

ENGLISH 10

Grade Level: 10 (College Prep)

Credit: 0.5 or 1.0

Prerequisite: English 9

English 10 CP emphasizes research and response composition. Students write two response essays, one to a speech given by a professional speaker, and the second to a work of literature. Their responses should indicate that they comprehend what is being said and how it is being said. The work also allows students to demonstrate that they can add their own voices to others' conversations. Students then learn to construct research essays with an emphasis on using a variety of source material. They learn how to engage in research processes and how to evaluate the sources so that they can discriminate between good and poor choices. Moreover, students add the researched material to their work in order to craft a well-organized and well-argued essay. Finally, they learn how to incorporate their research into their essays using and recognizing various documentation techniques. Students also practice their proofreading and editing skills, looking for and correcting errors in sentence structure, grammar, mechanics, and spelling. Finally, they practice revising for organization, clarity, and word choices.

English 10 Lessons

Teacher Message

Lesson 1 - Introduction

Lesson 2 - Plagiarism and Copyright

Lesson 3 - Types of Essays

Lesson 4 - Sentence Structure

Lesson 5 - Word Origins

Lesson 6 - Punctuation

Lesson 7 - Do You Agree?

Lesson 8 - Mistakes, Mistakes

Lesson 9 - Word Power



Lesson 10 - Timed Essay

Lesson 11 - Transitional Devices

Lesson 12 - Writing Business Letters

Lesson 13 - Listening Comprehension

Lesson 14 - Literature: Book Critique

Lesson 15 - Editing and Revising

Lesson 16 - Reading Comprehension

Lesson 17 - Write a Funny Story

Lesson 18 - Words, Words, Words

Lesson 19 - The Art of Following and Communicating Clear Directions

Lesson 20 - Watching and Comparing

Lesson 21 - Engaging Your Listening Skills

Lesson 22 - Poetry Research and Writing

Lesson 23 - Research Paper I: Getting Started

Lesson 24 - Research Paper II: Outlining

Lesson 25 - Research Paper III: Parenthetical Documentation

Lesson 26 - Research Paper IV: The Final Draft

Lesson 27 – Skills Assessment

