1 Types of courses Contact hours Independent stud	
	y Class size
Compulsory coursework 3 CU x 50 minutes = 510 = 2.5 hours per week 3 CU x 120 minutes = 360 minutes = 6 hours	30 students

3 Learning outcomes (PLO + CLO)

Course Description

This course provides the students with theoretical and practical knowledge on writing narrative and descriptive essays in English. First, the students will be introduced to the general structure of essays in English. The students will then practice writing one narrative and one descriptive essay on a topic of their interests. Each essay is developed in four stages of writing process, which, according to Zemach and Rumisek (2002), comprises the prewriting, drafting, reviewing and revising, and rewriting phases (p.3).

Programme Learning Outcomes:

PLO 1 Graduates are expected to be able to play a role as creative industry players by using competence in the fields of language, literature and culture to produce innovative and competitive works. **PLO 2** Graduates are expected to be able to act as research assistants, namely young scholars who have critical thinking to solve problems faced in society.

PLO 3 Graduates are expected to be able to play a role as academicians, namely activists in the world of education who have intellectuality and professionalism.

Intended Learning Outcomes:

- **ILO 1** Students are able to show responsibilities in performing academic activities based on religious values, morals, and ethics.
- **ILO 2** Students are able to uphold entrepreneurship values in cooperating with the society and environment
- **ILO 3** Students are able to demonstrate language skills by using proper English.
- **ILO 5** Students are able to elaborate their ideas in both spoken and written forms in English within academic and non-academic contexts.
- ILO 6 Students are able to use media and technology into their learning and research activities

Course Learning Outcomes:

On completion of this course, the students will be able to:

- 1. explain elements of narrative and descriptive essays
 - 2. write a simple narrative and descriptive essays in English on a familiar subject within their field of interest

4 Subject aims/Content

Meetings 1-4: a. Introduction to the course

Students are able to identify the objectives, topics, and assessment methods of the course

b. Essay structure and elements

Students are able to explain the basic structure (the introduction, Thesis Statement, body paragraphs, and concluding paragraph) of an essay

c. Coherence and cohesion

Students are able to explain coherence and cohesion in an essay

Meeting 5: The writing process

Students are able to explain steps in making academic writing.

Meetings 6 – 10: Writing a narrative essay

Students are able to:

- a. Explain the characteristics of a narrative essay
- b. Select a relevant personal experience as the topic for a narrative essay
- c. Generate and organize ideas for a narrative essay
- d. Develop a narrative essay draft based on the outline
- e. Review narrative essay drafts individually or collaboratively
- f. Revise and publish a narrative essay that includes detailed account of the experience and complete description of feelings and reactions in said event

Meetings 11 - 15: Writing a descriptive essay

Students are able to:

- a. Explain the characteristics of a descriptive essay
- b. Select a topic (an unusual object, a place with personal significance, or an influential person) for a descriptive essay
- c. Generate and organize ideas for a descriptive essay
- d. Develop a descriptive essay draft based on the outline
- e. Review descriptive essay drafts individually or collaboratively
- f. Revise and publish a descriptive essay that includes sensory, factual, and/or figurative details on the object/ place/ person

Meeting 16: Class reflection

Students are able define the main concepts learned and identify which strategies/ activities helped them learn the most.

5 Teaching methods

Lectures, discussions, case method, collaborative learning

6 Assessment methods

1. Class Participation

To maximize the learning opportunities in this course, students are not only required to be present for all class sessions, having completed all necessary tasks but they are also expected to interact with peers and the topics as directed in class discussions and activities.

2. Exercises

Exercises are integrated into some lessons. The students must complete the exercises, submit and discuss them. Scores will be provided based on the answer key for the exercises.

3. Case Method/Process writing

The students will compose a narrative and descriptive essay in a series of writing process. The students will be asked to select a familiar topic appropriate to each type of essay. They review the essay drafts independently or collaboratively before revising, editing, and submitting the complete essay. Scores will be provided based on the writing rubric.

Assessment Summary:

Assessment Task	Task Type	Due	Weighting
Class participation	Individual	Through the semester	10%
Collaborative Project Outcome (Peer review on essay drafts)	Group/Individual	Week 2,4,6,11	20%
UTS Writing Task 1 (Narrative Essay)	Individual	Week 10	35%
UAS Writing Task 2 (Descriptive Essay)	Individual	Week 15	35%
TOTAL			100%

7 This module/course is used in the following study programme/s as well

Not Applicable

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9 Resources

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