

**San José State University**  
**School/Department**  
**(29147) Writing Workshop: Economic Reports Section 03 Spring 2020**

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GE/SJSU Studies Category: Z  
Prerequisites:

## **Required Texts/Readings (Required)**

### **Textbook**

Writing for Success, Free Online resource, linked through Canvas Course page.

Deirdre N. McCloskey, *Economical Writing* (2nd or 3rd edition). Articles and handouts posted on Canvas

### **Other Readings**

*Economics in One Lesson*, Henry Hazlitt. I will be using selected chapters of this book during the course. You can purchase your own copy, check out a copy from the library, or download one

Research Methodology

- A Final Paper Draft. **This is due on Wednesday, April 22. This draft needs to be as close to completion as possible.** You will continue to improve on this draft. However, this will be the draft that you will receive comments on both from your peers and me
- Final research paper. This is due on the day the Final Exam is scheduled for this course, **Wednesday, May 13 by 2:30pm.** This will be based on the final draft paper with only minor modifications.

In addition to the research paper students will be graded on the following:

- In-class daily journals. This will be at the beginning of each class and will be based on a

I do not use a grading curve. Your final numerical grade will be the weighted average of your scores in the above categories, and your corresponding letter grade will be assigned as follows:

Ethical Development. [The website for Student Conduct and Ethical Development is available at http://www.sa.sjsu.edu/judicial\\_affairs/index.html](http://www.sa.sjsu.edu/judicial_affairs/index.html).

Instances of academic dishonesty will not be tolerated. Cheating on exams or plagiarism (presenting the w

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Week	Day	Date	Topic
	Mon	27-Jan	Go through syllabus
1	Wed	29-Jan	Ch 1
	Mon	3-Feb	Ch 2: Sentences
2	Wed	5-Feb	Ch 2: Sentences
	Mon	10-Feb	Ch 2 Sentences
3	Wed	12-Feb	Ch 3: Punctuation
	Mon	17-Feb	Ch 3: Punctuation
4	Wed	19-Feb	Ch 4: Words

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