

# Dakota County Technical College

## ENGL 0215: College Reading II

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

This course focuses on reading skills widely recognized as essential for comprehending college-level material. Topics include pre-reading, reading, and post-reading strategies as well as critical thinking to improve comprehension, increase vocabulary, and develop thoughtful responses to reading with additional emphasis on the close relationship of reading, writing, and thinking.

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 03/26/1999 - Present

### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

### D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Interpret text using critical thinking, problem-solving approach.
2. Read and comprehend college-level materials independently for a variety of purposes.
3. Connect reading to personal experience and prior knowledge.
4. Demonstrate new strategies for vocabulary development.
5. Summarize passages from a variety of texts.
6. Utilize reading strategies to comprehend a variety of texts.

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

None

### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted