SPRINGFIELD TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Course Number:	ENGL 200	Department:	English		
Course Title:	English Composition 2	Semester:	Spring	Year:	1997

Objectives/Competencies

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1. To introduce students to literature and to develop an appreciation of varied literary forms.	 Recognize the characteristics of literary genres. Learn common literary devices and techniques. Identify elements of style.
2. To improve students' reading comprehension and to sharpen their interpretive and critical abilities.	 Develop and employ interpretive skills in discussing and writing about literature. Develop and employ critical skills in discussing and writing about literature.
3. To open students' minds to differing ideas and values.	 Develop an understanding and appreciation of cultural diversity. Develop awareness of alternatives in considering situations. Appreciate alternative views of issues and experience.
4. To promote greater understanding of human nature and behavior.	 Recognize the relevance of human experience and behavior in literature to the same in daily life. Enrich understanding of oneself and of others.

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5. To improve students' writing styles.	 Reinforce the principles of good composition as learned in English Composition 1. Apply the principles of composition to literary analysis.