

Reading, Thinking Creatively, and Writing

Overview

- <http://www.uvu.edu/owl/resource/eslresources/index.html>

ANTECEDENTS AND APPOSITIVES

- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/grammar/g_appos.html
Appositives - Nouns or Pronouns that Explain - Tutorial with Exercise
- <http://grammar.ccc.commnet.edu/grammar/pronouns.htm>
Antecedents - Pronoun and Antecedent Agreement - Tutorial with 4 Quizzes
- http://www.ccc.commnet.edu/sensen/part2/thirteen/pronouns_finding.html
Finding a Pronoun's Antecedent - Explanation with Exercise.
http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/general/gl_outlin.html
Very Detailed Outline Tutorial.

PARAPHRASING AND QUOTING AND USING MODERN LANGUAGE ASSOCIATION FORMAT. (MLA)

- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/research/r_mla.html
How to use MLA - All the Information Required (ENG 111 and 112).
- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/research/r_mla.html
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Paraphrasing and quoting

- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/research/r_paraphr.html
How to Paraphrase with Examples and an Exercise.
- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/research/r_quotprsum.html
When to Paraphrase, Quote or Summarize.
- <http://leo.stcloudstate.edu/research/usingquotes.html>
Explanation on how to quote clearly and summarize.

READING COMPREHENSION - FACTS AND INFERENCES TABLE

- http://www.english-room.com/read_6a.htm
5 Simple Paragraphs with Comprehension Questions.
- <http://www.rong-chang.com/qa2/>
50 Stories with Sound and Comprehension Questions.

READING - UNDERSTANDING THE MAIN IDEA TABLE

- <http://academic.cuesta.edu/acasupp/AS/308.HTM>
Main Idea Explanation and Examples.
- <http://users.dhp.com/~laflemm/reso/mainIdea.htm>
Main Idea Explanation, Examples and Practice.
- <http://vclass.mtsac.edu/amla-51/Main%20Idea/Mainidea.htm>
Short Tutorial on Main Ideas and 3 Practice Readings.
- http://cwabacon.pearsoned.com/bookbind/pubbooks/seyley_ab/chapter2/deuxe.html
5 Exercises Focusing on Determining the Main Idea.

REVISING AND EDITING

- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/grammar/g_commaproof.html
Editing for Commas - Writing Exercise.
- <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/esl/eslsubverb.html>
Editing Subject/Verb Agreement Errors.
- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/grammar/g_tens.html
Editing Verb Exercise.
- http://grammar.ccc.commnet.edu/grammar/cgi-shl/quiz.pl/consistency_quiz.htm
Pronoun and Tense Consistency Quiz.

SENTENCE PATTERNS - SIMPLE COMPOUND COMPLEX

- http://wwwnew.towson.edu/ows/moduleCS_FS.htm
Explanations with Links to Quizzes.
- <http://wwwnew.towson.edu/ows/sentences.htm>
Sentence Patterns and Punctuation.
- <http://www.io.com/~hcexres/tcm1603/achtml/twsent.html>
Everything you need to know about a sentence.
- <http://leo.stcloudstate.edu/punct/sentpatt.html>
Simple Explanation of Sentence Patterns.
- <http://www.uottawa.ca/academic/arts/writcent/hypergrammar/sntstrect.html>
More Detailed Explanation of Sentence Patterns.
- <http://www.manythings.org/rs/>
Examples of Different Sentence Patterns.

- <http://www.ucl.ac.uk/internet-grammar/function/sentpatt.htm>
Sentence Tutorial with a 5 Question Quiz.
- <http://www.eslbee.com/sentences.htm>
Sentence Explanations with Links to Quizzes.
- <http://www.esc.edu/htmlpages/writerold/pandg/exg10b.shtml>
Five Question Advanced Quiz.

SPELLING

- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/grammar/g_caps.html
Spelling with Capital Letters - Tutorial.
- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/grammar/g_spelhome.html
Spelling Words that Sound Alike and Examples of One Word vs. Two Word Spellings.
- <http://eslus.com/LESSONS/SPELL/SPELL.HTM>
Spelling - 5 Levels - 20 Tests for Each Level - Listen to the Words and Then Spell Them.
- <http://yourdictionary.com/library/misspelled.html>
100 Most Misspelled Words with Explanations.
- <http://www.johnsesl.com/templates/vocab/misspelledwords.php>
100 Commonly Misspelled Words with Link to Pronunciation and Definition.
- <http://a4esl.org/q/h/vm/spe-sports.html>
Quiz for Sport Related Words.
- <http://www.manythings.org/cts/sc939.htm>
A Game for Commonly Misspelled Words for ESL Students.
- <http://www.manythings.org/cts/sc966.htm>
A Game for Frequently Misspelled Words.
- <http://www.manythings.org/cts/sc977.htm>
" IE " or " EI " A Spelling Game.

SUMMARIZING

- <http://www.mantex.co.uk/samples/summary.htm>
Summarizing - A "How To" Guide to Summarizing and its Importance.
- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/print/research/r_quotprsum.html
Summarizing - Defines Paraphrasing, Quoting and Summarizing.
- <http://www.utoronto.ca/ucwriting/paraphrase.html>
Summarizing and Paraphrasing - How and When to Use Them.

READING FOR PLEASURE

- <http://news.nationalgeographic.com/index.html>
National Geographic News.
- <http://www.gutenberg.org/catalog/>
Famous Books, Some with Sound.
- <http://www.world-english.org/poetry.htm>
Classic English Poetry.
- <http://www.world-english.org/stories.htm>
Classic Short Stories.

THINKING CRITICALLY

- <http://www.austhink.org/critical/pages/definitions.html>
More Definitions.
- <http://www.careerlab.com/99ways.htm>
99 Ways to Say Very Good.
- <http://www2.sjsu.edu/depts/itl/graphics/induc/causal-q.html>
An Exercise for Critical Thinking.
- <http://www2.sjsu.edu/depts/itl/graphics/onlyif/onlyc-q.html>
Think Critically with This Exercise.
- <http://www2.sjsu.edu/depts/itl/graphics/condit/condit-q.html>
A Difficult Critical Thinking Exercise.

TOPIC SENTENCES AND THESIS STATEMENTS

- <http://english-zone.com/writing/para-struct.html>
Paragraph and Topic Sentence Explained with a Sample.
- http://owl.english.purdue.edu/handouts/general/gl_thesis.html
Explanation and Examples of Thesis Statements with 5 Links.

UNDERSTANDING IDEAS - DETAILS

- http://www.world-english.org/english_reading.htm
Quick Reading Test.
- http://www.world-english.org/improve_reading_skills.htm
Many Readings from Beginning to Advanced with Comprehension Questions.

WRITING WITH A PURPOSE AND VOICE

Writing with a Purpose

- <http://writing.colostate.edu/guides/processes/purpose/>
Excellent Tutorial Focusing on Purpose.

Voice

- <http://writing2.richmond.edu/writing/wweb/voice.html>
Voice - Tips for Putting Voice into a Paper.

WRITING INTRODUCTIONS AND CONCLUSIONS

Writing Introductions

- <http://www.ivcc.edu/rambo/eng1001/introductions.htm>
Introductions - A Comprehensive Overview with Samples.

Writing Conclusions

- <http://leo.stcloudstate.edu/acadwrite/conclude.html>
Conclusions - Examples of How a Conclusion is Written.
- <http://www.ssdd.uce.ac.uk/learner/writing/conclus.htm>
Conclusions - Should and Should Not Review - Then Click Sample Conclusions at the Bottom of the Page to Review 3 Sample Conclusions.
- <http://www.fas.harvard.edu/~wricntr/documents/Conclusions.html>
Conclusions - Harvard's Suggestions on How To Conclude and How Not To Conclude and Essay.

WORD ORDER

Sentence Level Word Order

- <http://www.eslgold.com/>
Basic Sentence Structure Audio Explanations.
- <http://a4esl.org/q/j/ck/wo-01.html>
Sentence Word Order Quiz with 39 Questions.
- <http://a4esl.org/q/h/mc-ck-order.html>
Sentence Word Order Quiz with 11 Questions.
- <http://a4esl.org/q/h/fb010-lk.html>
Sentences with Missing Words - 9 Examples.
- <http://www.manythings.org/rs/>
Examples of Different Sentence Patterns.

Word Order - Adjective

- <http://www.world-english.org/adjectiveplacement.htm>
Adjective Placement Explanation with Exercises.
- <http://a4esl.org/q/h/vm/adjorder.html>
Adjective Word Order Quiz with 15 Questions.
- <http://www.johnsesl.com/scrambledtxt/intermediate/>
Unscramble Sentences with Adjectives.
- <http://www.johnsesl.com/scrambledtxt/intermediate/adjo2.html>
Unscramble Sentences with Adjectives.
- http://www.english-the-easy-way.com/Adjectives/Adjectives_Before_Nouns.htm
A Simple Explanation of Adjective Order.

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