



The Lantern English Co.

The Beginning Writer

Grammar II

Course Description: This course will continue the student's knowledge of the parts of speech by teaching adjectives and adverbs. With their prior knowledge of nouns, pronouns, and verbs, students will also learn how to build their sentences with the use of sentence complements: predicate nominatives, predicate adjectives, direct objects, and indirect objects.

Course Outline:

Week One: Adjectives I

- A. Articles
- B. Demonstrative & Possessive Adjectives

Week Two: Adjectives II

- A. Descriptive Adjectives
- B. Word Order for Adjectives

Week Three: Adjectives III

- A. Comparatives & Superlatives
- B. Irregular Adjectives
- C. Adjective Phrases

Week Four: Adverbs I – Adverbs of Manner, Time, Place, & Frequency

Week Five: Adverbs II - Adverbs of Certainty & Degree & Interrogative Adverbs

Week Six: Predicate Nominatives & Predicate Adjectives

Week Seven: Direct Objects & Indirect Objects

Week Eight: Final Review



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Grading Outline

All grammar classes will be graded based on the number of answers in each assignment. Assignments will not be graded on creativity or writing skills, as most of the assignments are technical. Assignments will be graded similar to a test or quiz. For example, if a student must underline ten nouns in an assignment and misses two, the student would receive an 80% on that assignment.

As there are numerous assignments in each lesson, the total number of required answers per lesson will be added up. Any incorrect answers will be subtracted from the score, and the grade will be given accordingly. For example, if there are 50 answers in a lesson, and a student misses 4, the grade is as follows:

$$50 - 4 = 46 \text{ points}$$

$$46/50 = 92\%$$

Course Components	Percentage of Final Grade
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Weekly Assignments	70%
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Final Test	30%
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EXAMPLE

assignment grades: 70, 80, 90, 75, 87, 92, 94, 86 = 84%

average test grade: 94 %

$$.84 \times 70 = 58.8$$

$$.94 \times 30 = 28.2$$

FINAL GRADE: 87%