

NorthWest Arkansas Community College
Division of Communication and Arts

Course Number and Title

ENGL 2223, Survey of World Literature from 1650

ACTS Index Number and Title

ENGL 2223, World Literature II

Catalog Description

This course introduces the student to the literature of the world as well as the literature from English-speaking countries. The students may read literature from Asia, Africa, and South America as well as from Europe and North America. Reactions and comparisons to the students' lives are explored as the students read, interpret and analyze this literature.

Prerequisite

Completion of ENGL 1013 and ENGL 1023 with a C or better, or consent of the instructor

Credit hours/Contact hours/Load hours

Three

Target Audience and Transfer

This course offers enrichment to the community as a whole as well as fulfilling the literature/fine arts requirements of many degree plans. It also transfers as its equivalent (not necessarily with the honors) to the surrounding colleges and universities.

Student Learning Outcomes

- Students will understand significant literary and cultural developments in world civilizations.
- Students will understand the interaction of various literary and cultural traditions.
- Student will achieve familiarity with enduring expressions of human thought by studying major texts of world literature, including the study of literary techniques, forms, and ideas.
- Student will complete a significant analytical writing component.

Topics

Either chronological or genre/thematic structure which includes selected major literary pieces from the textbook

Forms of Assessment

Tests, papers, oral reports