

Writing -Intensive Guidelines for Faculty

Writing-Intensive Courses

- x Can be both Core courses and courses in majors
- x Can be taught by faculty members from any discipline
- x Can easily designate work

What Does Writing Intensive Mean?

- x Students should write at least one substantial assignment appropriate to the discipline.
- x Faculty should spend the equivalent of at least one class period addressing writing.
- x Faculty should provide feedback on student writing with the aim of helping students do better on future writing.
- x Faculty will have the option to consult with Writing Program Director for guidance with syllabus development, assignment writing, grading strategies, and class writing activities.

Honors Sections

In consultation with the Honors Director, faculty teaching Honors designated WI courses might wish to require more writing.

Benefits to Students and Faculty

- x Writing-Intensive courses will help students be able to better learn, remember, and comp