Writing Conventions: Modifiers

1. Go to the WRC reception desk and ask to check out *The Little, Brown Handbook* 9th edition (hardback). You will need a photo identification to check this book out for use in the WRC.

2. Read p. 381-91 on misplaced and dangling modifiers.

3. If you have any questions, now is a good time to STOP and visit an instructor or a tutor to get some help. Write any questions you may have below before you go.

Once you are ready, go on to #4.

4. On a separate sheet of paper, complete the exercise on misplaced modifiers on p. 382 and the exercise on dangling modifiers on p. 390. Rewrite the sentences so the modifiers are correctly placed.

5. Before reviewing your answers with an instructor or tutor, use the space below to write any questions you still have about modifiers:

6. Review your answers with an instructor or tutor in the WRC. Have that person sign and date this sheet.

   Instructor/Tutor signature  

   Date

7. Return this completed, signed sheet to your instructor.