

Fall/Winter 2021-2022

AP/EN 3535 6.0A (Y)	Shakespeare
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Time:	Lecture - Tuesdays 11:30am-1pm Tutorials - Tuesdays 1pm-2:30pm
Delivery Format:	X REMOTE – (synchronous delivery) – There are scheduled meeting times for this course (see above). Students should plan to be available for course-related activities during the appointed times. For more information, see the Description and/or Requirements below. <i>The lecture will be delivered remotely/online for the Fall 2021 Term. Tutorials 01 and 02 will meet in-person for the Fall 2021 Term. Tutorial 03 will be remote/online for the Fall 2021 Term. Lecture and tutorials will meet in-person for the Winter 2022 Term.</i>
Description:	This course offers a survey of Shakespeare's major dramatic works and will introduce students to the literary, cultural, and historical contexts in which he worked. As we proceed, we will consider Shakespeare's representations of race, class, sexuality and gender, language, and nationhood, as well as his engagement with European popular literature, English politics and history, and the classical world. We will also explore how his works have been interpreted and adapted in the twentieth and twenty-first centuries with a view to understanding both his enduring popularity and his relevance for today's world.
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Historical Requirement:	Time Period I (pre-1700)
Requirements:	Textual analysis assignment (15%); Midterm test (15%); Film review essay (15%); Research essay (20%); Participation (15%); Final exam (20%).
Reading List:	William Shakespeare, <i>Titus Andronicus</i> (Pelican 0140714913); <i>Richard III</i> (Pelican 0140714839); <i>A Midsummer Night's Dream</i> (Pelican 0140714553); <i>Henry IV, Part 1</i> (Pelican 0140714561); <i>Henry V</i> (Pelican 0140714588); <i>As You Like It</i> (Pelican 0140714715); <i>Hamlet</i> (Pelican 0140714545); <i>Othello</i> (Pelican 0140714634); <i>Antony and Cleopatra</i> (Pelican 0140714529); <i>The Winter's Tale</i> (Pelican 014071488X); <i>The Tempest</i> (Pelican 0140714852)
Open To:	Years 3, 4