

English 12, Part 2

ATTENTION: Grading at the end of the semester can take 7 days!



How to Take This Course

Hello and welcome! English 12, part 2 is modern British literature. This is our last English course offered, and like any grand finale, it's challenging and fun. Let's get started!

Download and use the study guide for each unit. Complete the readings and videos for each lesson, take notes using the study guides. When you are ready, complete the lesson quizzes and the assignment at the end of the unit. Then you will have access to the unit test. You may take lesson quizzes multiple times, but you can only take the unit test once, so be prepared.

There are two novels to read in this course, *Great Expectation* and *1984*. Start reading Charles Dickens' novel *Great Expectations* right away. Our timeline suggests about two weeks of reading time. It's always a good idea to take notes as you read. Happy reading!

Lastly, you will have access to the final exam when all unit tests are complete, and your assignments are graded. Like the unit test, you may take the final exam only once.

Please allow 2-3 school days for an assignment to be graded. Read the full [course instructions](#) to understand how this course works and is graded. Don't forget to use the 'Ask The Teacher' feature if you have questions. Good luck!

Need help with the course? We offer online tutoring; find more details about it [here](#).

- Course Instructions**
- How This Course Works & Suggested Timeline**
- Submitting Your Assignments**
- The Writing Assistant**
 - Install the writing assistant; it will help you with your English and improve your writing skills.
- Ask The Teacher**
 - Meet your teacher for this course and ask a question.
 - If you need help with this course we offer online tutoring. You can find more details about our tutoring services [here](#).
- Mandatory Quiz** ✔
 - You are required to take this quiz before you start the course. To prepare, read the course instructions and the "submitting your assignments" document, watch the video on the how this course works page and review the suggested timeline.

Syllabus, Learning Materials & Standards Met By This Course

Unit 1: Narrative Structure

Unit 1 is designed to improve upon your personal narrative writing skills by studying story structure and sequence, author's diction, and the process of editing and revision.

In this unit, you will be able to:

- Identify elements of a well-crafted plot in narrative writing.
- Identify authorial choices in conveying a theme, point of view, and structure.
- Improve your sentence variety and structure.
- Write a quality personal narrative essay.

Unit 1 Study Guide

- This study guide will help you preview the concepts and guide your learning as each new skill or concept is introduced. Use this study guide as the foundation of your notes. You may use it on the unit quizzes, unit tests, and course final.

1.1 Sequence of Events

Quiz 1.1 ✔

1.2 Diction

Quiz 1.2 ✔

1.3 The Plot Diagram

Quiz 1.3 ✔

1.4 Editing & Revising

Quiz 1.4 ✔

1.5 Great Expectations by Charles Dickens

Quiz 1.5 ✔

1.6 Grammar Check: Sentence Structure and Variation

Quiz 1.6 ✔

Unit 1 Assignment: Writing a Letter ✔

Unit 2: Short Stories of the Modern Era

In Unit 2, you will read three classic short stories. You will use these short stories to further develop your reading comprehension and critical thinking skills. As allegories, these stories are filled with irony, plot twists, and surprise endings. Unit 2 will help you better understand allegories, an author's rhetorical choices, and the process of revision. Happy reading and writing!

In this unit, you will be able to:

- Apply reading comprehension and critical thinking skills to analyze short fiction.
- Identify and analyze allegory and symbolism in narratives.
- Identify elements of author's style and how it contributes to the overall work of literature.
- Analyze an authorial technique and its use within a literary text.

Unit 2 Study Guide

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2.1 Allegory

Quiz 2.1 ✔

2.2 "The Devoted Friend" by Oscar Wilde

Quiz 2.2 ✔

2.3 Dialogue

Quiz 2.3 ✔

2.4 "The Jewbird" by Bernard Malamud

Quiz 2.4 ✔

2.5 Theme

Quiz 2.5 ✔

2.6 Author's Style

Quiz 2.6 ✔

2.7 "The Lottery" by Shirley Jackson

Quiz 2.7 ✔

Unit 2 Assignment: Comic Story Adaptation ✔

Unit 3: The Dystopian Novel

In this unit, you will understand and appreciate the genres of dystopian science fiction and political satire. You will examine types of propaganda and the ways language can be undermined by the authoritarian state in Orwell's *1984*. You will examine an individual's role in a global society and write a definition paper on a key concept in *1984* and apply it to a current issue.

In this unit, you will be able to:

- Analyze rhetorical strategies such as verbal irony and types of logical fallacies in propaganda.
- Read, analyze, and discuss the author's techniques from a dystopian novel and political satire.
- Distinguish and recognize the usefulness of two types of satire.
- Compose, organize, and connect a controlling idea with textual evidence as support.

Unit 3 Study Guide

- This study guide will help you preview the concepts and guide your learning as each new skill or concept is introduced. Use this study guide as the foundation of your notes. The Unit 3 study guide is provided as a Microsoft Word doc, as it includes images. If you do not have access to Microsoft Word, you can download this [PDF](#).

3.1 Dystopian Literature

Quiz 3.1 ✔

3.2 Horatian vs. Juvenalian Satire

Quiz 3.2 ✔

3.3 Verbal Irony

Quiz 3.3 ✔

3.4 Propaganda

Quiz 3.4 ✔

3.5 Spotting Logical Fallacies and Fake News

Quiz 3.5 ✔

3.6 1984 by George Orwell

Quiz 3.6 ✔

Unit 3 Assignment: 1984 ✔

Unit 4: Rhetoric

This unit will help you think critically about the purpose of the classic essay and elements of argumentation. You will identify an author's rhetorical choices in using paradox and hyperbole. The grammar check workshop for this unit will be on verb tense consistency.

In this unit, you will be able to:

- Analyze rhetorical elements of paradox and hyperbole in writing.
- Consider the purpose of rhetoric and the roles of the speaker, audience, and textual conventions.
- Understand an author's appeals to an audience to achieve a rhetorical purpose.
- Write an analysis essay that examines an author's choices.

Unit 4 Study Guide

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4.1 Paradox

Quiz 4.1 ✔

4.2 Hyperbole

Quiz 4.2 ✔

4.3 The Rhetorical Triangle

Quiz 4.3 ✔

4.4 "The Fallacy of Success" by G. K. Chesterton

Quiz 4.4 ✔

4.5 Critical Thinking

Quiz 4.5 ✔

4.6 Grammar Check- Verb Tense Consistency

Quiz 4.6 ✔

Unit 4 Assignment: The Fallacy of Success ✔

Unit 5: Contemporary Issues- Technology

Unit 5 helps assess the impacts and roles of technology in your life with a focus on informational texts. The unit examines the ways in which you think about and interact with technology. Issues of privacy and safety, even the morality in scientific and technological advances are addressed in the readings and writing tasks. The workshop on sentence structure will help your composition skills develop further.

In this unit, you will be able to:

- Analyze informational texts.
- Apply critical thinking to examine issues related to privacy, safety, and ethical uses of science and technology.
- Create a technology autobiography using your own style and experience.

Unit 5 Study Guide

- This study guide will help you preview the concepts and guide your learning as each new skill or concept is introduced. Use this study guide as the foundation of your notes.

5.1 The Role of Technology

Quiz 5.1 ✔

5.2 Ethical Considerations

Quiz 5.2 ✔

5.3 Privacy Concerns

Quiz 5.3 ✔

5.4 Résumé Writing

Quiz 5.4 ✔

Unit 5 Assignment: Technology Autobiography ✔

Final Exam

Once you have completed all of the unit tests and all of your assignments have been graded, the final exam will become visible.

Warning: You have only ONE attempt at the final. Are you ready to take the final? We highly recommend you take the practice final first and if you are weak in any area, review the relevant course material again. You have unlimited attempts at the practice final, it will help you to prepare.

Remember if you want to improve your grade in this course, you need to do that BEFORE you take the final exam.

Good Luck!!

Practice Final

Course Completion & Request a Transcript

Warning - If you are waiting for a resubmitted assignment to be graded, do NOT generate any course completion record until the teacher has graded it.

Transcript - Send a transcript to your school to report the credits you earned. A transcript will list all the courses you have taken with us, including those still in progress.

Course Certificate - This link cannot be accessed until you have completed the final. Upon satisfying this requirement, the link will become active.

Feedback - Before you go, we would appreciate your opinion on the course; please take 1 minute to complete the feedback form. We hope you enjoyed this course!

Course Feedback

- Thank you for taking this course! Let us know what you think about it.

Request a Transcript

- Notify your school that you have completed your course. Send them a transcript by email or mail. A transcript will list all the courses you have completed and those in progress.

Request a Course Completion Record

- Notify your school that you have completed your course. The course completion record will show the final grade earned in this course. It does not include any other courses you have completed or have in progress.

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Certificate of Completion

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