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## Course Outline

### English 10 - World Literature

#### I. Romance Unit

##### A. Young Love

1. "I Was Simply Off to See Nefrus My Friend"
2. "To his Coy Mistress"
3. "Araby"
4. "The Diamond as Big as the Ritz"

##### B. True Love

1. "Osiris and Isis Myth"
2. "The Story of Pyramus and Thisbe"
3. "Parted Lovers"
4. Petrarch love sonnets
5. Shakespeare love sonnets
6. Elizabeth Barrett Browning love sonnet
7. Dickinson poems

##### C. Lesson 3-Lost Love

1. "Three Letters to Anaktoria"
2. "Woman's Constancy"
3. "The Ring"
4. "The Mower's Song"

##### D. Discussion Group

##### E. Romance Unit Exam

#### II. Family Unit

## **A. A Parent's Devotion**

1. "Song of a Mother to Her Firstborn"
2. *The Book of Ruth*
3. "Letter to His Two Small Children"
4. "The Father"
5. "Daughter"
6. *Beloved*
7. "Fear"

## **B. A Child's Rebellion**

1. "The Story of Dedalus and Icarus"
2. "Marbles"
3. "The Persian Carpet"

## **C. A Family's Grief**

1. "At His Brother's Grave"
2. "Thou Mother Dead"
3. "On Her Brother"
4. "On My First Son"
5. "Do Not Go Gentle Into That Good Night"

## **D. Discussion Group**

## **E. *Beloved* Quiz**

## **F. Course Project**

## **G. Unit Essay Quiz**

# **III. Philosophy Unit**

## **A. Relating With Nature**

1. Excerpts from the *Tao Te Ching*
2. T'ao Ch'ien poems
3. Dickinson poems
4. "Solitude"
5. "Seeing"

## **B. Coping With Mortality**

1. "A Dialogue of a Man with his Soul"
2. Petrarch sonnets

3. Exerpts from *The Rubáiyát of Omar Kháyyam*
4. "A Dialogue between the Soul and Body"
5. "Grief"
6. "The Force That Through the Green Fuse Drives"
7. "What are Years?"

### **C. Discovering Purpose**

1. Excerpts from the *Chandogya*
2. Excerpt from the *Bhagavad Gita*
3. Excerpts from *The Rubáiyát of Omar Kháyyam*
4. "Within and Without"
5. "You Begin"
6. *Hamlet*

### **D. Discussion Group**

#### **E. *Hamlet* Quizzes**

- Hamlet Quiz: Act 1
- Hamlet Quiz: Act 2
- Hamlet Quiz: Act 3
- Hamlet Quiz: Act 4
- Hamlet Quiz: Act 5

### **F. Unit Essay Quiz**

## **IV. Effective Communication**

- Communication
- Non-Verbal Communication
- Written Communication
- Receiving Messages Through the Mass Media
- History of Mass Media

## **V. Expressing Ourselves through Written Words**

- The Four Modes of Writing
- Narrative Writing
- Descriptive Writing
- Expository Writing
- Persuasive Writing

## **VI. Interpretation of Information**

- Listening and Note Taking Skills

- Listening Skills
- Reading for Information
- Interpreting Charts and Graphs
- Synthesizing Information from an article and visual aid
- Analysis of Fiction
- Critical Analysis of Literature
- Interpreting Quotes

## **VII. Applying Our Skills to the World Around Us - Research Project**