## WORKING CL SYLLABUS 2014-15

## FALL SEMESTER (BY WEEKS)\*

SA=ESSAY; SE=SENTENCE ERRORS

Week 1\* Welcome, writing theory, writing attack SA, "Most Dangerous Game"

**2** Detail in writing, letter prep, ways to attack lit, "Game" discussion

**3** Folders set up, "you" use, "Walking Away"

**4** Nonverbal comm., short story breakout: "Shooting an Elephant"

**5** Nonverbal scenes, mock job project, SA—job interview prompts

**6** SE correction, SA/college app, resumes, role play

7 Resumes due, job packet

**8** Guest HR interviews, SA, thank you notes

9 20 SAT SA discussion, Frost study

**10** attention getters/speech intros w/HW, Frost study

11 group listening ex, role play, intro workshop, Frost illustrations

12 Link/tag/thesis intros, small group decision making, "The Son from America"

# (Thanksgiving)

**13** ACT/college app SA, group communication

14 Group fishbowl, Outcasts United

**15** *OU*, rumor clinic, folders due

(Christmas break)

## **SPRING SEMESTER (BY WEEKS)**

#### CP=CAREER PAPER

1 New semester, speaker eval assigned, vis aid guides, Outcasts eval take home

2 Vis aid study, MLK's Dream speech

**3** Intro/vis aid speeches prepped, speaker evals due

4 Poster prep, "Everyday Use"

5 College app essay, Jail discussed

**6** Intro practice, info speeches assign

7 info speeches advertising claims

**8** MLA workshop, career paper (CP) note-taking, Monroe Motivated Sequence

**9** MMS scenes workshop, personal conferences re: CP, T.S. Eliot

**10** MMS scenes shown, MLA editing exercise, formal intros assigned/use of podium

11 CP due, white board use, formal intros

**12** Modern art/poetry, intro persuasive speeches

**13** Persuasive speech prep, T. S. Eliot, Yeats, Expressionism, allusion

(Spring Break)

**14** Speech practice, PPT workshop

15 Pers speeches

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17 Impromptu speaking, folders due

18 Folders returned, class wrap up

<sup>\*</sup>WEEK 1 STARTS AFTER LABOR DAY.