# Jasper Academy Student Orientation and Welcome Package

# 2020

## **School Contact List**

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### What do you need to graduate?

### **18** Compulsory Credits

- 4 credits in English 1 credit per grade
- 3 credits in Mathematics 1 credit in grade 11 and 12
- 2 credits in Science
- 1 credit in Canadian History
- 1 credit in Canadian Geography
- 1 credit in the Arts
- 1 credit in Health and Physical Education
- 1 credit in a Second Language
- 0.5 credit in Career Studies
- 0.5 credit in Civics

#### What else do you need to graduate?

- Group 1
- English or French as a second language
- A Native language
- A classical or international language
- Canadian and world studies
- Guidance and career education
- Cooperative education
- Group 2
- Health and physical education
- The arts
- Business studies
- French as a second language
- Cooperative education
- Group 3
- Science (Grade 11 or 12)
- Technological education
- French as a second language
- Computer studies
- Cooperative education

#### What else do you need to graduate?

- 12 Elective Credits (optional courses)
- 40 hours of Community Service
- Grade 10 Literacy Test (OSSLT) or The Literacy Course (OLC40)
- Proof of English Proficiency (IELTS/TOEFL)
- This is for university and college admissions

### And What else do you need to graduate?

**Community Involvement** 

All students must complete 40 hours of community involvement to graduate with a diploma

Think of volunteering as an opportunity to learn more about yourself, possible career opportunities and a way to help others and give back to the community <u>Courses offered at Jasper Academy</u>

**ESL Courses** 

- Levels A E
- ESL courses are 6 weeks long: you will finish 2 ESL courses in 1 full semester
- Once you are in ESLEO you can begin taking credit courses

#### **School Policies**

- 110 hours are required to pass each course
- Students can drop courses within 1 week of the start date for a full refund
- Full time students are required to have a credit counseling session with Simone or Eva

#### **School Policies**

#### **Student Absences**

• If you are going to be absent from a live session, you must phone the school at: 416-825-1286

**Request Leave** 

• If you are not well for an extended period of time, please call or email the school.

#### **Technical Requirements**

- Minimum Hardware and Software Requirements:
- Students must have access to a broadband/high speed Internet connection, and a personal computer.
- Students will need a USB Headset and a Webcam
- Moodle (Jasper Academy's LMS) will work in any modern web browser, such Explorer, Firefox and chrome etc.
- Student browser should also have both cookies and JavaScript enabled. These are typically enabled by default.
- Productivity software such as MS Office and Google Docs.
- Voice Thread

## **<u>Code of Conduct for Computer Use/Online Behavior</u>**

- Users are ultimately responsible for any and all use of their computing accounts. Consequently, users must:
- Maintain secure passwords for all accounts assigned to them
- Take precautions against others obtaining unauthorized access to their computing resources
- Not willingly share passwords and other access control information for their personal accounts to any other person
- Report immediately to a teacher any message or request that you receive that bothers you or that suggests personal contact with you
- Use their Jasper Academy accounts and all other software provided for them only for the purposes for which they were authorized
- Respect all copyrights and licenses associated with Jasper Academy School
- Not attempt to interfere with the normal operation of a shared system
- Not attempt to circumvent the restrictions associated with their online accounts
- Not send obscene, vulgar or harassing messages

### **School Environment**

- Safe School Environment
- The Jasper Academy School holds the belief that acceptable behaviours and conduct are promoted in a positive climate in which:
- All students feel safe, valued and trusted, and have the opportunity to develop, assume and maintain responsibility and self-motivation;
- All students feel supported without fear of retaliation in reporting unsafe conditions, actions or potential incidents;

### **Attendance**

- Definition of what is meant by "regular attendance:"
- <u>Students and teachers are expected to login regularly to their course.</u> Specific requirements and definition of what is meant by "regular" attendance:
  - Regular attendance means and requires that students log in at least once every week.
  - > Attempt at least one assignment every week.
  - > Participate in a forum or write in a blog at least once every month.
  - Submit an assignment or deliver a presentation or write a test at least once every 2 weeks.
- Attendance on a regular basis is not only central in the overall mission of Jasper Academy, but is crucial to the success of our students All students are expected to attend classes regularly and complete all assignments and homework in due time and submit to the teacher. Absenteeism and lateness reduce the chances of a fair performance and evaluation dramatically. Students with legitimate reasons for absence must submit appropriate documentation to support their claim. Legitimate documentation may include, but is not limited to, a doctor's note. The principal will determine the legitimate of a student's reason and documentation.

- Jasper Academy has the attendance policy found below to promote the regular attendance of students.
- Students and teachers are expected to login regularly to their course.
- The principal is responsible for maintaining student and teacher login records.
- Students who wish to withdraw from a course must submit a written request.
- Students who do not complete a course with 1 calendar will be withdrawn from courses.
- All effort will be made to make the course material as well as methods of interaction and manner of login are easily accessible.
- Course Participation is a combined behavior of logging in to the course on a regular basis, reviewing instructions, participating in discussion forum, and submitting assignments to be graded either by the system, such as automatically graded quizzes and tests, or by the teacher, such as practice, journals, discussions, and unit tests. Communication with the teacher and seeking support from the teacher is also an essential part of Course Participation.

### **Consequences of Not Logging to Classes**

- Students are expected to attend all classes and be punctual.
- In case a student misses a class requirement; the student will be expected to complete any and all missed assignments/tasks etc. Teachers and the student will consult about how to access the skills and knowledge that have been missed by the student.
- Students who miss extended class time or who lack class participation will be issued a warning ("A Gentle Reminder") that they are in jeopardy of losing their credit-earning status in the class.
- After a student has failed to login to the class and or fail other measures of determining absenteeism, the student (and the parent/guardian, if required) will be required to attend a meeting with the principal and the teacher to assess their ability to continue in the course, during this meeting the onus will be on the student (and the parent/guardian) to assure the principal and the teacher that the absenteeism will cease. The student will only be allowed to continue if the student successfully establishes his/her right to continue in the course by providing legitimate grounds for being absent. However, if the student fails to rectify the absenteeism/non participation, he/she will be asked to withdraw from the course and will not earn a credit.
- After a student has been removed from a course, the hours that he/she spent in the class cannot be counted towards earning a credit in the course at a subsequent time of enrollment in the same course.
- If warranted, students may have an opportunity to make up hours and missed tasks/assignments at the discretion of the Principal.

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Why you should not plagiarize

• It is the most serious academic offense

• In university, you will get a 0% for the test or assignment, which will likely cause you to fail the course without a refund and it will show on your academic record

• Depending on what you plagiarize, you can get suspended and even expelled instantly

• If this goes on your record in post-secondary education (college or university) it could prevent you from ever going to University again

•Most universities require you to submit essays and assignments on a website called turnitin. com, and this website will detect right away if your work has been copied from elsewhere.

• It's better to fail then to plagiarize.. if you feel you won`t pass a test or assignment, go see your teacher, they will be happy to help you! :)

# Jasper Academy LMS student user guide November 25, 2017

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# System Setup

## 1. Browsers

Before logging into Moodle, you will need to make sure you have a compatible browser.

Recommended browsers when using Moodle include:

(a) Google Chrome

(b) Firefox

## 2. Other Applications

In order to view some files, media or other items that may be available in your course, you may need some of the following software:

(a) Adobe Flash

(b) Windows Media Player

(c) Java

(d) Adobe Reader

# Logging in to Moodle

The Jasper Moodle address is <u>https://online.jaspermy.com/</u>



You will then need to enter your username and password. Username and Password should be generated by system administrator. You will be prompted to change your password after you login.

# **My Home**

Once you have logged in, you will be directed to your home page.



# **My Account**

Click on your name on the right-up corner, you can find a drop-down menu.



# 1. Dashboard



## **Display information:**

- (a) All Courses: all available courses
- (b) Navigation: This block includes quick links to your home page, your courses etc.
- (c) Course Overview: Display all courses which you have already enrolled.
- (d) **Private Files**: you can upload your personal files.
- (e) **Online Users**: show you who is online at the moment.
- (f) **Calendar**: it will show your event on the calendar.

(g) **Upcoming Events**: you can add event in your calendar.

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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		
Upcoming Events Lester event Wednesday, 28 June, 4:35 PM						
Go to calendar New event						

## 2. Forums

Forums are online discussion boards that allow for interaction amongst students, instructors, and others involved in this course. Your instructor may make participation in these forums part of your grade.

Forum Icon – Forums in Moodle are indicated with the 'speech bubble' icon.

Home / language / ESLAO - English as a Second Langu	age Level 1 / Week 1: Unit 1, Lessons 1, 2, 3 / Discussion Forum	٥	Search forums
Navigation II	Discussion Forum		
Home Dashboard	Welcome to the discussion forum! Please answer to threads and start new threads,		
<ul> <li>Site pages</li> <li>Current course</li> <li>ESLAO - English as a Second Language Level 1</li> <li>Participants</li> </ul>	This forum allows each person to stand	irt one discussion topic.	
Badges     General     Course Introduction and Outline     Week 1: Unit 1, Lessons 1, 2, 3     Learning Goals and Success Criteria	(There are no discussion topics yet in this forum)		
<ul> <li>Textbook: "Essential Grammar in Use with Answers"</li> <li>1. Weekly Classroom Work and Grading</li> <li>Introduction to VoiceThread</li> </ul>			
Teacher's Self-Introduction     Teacher's Self-Introduction: Transcript     Discussion Forum     Unit 1 Lesson 1 Grammar Activity 1 of 2     Unit 1 Lesson 1 Grammar Activity 2 of 2			

# **Forum Types**

- (h) **Single simple discussion** This type of forum is a single topic. The topic and replies are all kept on one page, making this useful for short, focused discussions.
- (i) **Standard forum for general use** This is an open forum where anyone (student or instructor) can start a new topic at any time.
- (j) **Each person posts one discussion** In this forum, each person can only post one discussion topic. Participants are free to reply to any topics.

## **Forum Definitions:**

- (a) Post any message within the forum, including the discussion topic and any replies.
- (b) Subject the title of a post.
- (c) Thread A string of replies (or replies of replies) to an original post.
- (d) Topic The subject of the original post of a thread.

#### **Discussion Forum**

Welcome to the discussion forum! Pl	ease answer to threads and start new threads.
Subject*	
Message*	
Discussion subscription ③	
Attachment 🕐	Maximum size for new files: 500KB, maximum attachments: 9
	> 🚰 Files
	You can drag and drop files here to add them.
	Post to forum Cancel

There are required fields in this form marked \*.

Your post was successfully added. You have 30 mins to edit it if you want to make any changes. Tester La Test will be notified of new posts in 'test forum topic' of 'Discussion Forum'

#### **Discussion Forum**

Welcome to the discussion forum! Please answer to threads and start new threads.

Discussion	Started by	Replies	Last post
test forum topic	Tester La Test	0	Tester La Test 🖂
			Mon, 26 Jun 2017, 6:11 PM

## 3. Profiles (a)User details

You can customize your profile and some preference settings in this block. The input box with a red star is required. As your profile will be public within Moodle, please keep your profile content appropriate.

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Home / Dashboard / Preferences / User account / Edit profile						
Navigation III	Tester Le Viar					
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My courses	First name*	Tester				
	Surname*	Le Viar				
	Email address*	jasper2@mailinator.com				
	Email display	Allow everyone to see my email address				
	City/town	Markham				
	Select a country	Canada •				
	Timezone	America/Toronto •				
	Description 💮					
		test account				

## (b) Course details

Click on course name, it will redirect to the course detail page. Course outline will show in Navigation block.

Click on the left navigation button to course unit detail page.



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e pages rrent course	Course introduction and Outline	Week 2: Unit 1, Lessons 4, 5, 6 🕨		
ESLAO – English as a Second Language Level 1 Participants	Week 1: Unit 1, Lessons 1, 2, 3		Latest Announcements	
Badges     General		Your progress (?)	(No news has been posted yet)	
Course Introduction and Outline		iou progress ()	(no news has been posted yet)	
Week 1: Unit 1, Lessons 1, 2, 3	Welcome			
🗎 Learning Goals and Success Criteria			University - Franks	_
Textbook: "Essential Grammar in Use with	Welcome to ESLAO, English as a Second Language, Level 1!		Upcoming Events	E
Answers" 1. Weekly Classroom Work and Grading	We prepared many interesting videos and activities. We hope that you enjo	by this class!	There are no upcoming events	
Introduction to VoiceThread	Your teacher is Kateryna Yuri. You can meet her in the introduction video a	Go to calendar		
Teacher's Self-Introduction	forums.	New event		
Teacher's Self-Introduction: Transcript				
🖶 Discussion Forum	In This Unit:			
Unit 1 Lesson 1 Grammar Activity 1 of 2	<ul> <li>We will introduce ourselves.</li> </ul>			
Unit 1 Lesson 1 - Grammar Activity 2 of 2	We will talk about life in Canada.		Recent Activity	E
<ul> <li>Introduction to Anki</li> <li>Learning Goals and Success Criteria</li> <li>Student Self-Introduction</li> </ul>	í		Activity since Saturday, 24 June 2017, Full report of recent activity	
Discussion Forum			COURSE UPDATES:	
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Learning Goals and Success Criteria			Updated Page	
Comments on Other Students' Self- Introductions	Martin 114 All All and	-I-	Introduction to VoiceThread	
Discussion Forum		Sheet The second se	Updated External tool	
U1L3 Things to Do in Canada - Reading			Teacher's Self-Introduction	
Introduction to the Project: 30 Day Challenge			Updated Oulz	

#### (c) Miscellaneous

You can post news in blog or forum and discuss topics in forum with teachers and students.

Learning Plan: you can log your learning steps to show what and how you work on a course or an assignment.

#### (d) Reports

It records all your active sessions: Login time, IP address etc.

# My active sessions

Log In	Last access	Last IP address	Action
Monday, 26 June 2017, 3:58 PM	Current session		

## (e)Login activity Display your access sessions.

#### Login activity

First access to site Monday, 26 June 2017, 1:51 PM (3 hours 17 mins)

Last access to site Monday, 26 June 2017, 5:08 PM (now)

## 4. Grades

You can find all the grades you get for each course.

Grade Item	Calculated weight	Grade	Range	Percentage	Feedback	Contribution to course total
Research Direction	ons in Computing					
∑ Course total		Error	0-100	Error		-

# 5. Messages

Send message to your classmates.

Message navigation:					
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## 6. Preferences

7. Assignments

This is where you will find the preferred settings to all your actions.

## Preferences

#### User account

- Edit profile
- Change password
   Preferred language
- Preferred language
   Forum preferences
- Editor preferences
- Messaging

## Blogs

Blog preferences
 External blogs
 Register an external blog

#### Badges

Manage badges
 Badge preferences
 Backpack settings

Your instructor may require you to upload digital content and/or submit online responses for grading. For example, essays, spreadsheets, presentations, webpages,

photos, video clips or a typed paragraph response may be required.

There are three types of assignment submissions:

- (a) File submissions (students submit a file(s) for assessment)
- (b) Online text (students can type their responses directly in Moodle)
- (c) Submission comments (students can type comments to their instructor before submitting an assignment)

When you enter an assignment, you will see the instructor's directions to complete the assignment.

## 8. Quizzes

Once you enter a quiz, you will see instructions provided by your instructor, the attempts allowed, the date and time the quiz is available, and when the quiz will close. To begin the quiz, select the Attempt quiz now button. If the quiz allows for multiple attempts and you have made an attempt, the button will read Reattempt quiz. If the quiz only allows a single attempt, a window will appear asking if you wish to continue.



(a) Once you begin the quiz, be sure to read each question carefully. You can flag questions that you wish to skip and/or later review.

Opic Navigation           1         2         3         4         5         6         7         8         9           10         11         12         13         14         15         10         17         18           19         201         211         14         15         10         17         18           19         202         21         22         23         24         25         26         27	Question 1 Not yet answered Weight 1.00 The Remove flag	Unscramble Sentences: always / at nine o'clock / out of the garage / In the morning / drives / his car / he Answer: Certainty (): () C=1 (Unsure: <67%) () C=2 (Mid: >67%) () C=3 (Quite sure: >80%)
Finish attempt Time left 1:58:40 Start a new preview	Question 2 Not yet answered	Unscramble Sentences: he / to town / after breakfast / often / Mrs Hodges / takes
Navigation EC	A Edit question	Answer: CertaInty@: © C=1 (Unsure: <67%) © C=2 (Mid: >67%) © C=3 (Quite sure: >80%)
Dashbaard     Site pages     Current course     ✓ ESLAO - English as a Second Language Level 1	Question 3 Not yet answered Weight 1.00 V Flag question	Unscramble Sentences: a parking place / near the shops / they / find / rarely Answer:

- (b) Quizzes can have multiple pages. Click the Next button located directly under the last question to move to the next page. Clicking Next on the final page of the quiz will conclude the quiz.
- (c) Moodle quizzes have a navigation window located on your left hand side of the page. A grey background indicates an answered question. The red corner indicates flagged questions. You can click on the numbers to jump to those questions. When you have completed the quiz, select Finish attempt.
- (d)Once you have finished the quiz, a summary page will appear. The question status box will inform you of questions answered, not answered, and flagged. Click on a question number to jump directly to that question. Select the Submit all and finish button to conclude the quiz.
- (e) Check your score.

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## Unit 1 Lesson 1 Grammar Activity 1 of 2

## Summary of attempt

Question	Status
Make this sentence negative:	
1	Answer saved
2	Answer saved
3	Answer saved
4	Answer saved
5	Answer saved
	Return to attempt
	Time left 0:59:33
This attempt mus	t be submitted by Monday, 26 June 2017, 7:13 PM.
	Submit all and finish

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Quiz Navigation	Starte	ed on Monday, 26 June 2017, 6:13 PM	
		State Finished	
Tester La Test MAKE THIS SENTENCE NEGATIVE:	Complete	ed on Monday, 26 June 2017, 6:14 PM	
	Time t	taken 1 min 17 secs	
	G	irade 0.00 out of 5.00 (0%)	
	Feed	lback Please review your mistakes and try again	
	Question 1		
Finish review	Incorrect	This is a monkey.	
	Mark 0.00 out of		
	1.00		
		Answer: This is a monkey.	×
	Flag question		
		The correct answer is: This isn't a monkey.	
	Question 2		
		I live in Germany.	
	Incorrect		
	Mark 0.00 out of		
	1.00		_
	Flag question	Answer: I live in Germany.	×

## Unit 1 Lesson 1 Grammar Activity 1 of 2

Time limit: 1 hour								
Grading method: Highest grade								
Summary of your previous attempts								
Atten	pt State	Grade / 5.00	Revlew	Feedback				
1	Finished Submitted Monday, 26 June 2017, 6:14 PM	0.00	Review	Please review your mistakes and try again				
Highest grade: 0.00 / 5.00.								
Overall feedback								
Please review your mistakes and try again								
Re-attempt quiz								

## 9. Logout

If you are not using your personal computer, do not forget to logout before you leave the computer.