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Please provide answers to these questions on the next page:

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- 2. Using your most recent W course, discuss what the writing activities are intended to accomplish. You do not need to describe the amount of writing, frequency of assignments or fill out the summary chart for writing assignments.

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PHIL 325 Modern Philosophy PHIL 330 Philosophy of Science	

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Students do short expository writing to learn how to give accurate, textually corroborated exposition of assigned readings. Students also write 10-15 page term papers to learn, additionally, how to defend a thesis by providing positive arguments and replies to objections. The term paper process involves draft submission and revision in light of instructor feedback. Clarity, precision, organization, textual fidelity, and expository accuracy are reinforced in all paper assignments, both short expository papers and the term paper. Rubrics for all assignments prioritize these virtues.