

Course Name: English 11

Duration: 1 Semester Full Year

Grade Level: 9th 10th 11th 12th (check all that apply)

Are there any prerequisites for the course?

English 9 & 10

WHAT this course is about:

Making connections between the concepts you read and write about, and the real world we all live in. You will continue to develop your understanding of the elements and craft of literature, and the techniques of rhetoric and persuasion through the many voices and experiences of American literature.

WHY take this course:

This is a good course to continue your post-high school path, whether your college-bound or planning on a specific program or career opportunity. You'll leave this course with sharpened skills around persuasive and informative writing, and experience with synthesizing important information.

WHAT you'll learn:

- How to actively engage with the written word
- How to effectively communicate through writing
- How to better understand author's choices in the written word
- How to be a better reader
- How to better understand the foundations of our language

WHAT you'll do:

- Read engaging literature
- Continue to improve your vocabulary and understanding of the English language
- Participate in group discussions and assignments
- Write for multiple purposes

WHERE this could take you:

This course prepares you for any of LC's 12th grade English offerings, as well as continuing the solid foundation you'll need to succeed in the humanities in college or any other post-high school pursuits.

OPTIONAL Course Outline (“scope and sequence”, sequence chart, etc.)

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