

Hey Guys!

Unfortunately, I haven't been able to get *Yahoo Answers* to post my question for some strange reason. Until I figure out how to fix the glitch, I'm going to post my Q&A responses here. So in the meantime, please try to imagine a *Yahoo Answers* page style and layout. Thanks!

Question:

"What Is First-Year Composition?!"

Context:

Hey guys :D soo I grew up studying in Australia & I'm about to move to the United States to study. When I was signing up for classes, I was chunked into a first-year composition course. Can someone tell me what this is cause I don't wanna have to take some BS course.

Answers:

Catears9 (Student): FYC is just some shiz you have to take that makes you ok 4 taking otha classes. its really stupid nd boring.

DougDowns73 (Author of article): First-year composition can and should be a space, a moment, and an experience -- in which students might consider writing apart from previous schooling and work, within the context of inquiry-based higher education.

DonaldTrumpadumpadump (Politician): A course to ensure that college graduates have the basic writing skills that employers seek, because so many students just can't write. It's embarrassing.

SmartyPants23 (Graduate Teaching Assistant): FYC is a hoop I would have to jump through if I hadn't already been a genius at writing and AP'd out of it. It's pretty stupid. I've never actually taken the course, even though I'm teaching it hahaha :P

FYCIInstitutionOfficial (Institution): First-year composition (FYC) is a general education course designed to improve students' writing skills and prepare them for college and workplace writing.

Happypappy77 (Student): Hey yo you're not alone with this one bro! I have to take it too this year which sucks :(but its basically a writing course to make us eligible for other classes. ull be fine!

Dr.Howdy092 (Professor): First-year composition is an English course meant to ensure students can write when they get to us -- but doesn't; our students can't complete a sentence, much less write well.

