

COURSE: EFP Literary Studies & Writing 11 Earthquest (EFLS11.EQ)

INSTRUCTOR

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RECOMMENDED PRE-REQUISITES

English 10

CREDITS

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OVERVIEW

The Big Ideas, Content, and Curricular Competencies for this course can be found here: [EFP Literary Studies & Writing 11](#)

Big Ideas

The exploration of [text](#) deepens understanding of one's identity, others, and the world

First Peoples [texts](#) and [stories](#) provide insight into key aspects of Canada's past, present, and future

First Peoples literature plays a role within the process of [Reconciliation](#)

People understand text differently depending on their worldviews and perspectives

Texts are socially, culturally, geographically, and historically constructed

Self-representation through [authentic First Peoples text](#) is a means to foster justice.

The English Language Arts 11 curriculum includes a focus on the joy of reading a variety of materials, including story and informational text, and on First Peoples content, worldviews, and Principles of Learning. Outdoor activities and expeditions will complement this curriculum and ask students to seek meaning in this blended learning environment.

The curriculum is designed to empower students by providing them with strong communication skills, an understanding and appreciation of language and literature, and the capacity to engage fully as literate and responsible citizens in a digital age. Students are guided in their learning to think critically, creatively, and reflectively; to construct a sense of personal and cultural identity; and to be respectful of a range of perspectives and worldviews.

Course Breakdown:

- Unit 1: Novel study *Lord of the Flies*
- Unit 2: Short stories and oral story telling
- Unit 3: Environmental research paper
- Unit 4: Personal novel study
- Personal Growth Journal & Reflections

ASSESSMENT

Category	Weight
Journals and Reflections	20%
Assignments	50%

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Class Discussions	10%
Research Essay	20%

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