**COURSE DESCRIPTION**

**Course Title:** English 11 Honors Virtual

**Course Number:** 10016H

**Course Prerequisites:** Successful completion of Language Arts 10 College Prep and teacher recommendation or successful completion of a required Honors 10 English course

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| **Course Description:** | **Semester A**Honors English 11 is an American Literature course with units organized chronologically according to periods in literary history. As students read foundational works of literature and other historical documents written between 1600 and 1900, they will review and extend skills in five domains: analyzing literature, analyzing informational text, writing, speaking and listening, and language study, which includes word knowledge and grammar skills. Each module or unit begins with a lesson that provides historical context for the era and introduces themes that emerged in the literature of that era. Each lesson provides students with an opportunity to review basic analysis skills before applying those skills to works of literature or key historical documents. Lessons focused on more difficult historical documents include activities that help students comprehend the complex ideas in these works. The Honors level of the course provides additional challenging assignments aimed at preparing college-bound students for advanced work in the study of literature and language arts. Writing modes addressed in semester A of this course include narrative, reflective, persuasive, and analytical modes. Assignments emphasize the use of details, evidence, and reasoning to support ideas. Writing lessons include model essays that demonstrate key features of each mode. The speaking and listening lessons in semester A cover rhetoric, the peer review or writing workshop process, and performance skills. Vocabulary development instruction is integrated into literature and informational text lessons. Each unit ends with an authentic assessment that presents students with a real-world scenario requiring some of the skills they learned in the unit.  **Semester B**  Semester B of Honors English 11 consists of units focused on historical eras and literary movements of the 20th and 21st century, such as Naturalism, Imagism, the Harlem Renaissance, and Post-Modernism. Literature analysis lessons in semester B focus on the forms of literature that were most commonly written during the Twentieth Century and how the forms, styles, and techniques of that century inform literature written today. Students will also evaluate various modes and forms of language expression, including single media and multimedia messages. Writing and informational text lessons guide students through the stages of a rigorous research process and demonstrate how to evaluate, integrate, and share the information gathered during research. Students are required to share their ideas and analysis using several different modes, including oral and multimedia presentations. As in Semester A, the second semester of Honors English 11 provides additional challenging assignments aimed at preparing college-bound students for advanced work in the study of literature and language arts. |

**Suggested Grade Level**: Grade 11

**Length of Course:** Two Semesters

**Units of Credit:** 1

**PDE Certification and Staffing Policies and Guidelines (CSPG) Required Teacher Certifications:**

CSPG 42

To find the CSPG information, go to <https://www.education.pa.gov/Educators/Certification/Staffing%20Guidelines/Pages/default.aspx>

**Certification verified by the WCSD Human Resources Department:** Yes No

**WCSD STUDENT DATA SYSTEM INFORMATION**

**Course Level:** Academic

**Mark Types:** Check all that apply.

F – Final Average MP – Marking Period EXM – Final Exam

**GPA Type**:  GPAEL-GPA Elementary  GPAML-GPA for Middle Level  NHS-National Honor Society

UGPA-Non-Weighted Grade Point Average  GPA-Weighted Grade Point Average

**State Course Code**: 01003

To find the State Course Code, go to <https://nces.ed.gov/forum/sced.asp>, download the Excel file for *SCED*, click on SCED 6.0 tab, and chose the correct code that corresponds with the course.

**TEXTBOOKS AND SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS**

**Board Approved Textbooks, Software, and Materials:**

**Title:**  Click or tap here to enter text.

**Publisher:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**ISBN #:**  Click or tap here to enter text.

**Copyright Date:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**WCSD Board Approval Date:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Supplemental Materials:** Accelerate Education (Virtual Academy)

**Materials**

Required Novels:

* *The Scarlet Letter*
* *The Great Gatsby*
* *Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*
* *The Kite Runner*

Optional Novels (Choose 1 per Semester):

* *Death of a Salesman*
* *A Farewell to Arms*
* *My Antonia*
* *A Lesson Before Dying*
* *Black Boy*
* *The Island*
* *Ethan Frome*
* *The Jungle*
* *The Grapes of Wrath*
* *Of Mice and Men*
* *The Red Badge of Courage*
* *My Antonia*
* *Fences*
* *The Crucible*

**Curriculum Document**

**WCSD Board Approval:**

**Date Finalized:** Click or tap to enter a date.

**Date Approved:**  Click or tap to enter a date.

**Implementation Year:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**SPECIAL EDUCATION, 504, and GIFTED REQUIREMENTS**

The teacher shall make appropriate modifications to instruction and assessment based on a student’s Individual Education Plan (IEP), Chapter 15 Section 504 Plan (504), and/or Gifted Individual Education Plan (GIEP).

**ASSESSMENTS**

**PSSA Academic Standards, Assessment Anchors, and Eligible Content:** The teacher must be knowledgeable of the PDE Academic Standards, Assessment Anchors, and Eligible Content and incorporate them regularly into planned instruction.

**Formative Assessments:** The teacher will utilize a variety of assessment methods to conduct in-process evaluations of student learning.

**Effective formative assessments for this course include:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Summative Assessments:** The teacher will utilize a variety of assessment methods to evaluate student learning at the end of an instructional task, lesson, and/or unit.

**Effective summative assessments for this course include:** Click or tap here to enter text.