



ELA10 - Composition

Course Outline

This course is broken down as follows:

Unit	Topic
1	Communication
2	Thinking
3	Personal and Cultural Identity
4	Personal and Social Responsibility
5	Independent Novel Study

Learning Outcomes:

The activities in this course are based on the [core competencies](#) and [curricular competencies](#) as provided by the Ministry of Education of BC.

Resources:

All resources are provided within the course. Students will need good access to the Internet and will be required to use some online tools.

Course Evaluation:

Your grade for this course will be calculated as follows:

Unit 1	22%
Unit 2	22%
Unit 3	22%
Unit 4	22%
Unit 5	10%
Final Exam	2%

Tests:

All tests and quizzes require a password and are to be invigilated by a teacher at your school. Tests may be rewritten if needed. Tests cause anxiety for many students. See your teacher for study skills if necessary.

Communication:

Assignments are submitted directly through your course. Paper-based assignments are an option. Arrange with your teacher how those will be dropped off and picked up. Constant communication with your teacher is key to success in a DL course. Phone or email your teacher for help whenever necessary.

Goalsetting:

This course is self-paced and self-directed. Students should plan on working 5-6 hours a week on this course. It is highly recommended that the student create a calendar of monthly, weekly and even daily goals. Contact your teacher if help is needed doing this.