



HOMEWOOD-FLOSSMOOR HIGH SCHOOL COURSE SCOPE & SEQUENCE

Semester 1 ø11 óø12 Department: English Course: CP American Literature Instructor(s): D. Penn
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WEEK #1 8/15-8/19 No School: 8/15 & 8/16	W.I.d.2 E.I.d.1	Information Sheets Course Overview & assessment Parts of speech review Intro to American Lit	Class Policies and Procedures American Literature Timeline Notes on Native American literature øThe World on a Turtleø Backö	Class Policies and Procedures quiz Annotations and discussion questions	
WEEK #2 8/22-8/26	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Pre-reading questions Contextual information Parts of speech	øHalf-Hanged Maryö <u>The Crucible</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #3 8/29-9/2	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2	Summarizing	<u>The Crucible</u>	Reading questions	



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PLC Day:9/2	R.I.d.3 E.III.d.2	Exposition Parts of speech		Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #4 9/5-9/9 No School: 9/5	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Point-of-view Parts of speech	<u>The Crucible</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #5 9/12-9/16 Pep assembly: 9/16	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Composing an argument Parts of the sentence	“The Minister’s Black Veil”	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #6 9/19-9/23 PLC Day: 9/23	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Pre-reading questions Contextual background Parts of the sentence	Transcendentalism “What does it mean to be an individual in America?” Related readings	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Character drawings	
WEEK #7 9/26-9/30	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Diction Dialect Parts of the sentence	New Poetic Forms “Song of Myself” “Because I Could not Stop for Death” “We Wear the Mask”	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	



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<p>WEEK #8 10/3-10/7 PLC Day: 10/7</p>	<p>R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3</p>	<p>Theme</p> <p>Parts of the sentence</p> <p>Characterization</p>	<p><u>The Great Gatsby</u></p>	<p>Reading questions</p> <p>Grammar and literature quizzes</p>	
<p>WEEK #9 10/10-10/14 No School: 10/10 All School Testing: 10/12</p>	<p>R.II.d.1 R.II.d.2 R.IV.d.2 R.II.d.3 E.III.d.1 E.III.d.2 E.III.d.3</p>	<p>Pre-reading questions</p> <p>Contextual information</p> <p>Introduction to nonfiction</p> <p>Phrases</p>	<p><u>The Great Gatsby</u></p> <p><u>The Great Gatsby</u></p>	<p>Essay and objective test</p> <p>Reading questions</p> <p>Grammar and literature quizzes</p> <p>Quarter exam</p>	
<p>WEEK #10 10/17-10/21 End of 1st Quarter: 10/21 WEEK</p>	<p>R.IV.d.2 E.III.d.1 E.III.d.2 E.III.d.3</p>	<p>Irony</p> <p>Phrases</p>	<p>The Harlem Renaissance</p>	<p>Reading questions</p> <p>Grammar and literature quizzes</p>	



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WEEK #11 10/24-10/28 PLC Day: 10/28	R.IV.d.2 R.I.d.1 E.III.d.1 E.III.d.2 E.III.d.3	Defining a concept Paraphrasing Phrases	Various readings by Langston Hughes	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Paraphrasing background of influential individual	
WEEK #12 10/31-11/4 Parent/Teacher Conferences 11/3 No School: 11/4	R.V.d.1 R.V.d.2 E.III.d.1 E.III.d.2 E.III.d.3	Summarizing main ideas Phrases	Various Readings by Zora Neal Hurston	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Time line of Gordon's life	
WEEK #13 11/7-11/11 No School: 11/11	R.V.d.1 R.V.d.2	Theme Proposing an argument Clauses	“When the Negro was in Vogue”	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Essay and objective test	
WEEK #14	R.III.d.4 R.III.d.3	Context and pre-reading questions	<u>A Raisin in the Sun</u>	Reading questions Grammar and	



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11/14-11/18 PLC Day: 11/18		Clauses		literature quizzes	
WEEK #15 11/21-11/25 Early Dismiss: 11/23 No School: 11/24 & 11/25	R.III.d.4 R.III.d.3	Point-of-view Symbolism Clauses	<u>A Raisin in the Sun</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #16 11/29-12/2	R.III.d.4 R.III.d.3	Imagery Agreement	<u>A Raisin in the Sun</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #17 12/5-12/9 PLC Day: 12/9	R.III.d.4 R.III.d.3 W.I.d.1	Irony Agreement	<u>A Raisin in the Sun</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Mini book	
WEEK #18 12/12-12/16	R.III.d.4	Foils Approaching the exam Agreement	<u>A Raisin in the Sun</u> Exam review sheet	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Essay and Objective test	
	E.II.d.3	Approaching the exam	Final exams	Participation	



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WEEK #19 12/19-12/23 Winter Recess: 12/21- 1/3			Exam review sheet		
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WEEK #1 1/16 ø 1/20 No school: 1/16	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3 R.I.d.4	Paraphrasing and summary Shared inquiry Correct pronoun usage	<u>A Lesson Before Dying</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #2 1/23 ø 1/27 PLC Day: 1/27	R.III.d.1 R.III.d.2 R.III.d.3 R.III.d.4 R.III.d.5	Paraphrasing and summary Shared inquiry	<u>A Lesson Before Dying</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	



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		Correct pronoun usage			
WEEK #3 1/30-2/3	E.III.d.2 E.III.d.3 W.III.d.1	Examine archetypal experience Clear reference	<u>A Lesson Before Dying</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Psychological analysis	
WEEK #4 2/6-2/10 PLC Day: 2/10	E.III.d.2 E.III.d.3	Contextual background Clear reference	<u>A Lesson Before Dying</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #5 2/13-2/17	E.IV.e.2	Characterization Correct verb usage	<u>A Lesson Before Dying</u>	Characterization analysis Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #6 2/20-2/24 No School: 2/20 PLC Day: 2/24	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Manipulation of point-of-view Setting Correct verb usage	Women in American Literature	Setting visual Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	



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WEEK #7 2/27-3/2	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Thematic development, symbolism, and figurative language Correct use of modifiers	“The Yellow Wallpaper”	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #8 3/5-3/9 No School: 3/5 & 3/6	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Thematic development, symbolism, and figurative language Correct use of modifiers	“The Story of an Hour”	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #9 3/12-3/16 PLC Day: 3/16	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3 E.IV.d.2	Thematic development, symbolism, and figurative language Placement of modifiers	“Ain’t I a Woman?”	Essay and objective test	
WEEK #10 3/19-3/23 End of 3rd Quarter: 3/23 Spring Recess Begins:3/26	R.II.d.1 R.II.d.2 R.II.d.3 W.III.d.1	Contextual information Pre-reading questions Simile and Metaphor Placement of modifiers	Alice Walker biography	Paragraph poem analysis Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	



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WEEK #11 4/2-4/6 No School: 4/6	E.V.e.1	Comparing/contrasting A glossary of usage	The art of Persuasion/good ACT writing	Literary terms questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #12 4/9-4/13 PLC Day: 4/13	E.V.e.1	Mood Motivation Theme A glossary of usage	PSAE prep	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Essay and Objective test	
WEEK #13 4/16-4/20	R.I.d.2	Historical context Poetic devices and figurative language	PSAE prep	Poetry analysis Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #14 4/23-4/27 PSAE: 4/24	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3	Characterization Tone Conflict Archetypal experience	<u>The Things They Carried</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	



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WEEK #15 4/30-5/4 PLC Day: 5/4	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3 E.VI.d.1 E.VI.d.2 E.VI.d.3	Characterization Tone Conflict Archetypal experience Punctuation	<u>The Things They Carried</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #16 5/7-5/11	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3 E.VI.d.1 E.VI.d.2 E.VI.d.3	Characterization Tone Conflict Archetypal experience Punctuation	<u>The Things They Carried</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #17 5/14-5/18 PLC Day: 5/18	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3 E.VI.d.1 E.VI.d.2 E.VI.d.3	Characterization Tone Conflict Archetypal experience Punctuation	<u>The Things They Carried</u>	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes	
WEEK #18 5/21-5/25 Seniorø Last Day: 5/24	R.I.d.1 R.I.d.2 R.I.d.3 E.VI.d.1 E.VI.d.2 E.VI.d.3	Characterization Tone Conflict Archetypal experience Punctuation	<u>The Things They Carried</u> Exam review sheet	Reading questions Grammar and literature quizzes Objective test	



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		Final exam review			
WEEK #19 5/28-6/1 No School: 5/28 Final Exams 5/29-5/31 No School: 5/28 Marking Day: Day:6/1		Review and Finals	Exam review sheet		W.IV.d.2 W.IV.e.1