



Fresno State Upper Division Writing Skills Courses

All students must fulfill the Upper Division Writing skills requirement to earn a baccalaureate degree. Students are strongly encouraged to fulfill this requirement as a junior (during a semester in which 60-89 units have been completed.)

To meet this requirement, students may have two options:

- Pass the Upper-Division Writing Exam (if allowed by the major), **OR**
- Earn a minimum C or credit (CR) grade in one of these upper-division writing courses

AFRS 104W – Writing about American Inequality (3 units)
ANTH 105W – Applied Anthropology (also satisfies M/I) (3 units)
ANTH 116W – Anthropology of Religion (also satisfies GE–ID) (3 units)
BA 105W – Business Communication (3 units)
CHEM 161W – Scientific Writing Workshop (3 units)
CLAS 102W – Contemporary Chicana/Latina Writing and Culture (3 units)
ECON 102W – Explorations in Economic Literature (3 units)
EES 135W – Dinosaurs (3 units)
ENGL 115W – Literature of the New Testament (3 units)
ENGL 117W* – Writing from Children's Literature (3 units)
ENGL 160W – Writing Workshop (4 units)
HHS 116W – Interprofessional Communication in Health and Human Services (3 units)
HIST 100W* – Historical Research and Writing (3 units)
IT 198W – Technical Writing (3 units)
JS 100W – Writing and the Jewish Experience (3 units)
LEE 180W – Literacy for Social Justice and Equity (3 units)
LING 110W* – Advanced Composition for Foreign Students (3 units)
LING 111W – Academic Writing Workshop (3 units)
MCJ 102W* – Reporting (3 units)
PHIL 133W – Literature of the New Testament (3 units)
PLANT 110W – Dimensions in Agriculture (3 units)
SOC 130W – Contemporary Social Issues (3 units)
CFS 130W* – Professional Writing in Child and Family Science (3 units)

Note: a few majors require a specific “W” course; see catalog requirement for your major)

*Enrollment may be restricted or have additional prerequisites. Check the course description in the catalog or my.fresnostate.edu.

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