

English IV
12th Grade Theme:
Leadership, This is how I will leave my mark.

First Unit	Second Unit	Third Unit	Fourth Unit
Literature:	Literature:	Literature:	Literature:
<p>Summer Reading</p> <p><i>Hamlet</i>, by William Shakespeare</p> <p><i>Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead</i>, by Tom Stoppard</p>	<p>AP Open-Ended Book Clubs, texts to be chosen by the student. Possibilities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Othello</i>, by William Shakespeare ● <i>The Road</i>, Cormac McCarthy ● <i>1984</i>, by George Orwell ● <i>Wuthering Heights</i>, by Charlotte Bronte ● <i>Frankenstein</i>, by Mary Shelley 	<p><i>A Tale of Two Cities</i>, by Charles Dickens</p>	<p><i>Frankenstein</i>, by Mary Shelley</p>
Additional Literature: One Independent Choice Book per trimester			
Writing Focus: Narrative	Writing Focus: Poetry Analysis	Writing Focus: Literary Analysis	Writing Focus: Informational
<p>College Essays</p> <p>Sonnet Workshop</p>	<p>Selected timed-writing prompts focused on poetry analysis</p>	<p>In-depth literary analysis assignment focusing on finding quotes that show foreshadowing, characterization, theme, and symbolism within the novel</p> <p>AP Lit Prose Analysis Prompt, using selection(s) from <i>A Tale of Two Cities</i></p>	<p>Research paper</p>
Additional Instructional Resources:			
<p><i>Word Within a Word</i> by Michael Thompson: Word study using Latin and Greek Stems for cumulative quizzes</p>			