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COURSE OUTLINE

Department Name:	ENGLISH
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Course Name:	Grade 12 University English
Course Code:	ENG4U1

Course Description:	Welcome to Grade 12 University English! This course emphasizes the consolidation of the literacy, communication, and critical and creative thinking skills necessary for success in academic and daily life. Students will analyse a range of challenging literary texts from various periods, countries, and cultures; interpret and evaluate informational and graphic texts; and create oral, written, and media texts in a variety of forms. An important focus will be on using academic language coherently and confidently, selecting the reading strategies best suited to particular texts and particular purposes for reading, and developing greater control in writing. The course is intended to prepare students for university, college, or the workplace.
Strands/ Units:	The texts used in the course will include, but are not restricted to, the following titles: <i>Hamlet</i> <i>1984</i> <i>Oedipus the King</i> <i>A Streetcar Named Desire</i> <i>Viewpoints 12</i>

Assessment and Evaluation:

Category Weighting	Weight
Knowledge/Understanding	20%
Thinking	30%
Application	20%
Communication	30%

Final Summative Assessments	Grade Distribution
Term Work	70%
Course Culminating	10%
Exam	20%

