

# Minnesota State University Moorhead

## TEFL 105: Advanced English Syntax I

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

This course develops student knowledge and understanding of complex syntactic features of English. Students will encounter complex syntactic patterns and practice them in all four skill areas with particular emphasis on comprehending the meanings of these forms in written texts. In addition, more difficult aspects of verb forms and other categories will be addressed. Must earn grade of B or higher in ELP 205 and get instructor permission to enroll for this course OR get acceptable score on placement test and instructor permission.

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 09/01/2016 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Comprehend statements and questions using basic and complex syntactic structures in speech and writing.
2. Produce statements and questions using basic and complex syntactic structures in speech and writing.
3. Use syntactic features of a sentence to distinguish differences in meaning.
4. Use syntactic features to track information across an expanse of written discourse.

### E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted