

**LEHMAN COLLEGE  
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CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK**

**DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

**CURRICULUM CHANGE**

1. **Type of Change:** Hours
2. **From:** **ENG 111: English Composition I.** [3] hours, 3 credits. Focus on all aspects of reading and writing, with particular attention to summary, critical responses to short texts, argumentative development in paragraphs and essays, and the rewriting process. Emphasis on organization, language, accuracy, grammar, and mechanics. Classroom instruction supplemented by individual conferences on drafts with instructor, library resources sessions, and appropriate use of available technology. Note: All students, unless exempted, must pass this course in fulfillment of the Common Core Requirement in English Composition. Students who take but do not pass this course should repeat it the following semester. Students who pass ENG 111 proceed to ENG 121 the following semester.
3. **To:** **ENG 111: English Composition I.** 4 hours, 3 credits. Focus on all aspects of reading and writing, with particular attention to summary, critical responses to short texts, argumentative development in paragraphs and essays, and the rewriting process. Emphasis on organization, language, accuracy, grammar, and mechanics. Classroom instruction supplemented by individual conferences on drafts with instructor, library resources sessions, and appropriate use of available technology. Note: All students, unless exempted, must pass this course in fulfillment of the Common Core Requirement in English Composition. Students who take but do not pass this course should repeat it the following semester. Students who pass ENG 111 proceed to ENG 121 the following semester.
4. **Rationale:** The additional hour allows the Department to require a fourth hour in students' class schedules for instructors to use for conferences, peer-editing, library instruction, database research instruction, and other skills and tasks that could not be accomplished in the three-hour format. The fourth hour makes ENG 111 and ENG 121 consistent with Lehman's prior requirement in English Composition.
5. **Course Categories:**
  - This is a Liberal Arts & Sciences course.
  - This is a General Education Foundation course.
6. **Date of English Departmental Approval:** February 25, 2014

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**2. From: ENG 121: English Composition II.** [3] hours, 3 credits. Continues the work of ENG 111, advancing critical reading skills and essay development. Emphasis on writing analytical essays and papers based on research in various academic disciplines. Classroom instruction supplemented by individual conferences on drafts with instructor, library resources sessions, and appropriate use of available technology. Note: All students, unless exempted, must pass this course in fulfillment of the Common Core Requirement in English Composition. Students who take but do not pass this course should repeat it the following semester.

**3. To: ENG 121: English Composition II.** 4 hours, 3 credits. Focus on all aspects of reading and writing, with particular attention to summary, critical responses to short texts, argumentative development in paragraphs and essays, and the rewriting process. Emphasis on organization, language, accuracy, grammar, and mechanics. Classroom instruction supplemented by individual conferences on drafts with instructor, library resources sessions, and appropriate use of available technology. Note: All students, unless exempted, must pass this course in fulfillment of the Common Core Requirement in English Composition. Students who take but do not pass this course should repeat it the following semester. Students who pass ENG 111 proceed to ENG 121 the following semester.

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