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AP Literature and Composition

Course Description:

AP English Literature and Composition is an introductory college-level literary analysis course. Students cultivate their understanding of literature through reading and analyzing texts as they explore concepts like character, setting, structure, perspective, figurative language, and literary analysis in the context of literary works.

Academic Suitability:

Students should have successfully completed their 9th-11th grade honors/gifted ELA courses and/or AP Language & Composition.

Out of Class Commitment:

Students should be prepared to spend 5-8 hours outside of class a week working on AP Literature & Composition. Work is assigned daily and includes reading novels, poems, short stories, dropbox assignments in response to reading, crafting discussion post responses, reading check quizzes, viewing AP Classroom Daily Skill videos, and practice AP multiple-choice and free-response questions (within the course and/or in AP Classroom via CollegeBoard). Students will also keep other assignments in their AP Notebooks via Google Docs.

Summer Suggested Preparation:

It is recommended that you read at least one of the novels from this list: <https://www.husd.org/cms/lib/AZ01001450/Centricity/Domain/2891/AP%20Reading%20List.pdf>

School Issued Text Name:

Perrine's Literature Structure, Sound and Sense

Additional Resources:

- www.CollegeBoard.org