

Reading and Vocabulary Development (ENG202)

Course Syllabus

English Language and Translation Department

College of Science and Theoretical Studies

Saudi Electronic University

A:	General Information		
1.	Course Title	Reading and Vocabulary Development	
2.	Course Code	ENG202	
3.	Semester/ Year	3 rd Semester – 2 nd Year	
4.	Course credit	3 Hours	
5.	Course level	Level 3	

B: Academic Content

Course aim and objectives:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to: Summarize and paraphrase texts from a variety of genres, recognize standard English and non-standard English forms appropriately, use several strategies to comprehend texts from different genres, and utilize a variety of techniques to guess the meanings of new vocabulary in context, compare between facts, opinions, and assumptions in a variety of situations, and recognize the parts of speech, structures, and formations of words.

Learning Outcomes:

- 1- Summarize a paragraph effectively.
- 2- Differentiate between formal and informal language.
- 3- Differentiate between skimming for main ideas and scanning for specific information.
- 4- Predict the meaning of new vocabulary from context including identifying inferences.
- 5- Differentiate between facts, opinions, and assumptions.
- 6- Analyze word roots, prefixes, and suffixes.

Prerequisites: CI001 CS001 MATH001 ENG001 COMM001

C: Timetable for sessions

	Week	Date	Chapters	Students Commitments
1.	Week 0		ORIENTATION WEEK	
2.	Week 1		The Relationship between Reading & Writing	
3.	Week 2		Education and Student Life	
4.	Week 3		City Life	Assignment 1
5.	Week 4		Business and Money	

6.	Week 5	Jobs and Professions	Quiz 1	
7.	Week 6	Lifestyles around the Wor	rld	
8.	Week 7	General Revision		
9.	Week 8	MID'	MIDTERM EXAMS	
10.	Week 9	Global Connections		
11.	Week 10	Language and Communicat	tion Discussion Board	
12.	Week 11	Tastes and Preferences		
13.	Week 12	New Frontiers	Assignment 2	
14.	Week 13	Ceremonies		
15.	Week 14	Formal and Informal Langu	lage Quiz 2	
16.	Week 15	Ge	General Revision	
17.	Week 16			
18.	Week 17	FIN	FINAL EXAMS	
19.	Week 18			

D: Course Resources

Textbooks: Hartmann, P. and Kirin, E. (2007). Interactions 2: Reading. Silver Edition. (5 ed.). McGraw-Hill: NewYork.978-0-07-332859-1 (print edition)

E: Assessment

• Assessment Overview

Assessment Type	Due Date of Assignments	Weight
Assignment 1	Week 3	8 points
Quiz 1	Week 5	8 points
Discussion Board	Week 10	8 points
Assignment 2	Week 12	8 points
Quiz 2	Week 14	8 points
Midterm Exam	Week 8	20 points
Final Exam	Weeks 16 & 17	40 points
Total 100 points		

F: Additional Requirements

- The student must follow attendance policy that given by the university.
- The student is responsible to read all announcements that are regularly posted by the instructor.
- Any student having difficulty understanding this handout should contact the instructor for clarifications.
- For all enquiries, students should contact the instructor.