

**ADULT DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**

**ADULT BASIC EDUCATION**

**COURSE TITLE:** Reading (RL090C2)

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Hours: Student Consultation by Appointment

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

This course is a developmental reading program to help students acquire and improve strategies for deriving meaning from print.

**OBJECTIVES:**

This course should give the student:

1. An opportunity to become more actively involved in the process of reading.
2. An increased consciousness of his/her purpose of reading.
3. Increased independence in reading.
4. A heightened awareness of the various and special features of reading materials.
5. Practice in applying reading strategies to a range of real reading materials.
6. An increased competence and confidence in reading.

**PRE-REQUISITE:** English Placement of 080+

**REQUIRED TEXTS:** None  
Reading materials to be selected individually by each student.

**GRADING:**

1. Assignments are to be completed by the dates set by the instructor. Assignments may be handed in late, but late assignments will be docked 5% per day. If you are having trouble meeting a deadline, see me at least one day before the assignment is due to talk about an extension.

2. The final grade will be determined as follows:

	Points	(28 classes)
*Assignments	50	(10 assignments)
Book Report	20	(1/semester)
Project	30	(1/semester)
	100 points	

3. All grades will be given as complete or incomplete. A mark of 75% must be made for an assignment of any type to be considered "complete". Students will have the opportunity to re-work assignments receiving an "incomplete".

\* Each assignment for this course will be assigned a point value allowing the student to accumulate a maximum of 100 points. A minimum of 38 points must be acquired to receive an overall "complete" for the assignment portion of the course. Full points must be acquired in the Book Report and Project Section to obtain credit for the course.