English 1B Online Winter 2021 ` Dan Hepler UCR

Office hours: by appointment. Email for a Zoom time. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday afternoons are generally the best.

**Please refer to Class Policies (available on I-learn) before turning in work. Assignments not following Class Policies will be penalized 10%. Read Class Policies completely and carefully; don’t just skim.**

Week: Date: Due this date:

1 T 1-5 Introduction. Essay #0 (see assignment on I-learn)

Th 1-7 Read Paper #1 assignment. Paper #1 topic proposal, 100 wds. min.,

due before class.

2 T 1-12 CAM 0-32. SMG Ch. 6: Position.

Th 1-14 CAM 33-51. Read Paper #2 assignment.

F 1-15 Paper #1 due, 2 PM: Position, 750-1250 wds.

3 M 1-18 Paper #2 proposal due, 2 PM, 100 wds. min.

T 1-19 SMG Ch. 7: Solution; Ch. 16: Arguing.

Th 1-21 CAM 53-77. Read Paper #3 assignment.

4 T 1-26 CAM 81-121.

Th 1-28 CAM 125-161. Be ready to discuss your Paper #2!

F 1-29 Paper #2 due, 2 PM: Solution, 1000-1500 wds.

5 T 2-2 CAM 163-232.

Th 2-4 CAM 235-269. Paper #3 proposal due, before class, 100 wds. min.

6 T 2-9 TS 0-24. SMG Ch. 9: Causes. Read Paper #4 assignment.

W 2-10 Paper #4 proposal due, 2 PM, 100 wds. min.

Th 2-11 TS 24-50.

F 2-12 Paper #3 due, CAM topic, 1000-1500 wds., 2 PM.

7 T 2-16 TS 50-114. SMG Ch. 17: Research.

Th 2-18 TS 115-138

8 T 2-23 TS 139-161. Trend update, 250-500 wds., due before class.

Th 2-25 TS 161-182.

9 T 3-2 SMG Ch. 18, Evaluating Sources; Ch. 19, Using Sources; Ch. 20, MLA style.

Th 3-4 TS 182-208.

F 3-5 LAST DAY TO TURN IN REWRITES: DUE 2 PM. **Be sure to follow Class Policies or your RW will not be graded!**

10 M 3-8 Annotated Bibliographies due, 2 PM, Hepler format.

T 3-9 TS 208-238

Th 3-11 Review

F 3-12 Paper 4 due, Trend, 2 PM, 2000-3000 words.

SMG is *The St. Martin’s Guide to Writing*, 12th edition, ISBN 978-1-319-10438-2.

Other editions of the SMG are acceptable. Chapter numbering might be different; be sure to read the appropriately titled chapter as per syllabus.

CAM is *The Coddling of the American Mind*, by Lukianoff and Haidt, ISBN 978-0-7352-2489-6.

TS is *The Shallows*, by Nicholas Carr, ISBN 978-0-393-35782-0.

**Note regarding e-books**: I strongly recommend against them, because they generally lack page numbers. If you use an e-book without page numbers, it is your responsibility to figure out what to read each day, and you might have difficulty keeping up with class discussion. Even if your e-book does have page numbers, they might not be the same as for the paper copy; again, it is your responsibility to read the correct pages. For these reasons, I believe that e-books are not worth the small monetary savings that they offer.

Summary of Papers:

**Paper #1**: Position, due F 1-15-21, 2 PM, 750-1250 words.

**Paper #2**: Solution, due F 1-29-21, 2 PM, 1000-1500 words.

**Paper #3**: Topic of choice from CAM, due F 2-12-21, 2 PM, 1000-1500 words.

**Paper #4**: Cause of a Trend, due F 3-12-21, 2 PM, 2000-3000 words.

**Rewrites** are optional; see Class Policies for details. You may turn in no more than one RW per week, with the last one no later than F 3-5-21, 2 PM. Be sure to follow Class Policies!