

### **FALL 2023 SEMESTER**

## LEVEL 1A



# **Course Logistics**

### **Learning Objectives**

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- Active reading, annotation, and understanding themes, symbols, and motifs
- Understanding sentence types, complete sentences, and combining sentences
- Learning the four types of paragraphs
- Writing a short story with a complete plot

How to Read	Sentences	Paragraphs	Final Project
Reading Material: "The Gift of the Magi" by O.Henry  Context: 1900s  Understanding Setting, Characters, & Plot Close Reading & Annotations Understanding concepts including: Alliteration and Characterization  Reading Material: "The Necklace" by Guy de Maupassant  Context: Late 1800s after the French Revolution  Understanding Setting, Characters, & Plot Close Reading & Annotations Understanding concepts including: Characterization, Repetition, and Alliteration  Reading Material: "The Sniper" by Liam O'Flaherty  Context: Early 1900s during the Irish War for Independence  Understanding Setting, Characters, & Plot Close Reading & Annotations Understanding Concepts including: Characters, & Plot Close Reading & Annotations Understanding concepts including: Characterization, Sentence Style, and Simile	<ul> <li>The kernel sentence</li> <li>4 types of sentences (Declarative, Interrogative, Imperative, Exclamatory)</li> <li>Making a sentence complete</li> <li>Combining sentences with words and phrases</li> <li>Independent and dependent clauses</li> <li>Conjunctions (Coordinating, Correlative, and Subordinating)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>4 types of paragraphs</li> <li>Narrative paragraphs</li> <li>Persuasive paragraphs</li> <li>Expository paragraphs</li> <li>Descriptive paragraphs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Writing a short story</li> <li>Jolting imagination with stories, experiences, and flash fiction</li> <li>Writing a book jacket and developing characters</li> <li>The plot diagram (Theme, Protagonist vs Antagonist, Exposition, Rising Action, Climax, Falling Action, Resolution)</li> <li>Writing a plot outline and rough draft</li> <li>Editing the draft for grammar, writing style, and elements of a story</li> </ul>

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### **Class Logistics**

#### SEPTEMBER 8 - DECEMBER 13, 2023 (12 Weeks)

- 2 Hours of class per week
  - 1 hour of LIVE lecture
  - 1 hour of LIVE 1:1 sessions to review lecture material!
- 10-12 graded assignments and detailed feedback from an EWC editor
- 12-15 Hours of on-demand videos covering lecture materials for review

#### Lecture

Every Friday

@ 8pm ET

#### **SEPTEMBER**

	SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
	3	4	5	6	7	8 LECTURE 1	9
Week 1	10	11	12	13	14	15 LECTURE 2	16
Week 2	17	18	19	20	21	22 LECTURE 3	23
Week 3	24	25	26	27	28	29 LECTURE 4	30

	SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
Week 4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	8	9	10	11	12	13 LECTURE 5	14
Week 5	15	16	17	18	19	20 LECTURE 6	21
Week 6	22	23	24	25	26	27 LECTURE 7	28
Week 7	29	30	31	1	2	3 LECTURE 8	4

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Week 7				1	2	3 LECTURE 8	4
Week 8	5	6	7	8	9	10 LECTURE 9	11
Week 9	12	13	14	15	16	17 LECTURE 10	18
Week 10	19	20	21	22	23	24	28

	SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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Week 11	3	4	5	6	7	8 LECTURE 12	9
Week 12	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

#### **Other Formats**

Does the schedule not work for you? No worries! There are other ways to access Level 1A material:



Please check our website for more information about selfpaced class and one-on-one offerings!

www.eyrewritingcenter.com/level-1

