LEARNING OUTCOMES FOR ORAL AND WRITTEN EXPRESSION (OWE) I AND II

**OWE I:**
The students will:

1. Write well-organized, fully developed, and technically correct essays on a variety of topics;
2. Present well-organized, fully developed, and effectively delivered speeches on a variety of topics;
3. Conduct library and electronic research and integrate sources into essays and speeches;
4. Correctly utilize MLA documentation and citation format in essays and oral referencing of sources in speeches.

**OWE II:**
The students will:

1. Write well-organized, fully developed, and technically correct argumentative essays that utilize a variety of persuasive approaches and that build upon the skills acquired in ENG 111;
2. Present well-organized, fully developed, and effectively delivered argumentative speeches that utilize a variety of persuasive approaches and build upon the skills acquired in ENG 111;
3. Conduct extensive library and electronic research, including the ability to discriminate among sources, and integrate sources into essays and speeches;
4. Build upon the skills acquired in ENG 111 to utilize MLA documentation and citation format in essays and oral referencing of sources in speeches.
**OWE I:**

1. To introduce students to the study and practice of speaking and writing as communication processes;
2. To strengthen students’ ability to analyze and evaluate a variety of forms of oral and written expression;
3. To improve students’ critical thinking and research skills;
4. To prepare students to speak and write competently in other college courses and in their career fields.

Upon completing this course, a student will be able to:
- Write well-organized, fully developed, and effectively correct essays on a variety of topics;
- Present well-organized, fully developed, and effectively delivered speeches on a variety of topics;
- Conduct library and electronic research and integrate sources into essays and speeches;
- Correctly utilize MLA documentation and citation format in essays and oral referencing of sources in speeches.

**OWE II:**

To introduce students to more advanced study and practice of argumentative/persuasive oral and written expression and to the analysis and critical evaluation of oral and written arguments.

Upon completing this course, a student will be able to:
- Write well-organized, fully developed, and technically correct argumentative essays that utilize a variety of persuasive approaches and that build upon the skills acquired in ENG 111;
- Present well-organized, fully developed, and effectively delivered argumentative speeches that utilize a variety of persuasive approaches and build upon the skills acquired in ENG 111;
- Conduct extensive library and electronic research, including the ability to discriminate among sources and integrate these sources into essays and speeches;
- Build upon the skills acquired in ENG 111 to utilize MLA documentation and citation format in essays and oral referencing of sources in speeches.