

Course Overview

Estimated time for all 5 Assignments: 68 - 163 hours

OALCF Levels: A1.3, A3

Suggested Milestones: 5, 6 or 7, 14

Ready for College Reading 1: (4 lessons)

In this assignment, you will learn to read and practice summarizing what you have read. You will study how taking notes can help you better understand your research. You will review ways to be sure you read test questions carefully and study how to plan and draft essay responses to test questions.

Ready for College Reading 2: (26 lessons)

In this assignment, you will become a word detective and use clues in what you read to figure out the meaning of a word you don't know. You will look at homonyms, homophones, idioms and figurative language. This assignment has a number of lessons to help build vocabulary.

Ready for College Reading 3: (7 lessons)

In this assignment, you will study finding just what you need in a document without reading every word. You will learn how to ask and answer questions and use what you already know to help understand what you read.

Ready for College Reading 4: (19 lessons)

In this assignment, you will learn how to identify the main idea and supporting details in what you read, even if the main idea is implied. You will identify details implied by cause and effect relationships and by illustrations or examples. You will learn to understand clues that are indirectly stated that may help you understand what the author wants to convey.

Ready for College Reading 5: (12 lessons)

This assignment is about building your vocabulary skills. Some of the words you may know. Some may be new to you.