

VCE English - Units 1 & 2

OVERVIEW

English is the study of communication and interpretation. Students learn how authors create meaningful and persuasive texts, as well as how to respond to these texts effectively.

Students learn how to read, create and compare literary texts in a manner that effectively argues for a unique interpretation of the text that recognises the ways in which authors create meaning.

Students also analyse and present arguments that attempt to persuade specific audiences about opinions that relate to current social issues.

ASSESSMENT

Students are assessed through formal written essays and in-class presentations that mirror the assessments that will be required in Year 12.

SUBJECT PREREQUISITES

There are no prerequisites for this subject, however students must be able to, and be prepared to, read novels and plays.