

The AP English Literature and Composition Course: Preliminary Planning

COURSE ARRANGEMENT

Generic • Chronological • Thematic • other?

TEXTBOOK(S)

Literature anthology? Yes No Who pays for the books?

CLASSES

How many sections?

How many teachers?

How many students per section?

What are the requirements/prerequisites?

How are the students selected and by whom?

LITERATURE

Novels:



(start with five)

Plays:



(start with five)

Poetry:



Separate unit? Yes No

Organization & strategies:

COMPOSITION

Required writing experiences

2: Structure, style, and themes

3: Social/Historical values

4: Literary elements

5: Writing to understand

6: Writing to explain

7: Writing to evaluate

Required writing instruction

8: Vocabulary

9: Sentence variety, subordination

10: Organization

11: Balance

12: Rhetoric

RESOURCES / CHALLENGES....