School of Access: Academic and Career Foundations Department

ENGL 094 -S05- Provincial English Literature

Course Outline

The Approved Course Description is available on the College website http://www.camosun.ca/learn/calendar/index.html

1. Instructor and Course Information

Instructor: Cathy MacLean

Course Location: This is an online class

Course times: Mondays and Wednesdays 12:30-3:20

Office Hours: Office hours will be one hour after class or by appointment

Special Dates to Remember:

Sept. 9: (Wednesday) First Day of Class

Oct. 12: (Monday) Holiday. Thanksgiving

Dec. 9: (Wednesday) Last Day of Class

2. Course Description:

This course provides instruction and practice in reading, discussing, evaluating and writing about short stories, novels, poetry and drama. Studying these genres introduces the student to basic literary terms and concepts. ENGL 094 combined with ENGL 092 is equivalent to Provincial English 12.

3. Pre-requisites

English 092

4. Course Type

All our classes are **Self Paced**: Students complete the course outcomes at a pace that best suits their lifestyle. This means:

- 1. Students have the responsibility to be present for consultation and work during class hours, work hard, and ask for support when needed.
- 2. The instructor will be reaching out to students by telephone regularly to give instruction and explain course materials individually.

5. Intended Learning Outcomes

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Upon successful completion of this course, students will have demonstrated proficiency in the following areas:

1. Critical and Creative Thinking

- a) evaluate argument for validity, reliability, currency and objectivity
- b) recognize structural elements associated with particular standard formats for literary communication
- c) demonstrate an awareness and understanding of the power of language in literary communication; the importance of word choice and organization in furthering the problem solving process (initiating, developing and organizing thought); and the influence of communication formats on language choices and usage
- d) support a position by citing specific details from what has been read, heard or viewed
- e) explore diverse perspectives to develop or modify one's point of view
- f) assess ways in which language reflects and influences values and behavior
- g) analyze literary elements in various genre
- h) recognize tone, including irony and understatement in poetry, short stories, and drama

2. Reading, Research and Reference

- a) respond to themes and ideas of literary works
- b) use appropriate literary terms (such as conflict, theme and character) associated with different genres
- c) distinguish between implicit and explicit messages
- d) use prior knowledge and experience to assist understanding of new material
- e) paraphrase main ideas in written material
- f) evaluate the influences, writing style and background of particular authors in order to understand their writings
- $\ensuremath{\mathrm{g}}\xspace)$ read and demonstrate an understanding of short stories, poetry, drama, and the novel
- h) place a piece of literature in its historical and cultural context
- i) describe the social and personal benefits of reading literature

3. Written Communication

- a) apply a writing process approach (pre-write, draft, revise, edit)
- b) produce work that demonstrates effective organization, support (e.g. examples, evidence) and sentence structure
- c) understand and avoid plagiarism
- d) integrate quotations from literary works into a literary analysis and document them according to MLA conventions
- e) produce writing on demand (essay, exams)
- f) write literary essays using appropriate structure, development techniques and literary conventions
- g) discuss literary terms (such as conflict, theme, character, mood, tone, irony foreshadowing, point of view and setting) in the analysis of works studied

4. Speaking and Listening Skills

- a) adjust speaking style to suit audience, purpose, and situation
- b) interact effectively in formal or informal situations
- c) deliver a research-based oral presentation to inform or persuade and respond effectively to feedback
- d) use effective presentation aids to enhance communication
- e) demonstrate a critical understanding of arguments

5. Required Materials: The materials for the course will be sent to students via email as needed.

7. Basis of Student Assessment

Students will be assigned a variety of work to help them achieve the learning outcomes for the course. Marks will be assigned according to this chart.

Area of Assessment	WEIGHT		
Literary Analysis (character and Plot)	10%		
Poetry Response	5%		
Short Story paragraph	10%		
Short story essay	20%		
Poetry Assignment	10%		
Poetry Response	5%		
Drama Responses	20%		
Novel Essay – Final In-class	20%		
Total/Final Mark	100%		

8. Grading System

A+	90 - 100%	B+	77 - 79 %	C+	65 - 69%		
Α	85 - 89%	В	73 - 76%	C	60 - 64%		
A –	80 - 84%	B–	70 - 72%	D*	50 - 59%	IP **	Less than 50% .

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9. Learning Support and Services to Promote Student Success

ACADEMIC UPGRADING HELP CENTRE (CBA 109)

Coursework support, reference and support materials, printer, quiet testing and study areas

Aboriginal Services (Education, Financial &

Cultural),

Academic Advising Assessment Testing

AudioVisual Services & Equipment

Bookstore

Cafeterias & Restaurants

Camosun College Student Society

Career Resource Centre

Center for Accessible Learning

Child Care

Computer Labs

Counselling (Career, Educational, Personal &

Cultural)

Dental Clinic

Financial Aid & Awards

First Nations Student Association

Fitness & Recreation

Help Centres (tutoring in English, ESL, Math)

Housing Registry Online

Library

Lockers

Medical Coverage & Accident Insurance

Nexus Student Newspaper

Ombudsman

Personal Safety

Photocopying & Printshop

Sexual Health Clinic

Student Clubs

Student Navigators

Student Employment Services

Student ID/Library Cards/U-Pass Student Bus

Pass

Wireless networking

Women's Centres

Camosun services are here to help you succeed in and out of the classroom. Our goal is to provide you with the best learning experience possible. This information is available in the Registrar's Office or the College web site at: http://camosun.ca/services/

10. College Policies

STUDENT CONDUCT

The purpose of this policy is to provide clear expectations of appropriate academic and non-academic student conduct and to establish processes for resolution of conduct issues or the imposition of sanctions for inappropriate conduct.

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STUDENT GRADING POLICY

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that grading and promotion are consistent and fair. http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-&-instruction/e-1.5.pdf

ACADEMIC PROGRESS POLICY

The purpose of this policy is to enhance a learner's likelihood of success and to encourage the learner to use College resources effectively.

http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-&-instruction/e-1.1.pdf