1. Go to:  http://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/596/01/

2. Carefully read the rules governing appositives. Read for a clear understanding.

3. Answer the following questions:

   A. What is the definition of an appositive? ________________________________

   B. An appositive may ______________ or ______________ the word it explains/renames, but it must be always be positioned next to it.

   C. Appositives will always describe a ______________ or a ______________.

   D. When do we use commas around appositives? ________________________________

   E. When do we not use commas around appositives? ________________________________

   F. Write an original sentence of your own that contains an appositive:

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4. Obtain WRC worksheet #6 (Appositives) located under “Other Resources” on the WRC’s web site (http://academic.rcc.edu/wrc). Complete the exercise and see the receptionist for the answer key. How many did you miss? _____ After correcting your answers, take your worksheet to an instructor/tutor for a discussion about any errors you made and any remaining questions you have about the topic.

5. What questions do you still have regarding the proper use of appositives?

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6. Have the instructor/tutor sign on the line below:

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   Signature                          Date