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## **ANTH 271/ENGL 271 –INTRODUCTION TO THE STUDY OF LANGUAGE**

3 CREDITS

### **SYLLABUS**

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#### **CATALOG DESCRIPTION**

Introduces the study of linguistics including the basic structure of language, first and second language acquisition, bilingualism, and social and regional variation.

Prerequisites: ENGL 111 with a C or better or permission of the instructor

Semester Offered: Fall and Spring

#### ***Common Student Learning Outcomes***

*Upon successful completion of San Juan College programs and degrees, the student will demonstrate competency in...*

##### **BROAD AND SPECIALIZED LEARNING**

Students will actively and independently acquire, apply, and adapt skills and knowledge with an awareness of global contexts.

##### **CRITICAL THINKING**

Students will think analytically and creatively to explore ideas, make connections, draw conclusions and solve problems.

##### **CULTURAL AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT**

Students will act purposefully, reflectively, and ethically in diverse and complex environments.

##### **EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION**

Students will exchange ideas and information with clarity in multiple contexts.

##### **INFORMATION LITERACY**

Students will be able to recognize when information is needed and have the ability to locate, evaluate, and use it effectively.

##### **INTEGRATING TECHNOLOGIES**

Students will demonstrate fluency in the application and use of technologies in multiple contexts.

*Student work from this class may be randomly selected and used anonymously for assessment of course, program, and/or institutional learning outcomes. For more information, please refer to the Dean of the appropriate School.*

#### **Course Learning Outcomes**

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Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to...

1. Apply and adapt skills and knowledge to develop an understanding of human language.
  - A. Understand the nature, properties and functions of language.
  - B. Comprehend the basic principles of the following areas of phonetics, phonology, morphology, grammar, syntax and semantics.
  - C. Understand the basic issues of other areas of linguistic study including language acquisition, pragmatics, discourse analysis, and sociolinguistics.
  - D. Understand the diversity of languages and their fundamental similarities.
  - E. Use basic terminology and notational conventions associated with linguistic study.