

# St. Theresa's High School

## ENG2D

Welcome to Grade 10 English! I hope you find this course a challenging and enjoyable experience. Your experience in this course will allow you to further develop your proficiency in writing, reading and learning. Your efforts in this endeavor are important and they will be recognized as you work successfully in this course.

This course extends the range of analytic, reading, writing, oral communication, and thinking skills that students need for success in secondary school academic programs. Students will study and interpret challenging texts from contemporary and historical periods, including novels, poems, plays, and opinion pieces, and will analyse and create effective media works. An important focus will be the thoughtful use of spoken and written language. Literature Studies and Reading

### UNITS

The course is designed around the following units. You will be involved in various activities in each of the units to meet the expectations of the course.

<b>Writing Skills</b>	<u>Literacy Power H</u> & Various Worksheets
<b>Novel Study</b>	<u>To Kill A Mockingbird</u> - Harper Lee
<b>Classical Drama</b>	<u>Romeo and Juliet</u> - William Shakespeare
<b>Poetry Unit</b>	Various Sources
<b>Media Unit</b>	<u>Literature &amp; Media 10</u>
<b>The Short Story</b>	<u>Language and Writing 10</u>
<b>Independent Study Unit</b>	Comparative Literary Essay ( <u>Black Like Me</u> )

### EVALUATION

Your progress and achievement will be assessed according to the Achievement Charts in the following strands of the Curriculum:

<b>Term Work</b>		<b>70%</b>
Knowledge & Understanding	20%	
Thinking/Inquiry	15%	
Communication	20%	
Application	15%	
<b>Summative</b>		<b>30%</b>
Final Examination	15%	
I.S.U.	15%	