

DIRW 0315: Weekly Activities in the Discussion Board

Week 1:

Post your "Syllabus Acknowledgement" in the Discussion Board.

Review Grammar & Mechanics Rules

Instructions:

- 1) Click on each link to go to the web article.
- 2) Review the information.
- 3) Take a selfie of yourself (or your thumbs-up) in front of the screen showing each web Purdue article.
- 4) Upload the picture into the Discussion Board OR email the picture to Dr. Ramos -- rramos@dallascollege.edu as your Weekly Activity assignment submission.

Week 2:

[Sentence Fragments](#)

[Run-ons, Comma-Splices, Fused Sentences](#)

Week 3:

[Extended Rules for Using Commas](#)

[Commas vs. Semicolons](#)

Source:

Purdue Online Writing Lab, Purdue University, owl.purdue.edu/owl/purdue_owl.html

Grammar and Mechanics Practice Exercises

Instructions:

- 1) Click on each link to go to the practice exercise.
- 2) Complete the practice exercise.
- 3) Take a selfie of yourself (or your thumbs-up) in front of the screen showing each COMPLETED practice exercise.
- 4) Upload the picture into the Discussion Board OR Email the picture to Dr. Ramos -- rramos@dallascollege.edu as your Weekly Activity assignment submission.

Week 4:

[Sentence Fragments: Practice Exercise 1](#)

[Sentence Fragments: Practice Exercise 2](#)

[Sentence Fragments: Practice Exercise 3](#)

Week 5:

[Fragments and Types of Sentences](#)

[Fragments and Run-Ons](#)

Week 6:

[Avoiding Comma Splices](#)

[Repairing Run-On Sentences](#)

Week 7:

[Quiz on Punctuation](#)

[Another Quiz on Punctuation](#)

Week 8:

[Using Commas with Coordinating Conjunctions](#)

[Using Commas with Introductory Phrases](#)

Week 9:

[Using Colons Effectively](#)

[Quiz on Using Quotation Marks](#)

Week 10:

[Quiz on Subject Verb Agreement](#)

[Second Exercise in Parallelism](#)

Source:

Guide to Grammar & Writing, Capital Community College Foundation, guidetogrammar.org/grammar