
LEARNING CHOICES PROGRAM

Literature

DURATION OF SUBJECT

One semester

SUBJECT TYPE

Depth Study

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This Depth Study subject is designed for students who have shown an appreciation for reading and analysing literature. It aims to promote critical thinking from in-depth discussion, debate and exploration of texts. Students who have previously achieved enjoyment and success in English or are avid readers, are encouraged to undertake this subject.

Students will develop a higher order understanding of text structures and language through analysis and interpretation. This subject involves students paying close attention to vocabulary choices and semantics within the contexts of selected texts. Students in this subject will be encouraged to express opinions and understanding verbally of texts within small group and whole class discussions.

Throughout the semester, students will have the opportunity to read, interpret, analyse and explore a range of literary texts and apply their understanding through analysis and discussion. Students will develop competencies in the analysis and the use of literary features.

ASSESSMENT

Students are required to complete a variety of assessment tasks throughout the semester. These include both written and oral tasks.

Why choose this subject?

This subject prepares students for Year 10 Literature, VCE English and Literature and is a pathway to acceleration in VCE Literature, as well as providing each student with the opportunity to further experience and appreciate a wide range of literary texts.