

Sequence of English courses at Hostos Community College

ENG 93 Core Reading and Writing (6 hours, 0 credits)

Students in ENG 93 fit these criteria

- Have failing scores on both CUNY tests in reading (score of 70 is passing) and writing (score of 56 is passing)

OR

- Have one failing score low enough to benefit from additional support, whether a score in reading below 50 or in writing below 48

ENG 93 grading

- This course does not average into the GPA, allowing students the opportunity to improve skills without grade penalty
- Students receive grades of P (pass) or R (repeat)
- Students may receive two R grades in the course; subsequent failing grades in the course appear on transcripts as F grades

Next course after ENG 93

Students who pass one or both tests with required scores move to next English course:

- ENG 101: for students who pass reading but fail writing with scores 48-55
- ENG 102: for students who pass writing but fail reading with scores 50-69
- ENG 110: for students who pass both reading and writing

ENG 101 Writing Skills and Composition (6 hours, 3 credits)

ENG 102 Reading Skills and Composition (6 hours, 3 credits)

Students in ENG 101 fit these criteria

- Have passing score on CUNY test in reading (score of 70 is passing) and failing score on writing (score of 56 is passing) within the 48-55 range

Students in ENG 102 fit these criteria

- Have passing score on CUNY test in writing (score of 56 is passing) and failing score on reading (score of 70 is passing) within the 50-69 range

ENG 101 and ENG 102 grading

- All courses at the 100 level average into the GPA. These courses are equivalent to ENG 110. Students receive grades on the ten point scale: A (100-93), A- (92-90), B+ (89-87), B (86-83), B- (82-80), C+ (79-77), C (76-70), D (69-60), F (59-0), WU, INC
- Students who pass the course but fail the test temporarily receive F grades; when they pass the test in a workshop, then the F grade changes to the earned grade for the course

Next course after ENG 101 and ENG 102

- ENG 111: for students who pass both the test and the course
- ENG 110: for students pass the test but fail the course
- Reading and/or writing workshops: for students who pass the course but fail the test; upon passing the test in a workshop then they move into ENG 111

Special notes on ENG 101 and ENG 102

- Students who earn passing grades in the course from their instructors do not need to retake ENG 101 or 102; upon passing the test in a workshop they will receive the earned grade for the course
- Students might choose to retake ENG 101 or 102 if their instructors tell them that in addition to failing the test they earned failing course grades of F or WU; these students could alternatively choose to pass the test in a workshop and then take ENG 110
- Because the courses are equivalent, an earned grade in ENG 110 can replace a prior F grade in ENG 101 or 102, subject to CUNY 16 credit limit on repeating courses

English 110 Expository Writing (3 hours, 3 credits)

The first course in the two course sequence in the CUNY writing requirement can be completed by earning passing grades in ENG 101, ENG 102, OR ENG 110

English 111 Literature and Composition (3 hours, 3 credits)

The second course in the two course sequence in the CUNY writing requirement

FREE reading, writing, math workshops at Hostos

Who should attend the Immersion Program Workshops?

- CUNY students who after taking the CUNY Placement Tests, require remediation in one or more of the academic subjects of mathematics, reading or writing.
- Students enrolled at Hostos Community College who are having trouble passing one or more of the assessment tests.
- Entering students who want to fulfill their basic skills requirements.

For information on schedules, check the Immersion Programs homepage

<http://www.hostos.cuny.edu/Administrative-Offices/Office-of-Academic-Affairs/Special-Programs/Immersion-Programs>

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