**Writing Center Sample Syllabus**

\*There are many ways to incorporate Writing Center Software into your syllabus.

This is meant as a tool to help you get started.

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| ***Concept*** | ***Software*** | ***Lesson*** |
| **Writing Process** |  |  |
| Rhetorical Modes | Writer’s Resources | Rhetorical Patterns Lessons-Click on appropriate rhetorical pattern being used in class and complete lessons for the unit:* (1) *Description*
* (2) *Narration*
* (3) *Example*
* (4) *Process*
* (5) *Comparison/Contrast*
* (6) *Cause/Effect*
* (7) *Definition*
* (8) *Classification*
* (9) *Summary*
* (10) *Analysis/Division*
* (11) *Persuasion*
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|  Writing Process | Writer’s Resources | Writing Process Lessons- This section will walk writers through prewriting, drafting, revising and editing.  |
| Summarizing Reading Material | Writer’s Resources | Rhetorical Patterns-Summary  Lessons 1-15 |
| Outlining Paragraphs  | Writer’s Resources | Writing Process-Writing a Paragraph Lessons 2.2, 2.7, 2.8 |
| **Paragraph/Essay Structure** |  |  |
| Intro & Thesis | Writer’s Resources | Writing Elements-The Essay“The Introduction”: 6.6-6.15 |
| Developing Body & Conclusion | Writer’s Resources | Writing Elements-The Essay “The Body”: 6.16-6.28 “The Conclusion”: 6.29 6.40 |
| Developing Argument: Understanding Contexts, Claims, and Agendas | I-Claim | Tutorials 1-6 |
| **Sentence Structure** |  |  |
| Fragments | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Fragments”: 6.1-6.33 |
| Run-ons | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Run-ons”: 7.1-7.22 |
| **Grammar** |  |  |
| Parts of Speech | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Parts of Speech”: 1.1-  1.62 “Problem Words”: 4.1-4.88 |
| Spelling | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Spelling”: 2.1-2.28 |
| Capitalization | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Capitalization”: 3.1- 3.28 |
| Subject/Verb Identification | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Subject/Verb Identification”:  5.1-5.35 |
| Verb Usage  | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Subject/Verb Agreement”:  8.1-8.53  “Verb Tenses”: 9.1-9.34 |
| Punctuation | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Commas”: 10.1-10.48 “Apostrophes”: 11.1-11.27 “Semi Colons and Colons”: 14.1-14.23 “Minor Punctuation Marks”:  17.1-17.18 |
| Pronoun Usage | Writer’s Resources | Grammar/Punctuation/Mechanics- “Pronoun Agreement”: 12.1-  12.29 “Pronoun Reference and  Case”: 13.1-13.44 |
| Style | Writer’s Resources | Writing Elements-Word Choice “Clear Language”: 1.1-1.20 “Writing Style”: 1.21-1.32  “Figurative Language” (Metaphors and Similes): 1.22 |
| **Documentation** |  |  |
| MLA Quoting | Writer’s Resources | Grammar-Quotes “Incorporating Quotes”:  20.6 “Signal Phrase”: 20.7 “Long Quotes”: 20.15 “Internal Quotes”: 20.16 “Titles of Short Works”:  20.17 |
| Integrating Quotations | I-Cite | Tutorials 1-4 |