Ohio's Learning Standards are the defacto curriculum for ELNGLISH 12 with the goal of student mastery of those Standards using multiple and varied literary/informational texts, tools, and strategies. The sequence of this older curriculum unit is NOT meant to be prescriptive. These older resources can provide multiple ideas for teaching the Standards for student mastery, but are aligned to Ohio's Learning Standards before the 2017 revisions and Ohio's State Tests. Please DO NOT adhere to the protocols of the past reflected in these older resources where each nine-week unit culminated in a writing. Instead, reading and writing should be integrated throughout ELA instruction, and not treated as isolated activities. Students should be reading and writing routinely (daily/weekly), not just reading one novel and producing one writing per quarter. Thus, feel free to pull ideas from these older resources to help students master Standards without being caught up in having to "cover" items you find in those resources. CCS strongly encourages the implementation of a Writers/Readers Workshop model for routine reading and writing instruction which you can find out more about HERE (pages 3-4) and HERE.

Contents: Grade 12 Human Behavior and Society Unit

Big Questions: What is the relationship between the writer and tradition? How does literature shape or reflect society? How does social position affect people's behavior?

Fiction (6 selections)

"Meditation 17" from Paradise Lost from the Divine Comedy: Inferno "Next Term, We'll Mash You" "A Shocking Accident"

Nonfiction (7 selections)

"Exploring Different Cultural Attitudes Toward Death"

Making "Darkness Visible:" Milton's Epic Ambition

Critical Commentary: from "A Defense of Poetry" and from "Surprised by Sin"

"Milton and Pop Culture"

"A Modest Proposal"

"Street Corner Dreamers"

"Does Immigration Increase the Virtues of Hard Work and Fortitude in the United States?"

<u>Poetry</u> (3 selections)

"Song" by John Donne

"A Valediction: Forbidden Mourning"

"Holy Sonnet 10"

Novel/Nonfiction (1 selection)

Teacher choice (Appendix B of Ohio's Learning Standards has an Exemplar list.)

Optional Informative/Explanatory Writing: The writing assignment in the curriculum resources is the former capstone writing assignment for grade 12. You may still use this valid assignment, or replace it with informational/explanatory writing pieces of your choice.

COLUMBUS CITY SCHOOLS ENGLISH GRADE 12

Human Behavior and Society Unit				
Unit/Topics	Periods	Common Core State Standards	Textbook/Supplemental Materials	Assessments/Assignments
1. Reading Literature; Reading Informational Text; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Language This informational/explanatory writing assignment is also part 2 of the senior capstone assignment. Writing: Informational Text	Weeks 1-2 Periods: 8	Standards RL.11-12.1 RL.11-12.2 RL.11-12.4 RI.11-12.2 RI.11-12.3 RI.11-12.4 RI.11-12.6 W.11-12.1a e W.11-12.1a E L.11-12.1 L.11-12.1 L.11-12.1 L.11-12.1 L.11-12.2 L.11-12.3	Textbook (hard copy or eBook) Writing and Grammar • "Strategies for Generating Topics" Section 13.2 • Chapter 13 "Research: Research Paper" "Gathering Details" Section 13.2 "Providing Elaboration" Section 12.3 Internet Online resources to assist with instruction are available as links within this writing lesson which is located on the CCS curriculum guide website.	Writing Prompt: Students construct an annotated bibliography as the first stage in the research writing process (before writing an outline and a first draft). This step will aid the students in focusing their research, evaluating their sources, and comprehending the information they collect; moreover, the annotated bibliography should make it easier for students develop a research outline from which to begin drafting their essay. Reading Ethics case studies Universal Declaration of Human Rights Richard Nixon's resignation letter James Meredith's letter to the Registrar of the University of Mississippi Chart showing television viewing in Washington, D.C. Speaking and Listening Whole group discussion Small group discussion and presentation Socratic Seminar Language Grammar Usage
•				PunctuationCapitalization

 bibliography Visual text analysis: photographs Audience and purpose 				 Vocabulary Assessment Use the LDC rubric for informational text. Intervention/Enrichment Review the definitions of the previous capstone themes. Social justice can be thought of as the view that everyone deserves equal economic, political, and social rights and opportunities. Human welfare is the provision for and the protection of human well-being, including health, happiness, security, and education. Globalization refers to the acceleration and intensification of interaction and integration among people, companies, and governments of different nations. Review primary sources and how to analyze and use them in research. If needed, the teacher may refer to page 303 of the Writing and Grammar text ("Media and Technology Skills") to provide students with another option for evaluating websites. Review the parts of an annotated bibliography.
The Essential Question: What is the relationship between the writer and tradition? 2. Reading Literature; Reading for Information; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Language	Weeks 2-3 Periods: 4	 RL.11-12.1 RL.11-12.2 RL.11-12.4 RL.11- 12.10 RI.11-12.1 RI.11-12.10 W.11-12.3 W.11-12.4 W.11-12.5 W.11-12.6 W.11-12.7 W.11-12.10 SL.11-12.1 L.11-12.1 L.11-12.2 L.11-12.3 L.11-12.4 L.11-12.4 L.11-12.5 	Textbook (hard copy or eBook) Literature The British Tradition Before You Read pp. 480-481 Works of John Donne pp. 482-490 After You Read p. 491 Integrated Language Skills pp. 492-493 Unit 3 Resources pp. 7-15; 17-25 Writing and Grammar Chapter 24, section 1 Technology Interactive Digital Path Before You Read [Get Connected Video (0:45), Essential Question, Literacy Analysis, Reading Strategy, Vocabulary, Meet the Author, Background: Works of John	Reading Works of John Donne (poetry and fiction) "Exploring Different Cultural Attitudes Toward Death" (nonfiction) Writing Biographical narrative Journal writing: Image Essay Journal writing: Essential Question Speaking and Listening Whole group discussion Language Vocabulary Central Vocabulary Music Games Worksheets

 Determining word meaning through analogous relationships Comparative and superlative adjectives and adverbs Biographical narrative Informal writing 	• L.11-12.6	Donne] • While You Read (Warm-ups, Reading Selections, Critical Reading) • After You Read (Skill Questions, Writing Lesson, Grammar Lesson, Grammar Practice) Internet Resources • "Exploring Different Cultural Attitudes Toward Death" http://www.pbs.org/witheyesopen/after_teachers_612.html	 Grammar and Usage Comparative and superlative adjectives and adverbs Assessments Critical thinking questions Critical viewing Selection tests Open-book test Intervention/Enrichment Analyzing a Literary Figure – Pairs or groups of students conduct research on John Donne's life and work. Students develop their own conceits using other instruments or objects to express a truth about human relationships. Students research a variety of different funeral customs. Students create a soundtrack to accompany a reading of "Meditation 17."
The Essential Question: What is the relationship of the writer to tradition? 3. Reading Literature; Reading for Information; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Language • Genre or subgenre as it affects expression of theme or topic • Epic poetry • Using graphic organizers to support learning • Close reading • Critical viewing • Syntax • Determining word meaning through context • Determining word meaning through footnotes and sidenotes	Weeks 2-5 Periods: 8 RL.11-12.1 RL.11-12.4 RL.11-12.5 RL.11-12.5 RL.11- 12.10 RI.11-12.1 RI.11-12.2 RI.11-12.3 RI.11-12.4 RI.11-12.2 RI.11-12.10 W.11-12.2 W.11-12.1 L.11-12.1 L.11-12.1 L.11-12.1 L.11-12.5 L.11-12.5 L.11-12.6	Textbook (hard copy or eBook) Literature The British Tradition Literary History pp. 516-517 Author in Depth: John Milton pp. 518-519 Milton and Pop Culture p. 520 Before You Read p. 521 from Paradise Lost_pp. 524-534 from "A Defense of Poetry" and from "Surprised by Sin" p. 535 After You Read p. 536 Integrated Language Skills pp. 537-539 Epics in World Literature p. 540 Comparing Literary Works p. 541 from the Divine Comedy: Inferno pp. 542-550 After You Read p. 551 Unit 3 Resources: pp. 63-88 Writing and Grammar Chapter 20, section 5	Reading • from Paradise Lost_(fiction) • from the Divine Comedy: Inferno (fiction) • Making "Darkness Visible": Milton's Epic Ambition (nonfiction) • Critical Commentary: from "A Defense of Poetry" and from "Surprised by Sin" (nonfiction) • "Milton and Pop Culture" (nonfiction) Writing • Journal writing: Image Essay • Journal writing: Essential Question • Response to literature Speaking and Listening • Group discussion Language Vocabulary Central • Vocabulary • Games • Worksheets Grammar

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Drawing conclusions			Technology	Fixing misplaced and dangling modifiers
• Summarizing			Interactive Digital Path	
 Determining word 			Author In Depth: John Milton	Assessments
meaning through roots			Before You Read	Selection tests
and affixes			[Get Connected Video (0:46),	Open-book test
 Determining word 			Meet the Author, Background	
meaning through			Video (0:52), Vocabulary,	Intervention/Enrichment
analogous			Essential Question, Reading	Students research artistic depictions of angels.
relationships			Strategy, Literary Analysis]	Students investigate the views of Paradise in
 Informal writing 			While You Read	religion and myth.
 Dangling and 			(Warm-ups, Critical	Students perform a dramatic reading to
misplaced modifiers			Commentary, Reading Selection,	showcase Milton's style and to illuminate the
Comparing/contrasting			Critical Reading)	characters.
characteristics of			After You Read	Students investigate the symbolic use of light
American, British,			(Skill Questions, Writing	and dark in Milton's work.
world, and multi-			Lesson, Grammar Lesson,	
cultural literature			Grammar Practice)	
			Comparing Literary Works: from the	
			Divine Comedy: Inferno	
			Before You Read	
			(Illustrated Literary History,	
			Comparing Literary Works,	
			Vocabulary, Meet the Author)	
			While You Read	
			(Reading Selection, Critical	
			Reading)	
			After You Read	
			(Questions on Comparing,	
			Writing to Compare)	
The Essential Question: How	Weeks 5-	• RL.11-12.1	Textbook (hard copy or eBook)	Reading
does literature shape or	7	• RL.11-12.2	Literature The British Tradition	• from Gulliver's Travels (fiction)
reflect society?	Periods: 9	• RL.11-12.4	Before You Read p. 604	"A Modest Proposal" (nonfiction)
4. Reading Literature;		• RL.11-12.6	• from Gulliver's Travels_pp. 606-	• "Street Corner Dreamers" (nonfiction)
Reading for Information;		• RL.11-	616	"Does Immigration Increase the Virtues of Hard
Writing; Speaking and		12.10	• "A Modest Proposal" pp. 617-	Work and Fortitude in the United States?"
Listening; Language		• RI.11-12.1	625	(nonfiction)
• Satire		• RI.11-12.2	After You Read p. 753	
• Irony		• RI.11-12.4	Unit 4 Resources: pp. 153-168	Writing
• Style		• RI.11-12.5		Journal writing: Image Essay
 Genre or subgenre as 		• RI.11-12.6	America Now, 9 th edition	Journal writing: Essential Question
it affects expression of		• RI.11-12.10	• "Street Corner Dreamers" pp.	Plan for a multimedia presentation.
theme or topic			256-261	Research statistics on the poverty gap between
• Social		• W.11-12.4	• "Does Immigration Increase the	blacks and whites.
commentary/historical		• W.11-12.7	Virtues of Hard Work and	
perspective		• W.11-12.9	Fortitude in the United	

 Critical perspectives Critical viewing Context clues Roots and affixes Introductory phrases and clauses Close reading 	• W.11-12.10 • SL.11-12.1 • L.11-12.1 • L.11-12.2 • L.11-12.3 • L.11-12.4 • L.11-12.5 • L.11-12.6	pp. 330-335 Technology Interactive Digital Path • Before You Read [Get Connected Video (0:42), Essential Question, Literacy Analysis, Reading Strategy, Vocabulary, Meet the Author, Background Video from Gulliver's Travels (1:01), Background Information "A Modest Proposal"] • While You Read (Warm-ups, Reading Selections, Critical Reading) • After You Read (Skill Questions, Writing)	 Speaking and Listening Whole-group discussion Language Vocabulary Central Vocabulary Games Worksheets Assessments Critical thinking questions Critical viewing Selection test Open-book test Intervention/Enrichment Analyze a Religious Controversy – Students learn more about the schism between the Catholic and Anglican churches and the Nonconformists. Illustrate a scene described in "A Voyage to Lilliput." Understanding the Political Party System – Students research the development of the English two-party system and compare it with similar political developments in the United States. Investigate Weapons Technology – Students create a timeline of the technology, identifying its advantages and disadvantages and possible future developments.
The Essential Question: How does social position affect people's behavior? What does this resulting behavior convey about the values of a society as revealed in its literature? 5. Reading Literature; Reading for Information; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Language • Indirect characterization • Theme as expressed through	Weeks 7-8 Periods: 6 RL.11-12.1 RL.11-12.2 RL.11-12.3 RL.11-12.4 RL.11-12.5 RL.11-12.6 RL.11- RL.11-	Textbook (hard copy or eBook) Literature The British Tradition Before You Read p. 1434 "Next Term, We'll Mash You" pp. 1436-1442 After You Read p. 1443 "A Shocking Accident" pp. 1263-1268 Unit 6 Resources From "Next Term, We'll Mash You" pp. 362-365; 368; 371-379 From "A Shocking Accident" pp. 106-109; 115-123	 Reading "Next Term, We'll Mash You'" (fiction) "A Shocking Accident" (fiction) Writing Student-created T-chart of negative and positive images relating to hazing in the U.S. Note-taking Students write an analytical paragraph that examines how the characterization of Mrs. Manders conveys theme. In small groups, each student writes a letter from the perspective of Mrs. Manders, Mr. Manders, or Charles concerning the school.

characterization Rhetoric Syntax Determining word meaning through context clues, analogous relationships, and prefixes Close reading Inference Textual analysis Parallelism Style: precise verbs, sentence fragments, dashes, rhetorical devices		• L.11-12.1 • L.11-12.2 • L.11-12.3 • L.11-12.4	 Faulty Parallelism pp. 505-509 Technology Interactive Digital Path Before You Read [Get Connected Video for "Next Term, We'll Mash You" (0:54), Get Connected Video for "A Shocking Accident" (0:49), Essential Question, Literacy Analysis, Reading Strategy, Vocabulary, Meet the Author, Background Video for "A Shocking Accident" (0:40) While You Read (Warm-ups, Reading Selections, Critical Reading) After You Read (Skill Questions, Writing) Curriculum Guide Website A complete lesson plan is located on the curriculum guide website in the Reading/English folder. 	 In small groups, each student creates a free verse poem based on the student-written letters. Students write an analytical paragraph that examines how the characterization of Mr. Manders conveys theme. Students return to their analytical paragraphs about characterization and theme to identify or create parallel structure. Students write a paragraph describing a person from the perspective of a narrator. Speaking and Listening Whole class discussion Small group discussion In small groups, students present a choral reading of the poem based on the letter. Language Vocabulary Central Vocabulary Games Worksheets Assessments Tests Informational writing Reflective writing Intervention/Enrichment Students create an anti-bullying campaign. Students research bullying and/or hazing and write a brief informational report on their findings. Students create an anti-bullying editorial cartoon.
6. Reading Literature; Reading for Information; Writing; Speaking and Listening; Language Teach the Common Core State Standards as needed to prepare students for the AIR assessments in ELA, and to prepare students to be college	Weeks 8-9 Periods: 7	Teach the Common Core State Standards as needed to prepare students for the AIR assessments in ELA, and to prepare students to be college and	Novel/Nonfiction/Dram a Suggestions:* • Austen, Jane. Pride and Prejudice • Brontë, Charlotte, Jane Eyre • Dostoevsky, Fyodor. Crime and Punishment • Fitzgerald, F. Scott. The Great Gatsby	 Reading The reading assignment will be fiction, nonfiction, or drama depending upon teacher choice. Writing Journal writing Creative prose and poetry responses Critical analysis In-class essays

and career ready.	career ready.	 Faulkner, William. As I Lay Dying Garcia, Cristina. Dreaming in Cuban Hansberry, Lorraine. A Raisin in the Sun Hurston, Zora Neale. Their Eyes Were Watching God Jefferson, Thomas. The Essay Scorer: Review of a Novel Speaking and Listening Whole group discussion Pair work Language Integrated vocabulary activities
		Declaration of Integrated grammar and usage activities Independence
		• Lahiri, Jhumpa. <i>The</i> Assessments
		Namesake • Selection tests
		Mencken, H.L. <i>The</i> Portfolio projects
		American Language, 4 th • Multimedia presentations Edition
		• Miller, Arthur. Death of a Intervention/Enrichment
		Salesman • Teacher-modeled reading strategies
		• Paine, Thomas. <i>Common</i> • Students write a different ending for the story.
		Sense • Students write a one act play based on
		• Shakespeare, William. <i>The Tragedy of Hamlet</i> characters, conflicts and themes from the book.
		Thoreau, Henry David. Walden
		• Wilde, Oscar. <i>The</i>
		Importance of Being
		Earnest
		Wright, Richard. Black Boy
		*The above is not meant to be a required reading list. Use your
		professional judgment of the text and
		your students to make your selection.
		In keeping with the guidelines
		established by the Common Core
		State Standards in ELA, your choice
		should be similar in complexity and
		quality to the titles on the list above.

^{*} This guide is based on 50 minute periods and should be adjusted to fit alternative schedules.

** Standards: **RL** = Reading Literature; **RI** = Reading Information; **W** = Writing; **SL** = Speaking and Listening; **L** = Language