	60
Section 3 Total	120

**WEEK 1
TOTAL POINTS**

280



Week 2



Section 4: Reading: Part 1 - Basic Reading Techniques

Assignment	Points
Reading: Strategies	-
PowerPoint: Active Textbook Reading	-
Assignment: Getting to Know Your Textbook	60
Reading: Getting the Most Out of Your Textbook	-
Assignment: Taking Notes on a Reading Assignment	50
Assignment: Using a Highlighter	50
Section 4 Part 1 Total	160



Section 4: Reading: Part 2 - Reading in College: Critical Reading

Assignment	Points
Reading: The Need to Improve Your Reading	-

Reading: What is Critical Reading?	-
Reading: Critical Reading Skills	-
Assignment: Critical Reading Activity 1	60
Assignment: Critical Reading Activity 2	60
Assignment: Critical Reading Activity 3	60
Section 4 Part 2 Total	180
WEEK 2 TOTAL POINTS	340



Week 3



Section 4: Reading (Continued)

Assignment	Points
Discussion Board: The Next Millennium	75
Assignment: Evaluating Websites	75
Section 4 Part 2 (Continued) Total	150



Section 5: Writing Part 1: The Basics

Assignment	Points
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Reading: The Need to Improve Your Writing	-
Reading: The Standard Five Paragraph Essay	-
Assignment: Five Paragraph Essay - ROUGH DRAFT	22
Assignment: Five Paragraph Essay - FINAL DRAFT	78
Section 5 Part 1 Total	100
WEEK 3 TOTAL POINTS	250



Week 4



Section 5: Writing Part 2: Writing in College

Assignment	Points
Reading: How to Read the Assignment	-
Reading: Argument	-
PowerPoint: The Writing Process	-
Reading: Plagiarism	-
Assignment: Quoting,	60

Paraphrasing, and Summarizing	
Assignment: Begin The Presidential Research Paper	-
Section 5 Part 2 Total	60
WEEK 4 TOTAL POINTS	60



Week 5



Section 5: Writing Part 2: Writing in College (Continued)

Assignment	Points
Assignment: The Presidential Research Paper	120
Section 5 Part 2 (Continued) Total	120



Section 6: Handling the College Lecture

Assignment	Points
Reading: Learning to Listen to University Lectures	-
Reading: Note Taking Formats	-
Assignment: History, Narrative and the Art of Baseball	75

Section 6 Total 75

**WEEK 5
TOTAL POINTS 195**



Week 6



Section 7: Tests

Assignment	Points
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Reading: How Do College Tests Differ From High School Tests?	-
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Reading: Test Preparation	-
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Reading: Objective Tests	-
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Reading: Essay Tests	-
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Reading: Test Anxiety	-
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Assignment: How I Study For Tests	50
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Assignment: Essay Test Worksheet	100
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Section 7 Total 150

**WEEK 6
TOTAL POINTS 150**