

11th Grade – American Literature

| TIME | CONTENT/THEME | CORE GOALS/SKILLS | ASSESSMENT | SUGGESTED RESOURCES |
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| 1 st Marking Period | <p>The Puritan Period</p> <p>The Enlightenment</p> <p>Persuasive Writing (Summer Reading)</p> <p>Informative Writing (CPI)</p> <p>Vocabulary</p> <p>Grammar</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Puritan Literature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Puritan Plain Style, Religious Influence, Work Ethic/Betterment • Literary Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Figurative language: Conceit, oxymoron, apostrophe • Literary structure: parallelism • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nonfiction: journal, sermon • Poetry: lyric • Elements of Enlightenment Literature <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reason/logic, self-improvement, brotherhood • Literary Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Figurative language: Personification, allusion, apostrophe • Literary Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imagery, point of view, tone • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-Fiction: speech, autobiography, narrative journal, essay • Poetry: lyric • Writing Process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of persuasive essay • Text Citation • Writing Process • Summarization Citation • Word Acquisition and Usage • Multiple Meaning/Roots • Review and remediation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit Test w/ open ended question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content and application • Extension Activities • Collins quizzes/activities • Unit Test w/ open ended question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content and application • Extension Activities • Collins quizzes/activities • Five-paragraph composition • Career Path Inquiry • Unit Test • Extension Activities • Through writing activities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Of Plymouth Plantation • To My Dear and Loving Husband • Upon the Burning of Our House • Huswifery • Upon a Spider Catching Fly • Sinners in the Hands of an Angry God • The Autobiography • Poor Richard's Almanac • An Hymn to the Evening • To His Excellency General Washington • Speech in the VA Convention • The Crisis I • Declaration of Independence • From the Interesting Narrative of the Life of Olaudah Equiano • Vocabulary Power Plus Book 3 • Sadlier-Oxford Books F, G • Anthology Supplemental |

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| 2 nd Marking Period | <p>The Romantic Period Transcendentalism</p> <p>Gothicism</p> <p>Persuasive Writing</p> <p>Vocabulary</p> <p>Grammar</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Element of Romanticism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nature, emotion, individuality • Literary Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound techniques: rhyme, meter • Structure: stanza • Figurative language: irony, paradox, metonymy, synecdoche • Literary Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Point of view, conflict, mood, symbolism, characterization, theme • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction: novel • Poetry: lyric • Non-Fiction: informational essays • Elements of Gothicism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supernatural, melancholy, alienation • Literary Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound techniques: rhyme, alliteration, assonance, consonance, meter • Literary Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Character traits, setting, theme, conflict, mood, symbolism • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction: short story • Poetry: lyric, narrative • Writing Process • Text Citation • Word Acquisition and Usage • Multiple Meaning/Roots • Review and remediation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit Test w. open ended question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content and application • Extension Activities • Collins quizzes/activities • Unit Test w. open ended question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content and application • Extension Activities • Collins quizzes/activities • Five-paragraph essay • Unit Test • Extension Activities • Through writing activities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nature • Self-Reliance • Walden • Civil Disobedience • A Psalm of Life • The Tide Rises, The Tide Falls • Thanatopsis • Old Ironsides • The First Snowfall • From Snowbound • From The Prairie • Last of the Mohicans (multi-media) • The Scarlet Letter • The Raven • The Fall of the House of Usher • Annabelle Lee • The Devil and Tom Walker • The Minister's Black Veil • Vocabulary Power Plus Book 3 • Sadlier-Oxford Books F, G • Anthology Supplemental |

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| 3 rd Marking Period | <p>Border Poets</p> <p>Realism/Naturalism</p> <p>Research</p> <p>Research Paper</p> <p>Vocabulary</p> <p>Grammar</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elements of Romanticism & Realism • Literary Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound techniques: rhyme, meter • Figurative language: personification, simile, metaphor • Literary Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imagery, tone, mood, point of view • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poetry: lyric • Elements of Realism/Naturalism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common character, common language, factual presentation • Literary Device <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Figurative language: satire, irony, understatement • Literary structure: flashbacks • Literary Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imagery, point of view, conflict, tone, mood, symbolism, theme, setting • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction: short story, novel • Poetry: narrative • Non-Fiction: speeches, letters • Plan a project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Choose and topic and create a thesis • Locate information <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use print and electronic sources to gather articles on the topic • Evaluate the quality/importance of information <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skim and determine the quality and usefulness of information in gathered books and articles. • Gather data <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Takes notes • Organize notes • Create a report/paper <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MLA format and citation • Word Acquisition and Usage • Multiple Meaning/Roots • Review and remediation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit Test w/open ended question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content and application • Extension Activities • Collins quizzes/activities • Presentation of articles • Submission of note-cards • Submission of topic and thesis • Submission of drafts • Submission of final copy • Unit Test • Extension Activities • Through writing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selection from Emily Dickinson • Selections from Walk Whitman • An Occurrence at Owl Creek Bridge • An Episode of War • The Notorious Jumping Frog of Calaverous County • The Outcasts of Poker Flat • Story of an Hour • A Wagner Matinee • The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn • Gettysburg Address • Second Inaugural Address • Letter to His Son • Richard Corey • Luke Havergal • Lucinda Matlock • Richard Bone • Library Print Sources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Books, scholarly journals • Library Electronic Sources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ebscohost, SIRS, Facts on File Suite • Vocabulary Power Plus Book 3 • Sadlier-Oxford Books F, G • Anthology Supplemental |

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| 4 th Marking Period | <p>Modernism Disillusionment</p> <p>Anxiety</p> <p>Informative/Creative</p> <p>Research</p> <p>Vocabulary</p> <p>Grammar</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literary Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound techniques: meter, onomatopoeia, alliteration, assonance, consonance • Figurative language: understatement, irony, personification, simile, allusion, • Literary structure: foreshadowing, flashback • Literary Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conflict, characterization, theme, point of view, symbolism • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction: novel, short story • Poetry: lyric <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literary Devices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literary structure: flashback, frame • Literary Elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Conflict, point of view, tone, style, symbolism, irony, theme • Literary Genres <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction: short story, novel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition/Observation Essay • Presentation of Findings • Oral presentation/power point presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Word Acquisition and Usage • Multiple Meaning/Roots <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review and remediation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit Test w/ open ended question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content and application • Extension Activities • Collins Quizzes/Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit Test w/ open ended question <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Content and application • Extension Activities • Collins Quizzes/Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Five-paragraph informative or two-page creative/informative <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unit Test • Extension Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Through writing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Great Gatsby • The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock • Out, out • Mending wall • Old age sticks • I was sitting in mcsorleys • This is Just to Say • The Red Wheelbarrow • The Yachts • Race at Morning • April Showers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catcher in the Rye • A Separate Peace • The Crucible • The Yellow Wallpaper • Everyday Use • The Life You Save May be Your Own • Poetry selections from the anthology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vocabulary Power Plus Book 3 • Sadlier-Oxford Books F, G • Anthology Supplemental |

