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| **Course Title:** Basic Grammar and Writing (GED 1) |
| **Course Code:** ENG 111 | **Credit:** 3 | **Total Marks:** 100 |
| **Course Description**This course is intended to make students attain control over basic grammatical forms, structures and usage of English so that they are able to write different pieces in English like paragraphs and short essays without making glaring errors. |
| **Course Objectives:** After completing this course, students will be able to:* define and illustrate grammatical terms and terminologies
* construct different types of essays and paragraphs by implementing grammatical terms and terminologies
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| **Learning Outcomes** | **Course Contents** |
| * Students will be able to define various grammatical terms and terminologies.
* Students will be able to associate grammatical terms and terminologies with given examples.
* Students will be able to apply grammar correctly in their practical use of English.
 | **Grammar*** Word classes and functional units: subjects, objects, complements and adjuncts
* Classification, Function and Use of Parts of Speech
* Use of Articles, Determiners and Modifiers
* Verbs: Major verb classes e.g. auxiliaries and modals, transitive and intransitive, linking and non-linking
* Tense forms and sequence of tenses
* Prepositions, conjunctions, infinitives, gerunds and participles
* Phrases and clauses – types and functions
* Sentences – simple, complex and compound
* Transformation of Sentences
* Right Forms of Verbs
* Change of Voice
* Change of Speech
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| * Students will be able to classify different types of paragraphs and essays.
* Students will be able to demonstrate their understanding of grammatical terms and terminologies while writing essays and paragraphs.
* Students will be able to produce different types of paragraphs and essays.
 | **Writing*** Writing paragraphs and essays of different types: description, narration, process analysis, comparison and contrast
* Usages of various cohesive devises
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| **Recommended Reading**Barker, Alan. *How to Write an Essay*. Bookboon.com, 2013.Imhoof, Maurice. *From Paragraph to Essay: Developing Composition Writing*. Longman, 1975.Martinet, Agnes V. and Audrey Jean Thomson. *A Practical English Grammar*. 4th ed., Oxford, 1986.Murphy, Raymond. *Essential English Grammar*. 2nd ed., Cambridge University Press, 2007.Swan, Michael. *Practical English Usage*. 3rd ed, Oxford University Press, 20015. |