

Department or Subject:	English Language Arts 306
Teacher(s):	Ms. Gibbs, Ms. Neri
School Year:	2024-2025

Course Description: The English Language Arts course focuses on exploring the world of Language Arts through a variety of genres and media. Some genres are found in the printed book while others are accessed through less traditional media. Students will not only be exposed to their cultural heritage but will also engage with newer forms of literacy that are essential to our highly visual and technological world. Students will learn to express themselves through creative and formal settings as well as develop critical thinking skills through reading a variety of texts.

Term 1 (20%)				
Competencies Targeted	Evaluation Methods (e.g., End-of-term Evaluation Situation, Tests, Projects)	General Timeline (e.g., end of term, midterm, etc.)		
Competency 2: Read- Reads and listens to texts.	 ✓ Reading comprehension evaluations ✓ Evaluation of reading strategies: inference, generalization and conclusions based on evidence. ✓ Codes and conventions 	End of Term: November 8th, 2024 Report Card: November 20 th , 2024		
Competency 3: Production – Produces spoken, written and media texts.	review ✓ Creative writing assignments ✓ Introduction to essay writing			
Communication to Students and Parents (e.g., note home, website, agenda, report cards) ✓ Report Card ✓ Student Agenda ✓ Parent Teacher Interviews ✓ E-mail or phone call	Materials Required ✓ Writing and organisational mate	erials		

Term 2 (20%)				
Competencies Targeted	Evaluation Methods (e.g., End-of- term Evaluation Situation, Tests, Projects)	General Timeline (e.g., end of term, midterm, etc.)		
Competency 1: Talk – Uses Language to communicate and learn.	✓ General participation✓ Presentations/speeches✓ Group and class discussions	End of Term: February 7th, 2025		
Competency 3: Production – Produces spoken, written and media texts	 ✓ Transactional and/or expressive writing assignments ✓ evaluation of writing skills ✓ research skills ✓ Essay writing 	Report Card: February 18 ^{th,} 2025		
Communication to Students and Parents (e.g., note home, website, agenda, report cards)	Materials Required ✓ Writing and organisational materials			
 ✓ Report Card ✓ Student Agenda ✓ Parent Teacher Interviews ✓ E-mail or phone call 				

Term 3 (60%)				
Competencies Targeted	Evaluation Methods (e.g., End-of-term Evaluation Situation, Tests, Projects)	General Timeline (e.g., end of term, midterm, etc.)		
Competency 1: Talk – Uses Language to Communicate and to learn.	 ✓ General participation ✓ Presentations/speeches ✓ Group and class discussions 	Report Card: TBD in June 2025		
Competency 2: Read – Read and listens to texts.	 ✓ Evaluation of reading strategies and comprehension test/assignments ✓ Reading Response 			
Competency 3: Production – Produces spoken, written and media texts.	 ✓ Transactional/expressive/creative and/or formal writing skills assignments ✓ Opinion piece/argumentative essay 			
Communication to Students and Parents (e.g., note home, website, agenda, report cards)	End of Year Evaluation (e.g., complementary exam, uniform exam, etc.)	Materials required		
✓ Report Card✓ Student Agenda✓ E-mail or phone call	Local Final Examination	Writing and organisational materials		