Arts and Sciences 101  
Parker-Adams Living-Learning Community  
Fall 2004

I. General Information

**Date and Time:** Tuesday, 3:30 to 4:45 PM

**Locations:** The first Tuesday of September, October, and November will meet in Morgan Auditorium. Other meetings in September will be in 227 Gallalee, but in October and November, we will meet in Parker Adams for the most part.

**Credit:** One Hour; Grading: Pass/Fail

**Instructors:** Matt Kelley  
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II. Participation in AS 101 is required for all Parker-Adams Living-Learning Community students. As part of AS 101, all students fulfill (1) the study hour requirement of four hours per week; (2) attend three approved cultural events during the semester, and (3) attend class meetings as outlined below.

III. Goals of AS 101 are as follows:

1. To assist the successful academic and social adjustment of living-learning students to the University by acquainting them with academic policies, academic advising services, and other available support services;
2. Through the colloquia and through conversations, to afford students the opportunity to see connections among the disciplines that compose the General Education Requirement; and
3. To promote student engagement with faculty, campus intellectual life, and campus and community service.

IV. Success in AS 101

A successful student in AS 101 will attend the study hall each week as required, attend three cultural events during the fall semester, and participate in the weekly AS 101 meetings as required. Failure to do any one of these three expectations will result in failure of the course and probable removal from the living-learning community. The course is an integral part of the Living-Learning Community. A student cannot be in the community and fail to be enrolled and participate in the course.

At the conclusion of the course, the successful student will be engaged in the campus community, be knowledgeable of campus services, and be acquainted with faculty with whom he or she shares interests.

V. Types of Class Meetings:

The class meetings on Tuesday afternoon take three different forms:

1. Colloquia: These are interdisciplinary discussions of significant topics.
   The theme for fall semester is “The Human Animal”.
2. Conversations: This part of AS 101 is intended to promote out-of-class discussions on a variety of topics with faculty.
3. Compass: This part of AS 101 orients you to campus and campus services available to you.

Misconduct: Any falsification of attendance records, including study hall participation, is grounds for a charge of academic misconduct. Such charges are adjudicated by the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.
Calendar:

August 31 through October 12:
Attendance at all sessions is required of all A&S students. Any absence must be approved ahead of time by Mr. Kelley or Dr. Webb. Changes may be made in the schedule, but students will be informed well in advance of the changed event.

August
31 First Class: Introductions, Syllabus, Cultural Events, and Study Hour (227 Gallalee)

September
7 Colloquium:
Harris and PA together in Morgan Auditorium
The Human Animal: Introduction. English 101 instructors & Prof. Norvin Richards, Philosophy chair; Prof. David Klemmack, Sociology; Professor Keller Suberkropf, Department of Biological Sciences; Prof. Caryl Cooper, Assistant Dean, College of Communication and Information Sciences, Prof. Marsha Adams, College of Nursing; Prof. Vicki Peeples, College of Human Environmental Sciences.
Assignment: Go to Get on Board Day on September 8. It can count as a cultural event. Email Dr. Webb using your Bama email about the organizations that interested you.

8 Get on Board Day on the Quad

14 Conversation: Visit your mentor.

21 Conversation: Prof. Stan Jones, Chair of Physics and Astronomy, on Carl Weiman (227 Gallalee). (The Weiman Lecture is at 7 PM in 107 Shelby Hall.)


October
5 Harris and PA in Morgan Auditorium
Colloquium: The Human Animal: Friendship, Courtship, and Romance
The week of October 4-8, the CTL will do study skills workshops during regular study hall hours. Attending the workshop will count toward the fulfillment of study hall requirements. The workshops are October 6 at 4 PM and October 7 at 6 PM and 7 PM. Call Library about room. Screen would be nice.

12 Homecoming Event in Parker-Adams
From here to semester’s end, students attend the remaining colloquium (Nov 2) and 2 additional sessions.

19 Conversation: Cornelius Carter, Dance

26 Halloween Parties (public service) in each hall

November
2 Colloquium: Human Animal in Morgan Auditorium

9 Conversation: Prof. Ian Brown

16 Compass: Topics Suggested by Students

23 NO CLASS

30 Compass: Topics Suggested by Students

December
Holiday Dinner with Mentors during this week.
**Mentors:**
Each Parker-Adams student has a faculty mentor. There will be three to five students for each mentor, so it is a way not only to meet a faculty member but also to get to know other students in the hall as well. On September 14 as the AS 101 class, your mentor is expecting you to visit in their offices. A few of the mentors have teaching obligations on Tuesday afternoon and we will have to set up another time for you to meet, but by the end of that week, I hope that everyone has met his or her mentor. Please make sure that they have your email and phone.

I hope that the mentors invite you to do something during the semester, but I ask you and the other students in your group to plan an activity for your mentor and your group. This could be right away or later in the semester. It could be to go to a basketball game or to eat lunch in Burke together. Think about something your mentor would enjoy. The mentors will also be invited to our holiday dinner in December.

**Supplemental Events:**
Below is a list of some supplemental events for the fall semester. As other events are scheduled and publicized, we will email you about them. The minimum requirement is that you attend three approved supplemental events during the semester. You are responsible for reporting the events and giving some comments about them. Remember your parents and everybody can read your comments, so be truthful and civil. Here is how to report them:

a. Go to [wwwctl.ua.edu/cllc](http://wwwctl.ua.edu/cllc)
b. Click “Student Login” in left frame
c. Click “Submit/View Event attendance information”
d. Click “Enter Event” Once you are on this page, the fields to be completed are Event; Event Date; Last Name, First Name, Hall, and Comments

Some Fall Semester supplemental events are listed below. We will add to the list.

- Get on Board Day, Sept. 8
- Carl Weiman, Nobel Laureate, Sept. 21
- Theatre, “Chorus Line”, Oct. 5-10
- Dance: Kansas City Ballet, Oct. 12-15
- Music: Huxford Symphony, Oct. 14
- Art: Kentuck, Oct. 16-17
- Theatre: “Shadow of a Gunman”
- Theatre: “You Can’t Take it With You”, Nov. 9-14
- Dance: Dance Alabama!, Nov. 16-20

**Study Hall:**
The requirement is four hours of supervised study hall per week. We will provide you with a set of guidelines for the study halls. They are held in the Gorgas Library on the third floor. To avoid noise and distraction, study hall begins on the hour.