**Course Name**

 Grade 12 English Language Arts: Literary Focus

**Course Summary**

* This is a course for students who wish to focus on creative and literary forms of language. Students study and produce a variety of spoken, written and visual texts that promote understanding and empathy, reflect culture, express feelings and experiences, and bring enjoyment. Students may also study and produce reviews, discussions, or interpretations of various texts.

**Module Listing**

 Module 1 The Art of Reading

* + - * Read and respond to various genres of literature using different reading strategies
			* Learn about different critical perspectives

 Module 2 The Art of Writing

* + - * Read poetry, fairy tales, and parody like a writer would

 Module 3 The Arts of Viewing and Representing

* + - * Explore and understand approaches to visual art

 Module 4 The Arts of Speaking and Listening

* + - * Exploring the sounds of poetry and create a soundtrack to poem
			* Respond to a novel aesthetically

 Module 5 The Literary Essay

* + - * Arrange thoughts about a novel into a conventional form

**Evaluation Summary**

* The students’ grades are based only on assignments. There are no tests.
* Students will complete an independent novel study throughout the course.