August 25
Introduction to the course
Introductory exercise

August 29 & September 1
Diagnostic grammar test (Bring 100-item Scantron)
Harris 31 (sentences) 22 Verbs
Writer 30.1, 30.2
Harris 23, 24 (pronouns)
Writer 33.1, 33.2, 33.3, 33.5, 33.6, 33.7, 33.8

September 6 & 8
Pearson 9A, 9C, 11A, 11B, 11C
Harris 25 (adj/adv), 26 (prepositions), 27 (subject, 28 (phrases) 29 (clauses), 30 (essential/nonessential clauses)
Writer 30.5, 30.6, 30.7, 30.14, 30.19, 30.20, 30.21, 38.3

September 13 & 15
Pearson 1C, 1D
Review (Edit Bowl)
Quiz #1
Group presentation discussion

September 20 & 22
Harris 40 (commas), 41 (apostrophes), 42 (semi-colons), 43 (colons)
Writer 38.1, 38.2, 38.4, 38.5, 38.6, 38.7, 39.1, 39.2, 41.1, 41.2, 43.3
Pearson 14A, 14B, 14C, 14D, 15B, 15D
Harris 44 (quotations), 45 (hyphens)
Writer 42.1, 42.3
Pearson 15A

September 27 & 29
Harris 46 (periods), 47 (exclamation), 48 (capitalization), 51 (italics)
Writer 40.2, 40.3 43.2, 43.4, 43.5, 46.1, 47.2
Review
October 4-6
Quiz #2
Harris 11 (comma splices/fused sentences) 12 (subject-verb agreement), 16 (shifts)
Writer 32.1, 32.2, 36.1, 36.2, 36.3
Pearson 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D, 5A, 5C, 12A, 112B, 12C

October 11 & 13
Review
Midterm Exam

October 18 & 20
Conferences (MH 4.03.06)
Harris 13 (fragments) 14 (modifiers) 15 (parallelism)
Pearson 2A, 2B, 2C, 8D

October 25 & 27
Discussion of group booklet project/group meetings
Review
Quiz #3

November 1 & 3
Harris 17 (faulty predication), 18 (coordination/subordination), 19 (sentence clarity) 20 (transitions) 35 (conciseness)
Writer 24.3, 24.4, 28.1, 28.2

November 8 & 10
Harris 33 (glossary of usage)
Writer 22.3, 22.4, 22.6, 22.10, 22.12
Pearson 13B
Group meetings

November 25 & 17
Review
Quiz #4

November 22
Harris 36 (active/passive) 37 (clichés) 38 (appropriate language) 39 (nonsexist language) 60 (idioms) 20 (transitions)
Writer 20.1, 20.2, 20.3
Pearson 8A, 8B

November 29 & December 1
Review
Post-diagnostic test
Group presentation of booklet project
December 6
Group presentation of booklet project

Note:  December 8 and 9 are student study days.  Classes do not meet.

Final Exam: Tuesday, December 13, 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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