



Department of English & Writing Studies

**Enriched Introduction to English Literature
English 1022E (001)
Fall/Winter 2016-17**

Instructor: D.M.R. Bentley

Date/Time: Tuesday, Thursday
11:30am-12:30pm

Location: Kresge Building K106

Prerequisites: You are responsible for ensuring that you have successfully completed all course prerequisites and that you have not taken an antirequisite course. Lack of prerequisites may not be used as a basis of appeal. If you are not eligible for a course, you may be removed from it at any time, and you will receive no adjustment to your fees. These decisions cannot be appealed.

Learning Objectives:

The principal aims and intended outcomes of the course are:

- to give students an overview of English literature from the Middle Ages to the present, with some attention to recent Canadian writers;
- to introduce them to a variety of historical perspectives and critical approaches;
- to permit them to strengthen their writing and research skills and to apply them to the study of literature;
- to enable them to deepen their interest in and enjoyment of the study and use of English.

Methods of Evaluation

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| 1. Essay written in tutorial, September 22-26 (approximately 400 words) | 2% |
| 2. Essay assigned in tutorial, September 22-26 (approximately 500 words) | 3% |
| 3. Essay assigned in tutorial, October 13-17 (approximately 750 words) | 4% |
| 4. Essay assigned in tutorial, November 10-14 (approximately 750 words) | 8% |
| 5. Essay assigned in tutorial, January 5-9 (approximately 1200 words) | 10% |
| 6. Essay assigned in tutorial, February 2-6 (approximately 1500-2000) | |

Value of in-class test, tutorial grade, and final examination:

The in-class test on January 17 and the tutorial grade are each worth 10% and the final examination 35% of the final grade. The tutorial grade will take account of attendance and preparedness as well as frequency and quality of contributions. You are reminded of the English Department's policy that a student must pass both the term work and the final examination to receive credit for a course.

Timetable:

Accommodation

Students seeking academic accommodation on medical grounds for any missed tests, exams, participation components and/or assignments worth 10% or more of their final grade must apply to the Academic Counselling office of their home Faculty and provide documentation. Academic accommodation cannot be granted by the instructor or department. Documentation shall be submitted, as soon as possible, to the Office of the Dean of the student's Faculty of registration, together with a request for relief specifying the nature of the accommodation being requested. The UWO Policy on Accommodation for Medical Illness and further information regarding this policy can be found at http://uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/accommodation_medical.pdf.

Downloadable Student Medical Certificate (SMC):

http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/medicalform.pdf

Academic Offences

Scholastic offences are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at

http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/scholastic_discipline_undergrad.pdf

Plagiarism:

Students must write their essays and assignments in their own words. Whenever students take an idea or passage from another author, they must acknowledge their debt both by using quotation marks where appropriate and by proper referencing such as footnotes or citations. Plagiarism is a major academic offence.

Plagiarism Checking:

All required papers may be subject to submission for textual similarity review to the commercial plagiarism detection software under license to the University for the detection of plagiarism. All papers submitted for such checking will be included as source documents in the reference database for the purpose of detecting plagiarism of papers subsequently submitted to the system. Use of the service is subject to the licensing agreement, currently between The University of Western Ontario and Turnitin.com <http://www.turnitin.com>.

All instances of plagiarism will be reported to the Chair of Undergraduate Studies. Proven cases of plagiarism will result in a grade of zero for the assignment. Subsequent offences will result in failure for the course.

Support Services

Registrarial Services <http://www.registrar.uwo.ca>

Student Support Services <https://student.uwo.ca/psp/heprdweb/?cmd=login>

Services provided by the USC <http://westernusc.ca/services/>

Student Development Centre <http://www.sdc.uwo.ca/>

Students who are in emotional/mental distress should refer to MentalHealth@Western: <http://www.uwo.ca/uwocom/mentalhealth/> for a complete list of options about how to obtain help.