

## **ENGL1210 - Writing About Current Issues**

Credits:	3 (3/0/0)
Description:	Meets MnTC Goal Area 1. This course builds on the foundations of College Writing and provides students with additional opportunities to develop and refine their writing through a process approach. Students will explore current issues by critically reading a variety of texts, conducting academic research and responding through discussion and writing.
Prerequisites:	• ENGL1101
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Demonstrate an awareness of current issues.</li> <li>Examine texts about current and contemporary life.</li> <li>Exhibit an awareness of context when analyzing a text.</li> <li>Explore current issues from multiple perspectives.</li> <li>Evaluate a variety of primary and secondary academic sources.</li> <li>Draw inferences from multiple academic sources.</li> <li>Respond critically via discussion and writing: reflections, observations, essays, articles and/or profiles.</li> <li>Establish a position and synthesize information from academic sources to support that position.</li> <li>Apply ethical principles when writing.</li> <li>Document sources according to the standards of a discipline.</li> <li>Refine drafting, revising and editing skills.</li> <li>Develop style and voice through writing.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	1. Communication

<sup>\*</sup>Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.