

Broad Run High School
English 12

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Welcome to English 12!

Senior English is divided into two semester-long courses. The **World Literature** semester is designed as a directed exploration of *worldwide literary genres and themes*. The goal of the course is to emphasize the study and consideration of the literary, cultural, and human significance of selected great works of world literature. Attention is focused on critical thinking and writing within a framework of *cultural diversity* as well as comparative and interdisciplinary analysis. Instruction is aligned with the Virginia SOL.

The Senior *Composition* semester prepares students to be *competent and independent writers* in the next phase of their lives. Students practice writing for various audiences and various purposes. This portion of the course provides an extension of writing processes and genres addressed in previous grades, with the *expectation of mastery*. It emphasizes writing for consumer and workplace situations and for college. Instruction is aligned with the Virginia SOL.

Supplies Needed:

- 1” Binder with dividers
- Paper
- Composition Notebook
- Pen, pencil, highlighter
- USB flash drive

Expectations:

Prepared. All students are expected to come prepared to class all necessary supplies.

Timely. All students are expected to be seated and ready to start when the bell rings. School policy will be followed.

Respectful. Every student needs to create a safe, respectful environment where people can participate without fear of being ridiculed or laughed at.

Cleanliness. All students contribute to the classroom environment, including the cleanliness of the room. Students are expected to throw away their garbage.

Cell phones, iPods, and other electronic devices are **not allowed** in the classroom; therefore, they should be kept silent and out of sight or will be confiscated.

All school policies will be enforced in this course. Refer to the student handbook and familiarize yourself with expectations.

Please complete the following information after reading through the syllabus.

Student's name:

Student's signature:

Parent/Guardian's name & relation to the student:

Parent/Guardian signature:

Phone number:

Email address:
