

English IV: Mastery Course Outline

FALL SEMESTER

Week 1

- Introduction and Overview
- Begin Grammar Boot Camp: Nouns
- Poetics: Introduction
- Vocabulary: Lesson 1
- Complete the 4Practice sentences 3 and 4 assessment
- Complete List #1 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #2
- Complete the Name the Nouns Quiz

Week 2

- Grammar Boot Camp: Pronouns and Adjectives
- Complete Pronoun and Adjective Quizzes
- Poetics: "Sounds of the Voice"
- Vocabulary: Lesson 2
- Complete List #2 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #3
- Complete 4Practice sentences 6 and 7 assessments

Week 3

- Grammar Boot Camp: Verbs (part 1)
- Poetics: "Patterns of Sound" –Rhyme
- Vocabulary: Lesson 3
- Literature: Treasure Island Introduction
- Complete List #3 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #4
- Complete 4Practice sentences 9 and 10 assessments
- Read chapters 1-12 of Treasure Island

Week 4

- Grammar Boot Camp: Verbs (part 2)
- Poetics: "Patterns of Sound" –Advanced Rhyme
- Vocabulary: Lesson 4
- Literature: Treasure Island discussion
- Complete List #4 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #5
- Complete 4Practice sentences 12 and 13 assessments
- Complete Verbs assessment for practice
- Complete Noun, Adjective, and Verb Quiz
- Read chapters 13-27 of Treasure Island

Week 5

- Grammar Boot Camp: Adverbs, Conjunctions, Prepositions, and Interjections
- Poetics: None
- Vocabulary: Lesson 5
- Literature: Treasure Island discussion
- Complete List #5 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #6
- Complete 4Practice sentences 15 and 16 assessments
- Complete Adverb, Preposition, and Conjunctions assessment
- Read chapters 28-34 of Treasure Island

Week 6

- Grammar Boot Camp: Parts of Sentences
- Poetics: Alliteration, Assonance, and Consonance
- Vocabulary: Lesson 6
- Literature/Composition: Write Paraphrase Paragraph with "Octopus Article"
- Complete List #6 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #7
- Complete 4Practice sentences 18 and 19
- Complete One-Level Analysis pages 73-75 assessment
- Complete Treasure Island end-of-book assessment

Week 7

- Grammar Boot Camp: Parts of Sentences
- Poetics: Review
- Vocabulary: Lesson 7
- Literature: "The Minister's Black Veil"
- Complete List #7 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #8
- Complete One-Level Analysis pages 76-77 assessment
- Paraphrase Paragraph due

Week 8

- Grammar Boot Camp: Phrases
- Vocabulary: Lesson 8
- Literature/Composition: Symbolism Paragraph
- Complete List #8 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #9
- Complete Two-Level Analysis pages 107-111 assessment

Week 9

- Grammar Boot Camp: Phrases
- Vocabulary: Lesson 9
- Literature: Wild Boy: The Real Life of the Savage of Aveyron introduction
- Complete List #9 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #10
- Complete Two-Level Analysis pages 112-113 assessment
- Read chapters 1-6 of Wild Boy
- Symbolism Paragraph due

Week 10

- Grammar: Clauses
- Vocabulary: Lesson 10
- Literature: Wild Boy discussion
- Complete List #10 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #11
- Complete Three-Level Analysis pages 141-145 assessment
- Read chapters 7-12 of Wild Boy

Week 11

- Grammar: Review Clauses
- Poetics: Meter (part 1)
- Vocabulary: Lesson 11
- Literature: Wild Boy discussion
- Complete List #11 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #12
- Complete Three-Level Analysis pages 146-147 assessment
- Read chapters 13-Afterword of Wild Boy

Week 12

- Grammar: Practice Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Meter (part 2)
- Vocabulary: Lesson 12
- Composition: Academic Paper 1—Overview and Expectations
- Literature: A Christmas Carol introduction
- Complete List #12 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #13
- Complete 4Practice sentences 40-42 assessments
- Read chapters 1-2 of A Christmas Carol

Week 13

- Grammar: Practice Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Meter (part 3)
- Vocabulary: Lesson 13
- Composition: Submit Thesis and Sentence Skeleton for Academic Paper 1
- Literature: A Christmas Carol discussion
- Complete List #13 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #14
- Complete 4Practice sentences 43-45 assessments
- Read chapters 3-4 of A Christmas Carol

Week 14

- Grammar: Practice Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Meter Lab (prepare to share)
- Vocabulary: Lesson 14
- Composition: Work on Academic Paper 1
- Literature: A Christmas Carol discussion
- Complete List #14 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #15
- Complete 4Practice sentences 46-48 assessments
- Read chapters 5 of A Christmas Carol

Week 15

- Grammar: Practice Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Complete Meter Lab Assessment
- Vocabulary: Lesson 15
- Composition: Submit Academic Paper 1
- Literature: A Christmas Carol narrator and point of view
- Complete List #15 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #16
- Complete 4Practice sentences 49-51 assessments
- A Christmas Carol end-of-book assessment

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Week 16

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis Review; Grammar Analysis 2 and 5
- Poetics: Stanza Forms (part 1)
- Vocabulary: Lesson 16
- Composition: Academic Paper 2—Research-based Writing
- Literature: The Hobbit chapters I-VII (1-7)
- Complete List #16 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #17
- Complete 4Practice sentences 52-54 assessments

Week 17

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis Review; Grammar Analysis 9
- Poetics: Stanza Forms (part 2)
- Vocabulary: Lesson 17
- Composition: Academic Paper 2—Research-based Writing
- Literature: The Hobbit chapters VIII-XII (8-12)
- Complete List #17 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #18
- Complete 4Practice sentences 55-57 assessments

Week 18

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis; Grammar Analysis 11
- Vocabulary: Lesson 18
- Composition: Academic Paper 2—Research-based Writing
- Literature: The Hobbit chapters XIII-XIX (13-19)
- Complete List #18 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #19
- Complete 4Practice sentences 58-60 assessments

Week 19

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Stanza Forms
- Vocabulary: Lesson 19
- Composition: Academic Paper 2—Thesis and Sentence Skeleton due
- Literature: The Hobbit end-of-book assessment
- Complete List #19 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #20
- Complete 4Practice sentences 61-63 assessments

Week 20

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Stanza Forms
- Vocabulary: Lesson 20
- Composition: Academic Paper 2—Submit paper
- Literature: To Kill a Mockingbird chapters 1-10
- Complete List #20 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #21
- Complete 4Practice sentences 64-66 assessments

Week 21

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis; Grammar Analysis 26
- Poetics: Stanza Forms
- Vocabulary: Lesson 21
- Composition: Academic Paper 3—Character Study
- Literature: To Kill a Mockingbird chapters 11-17
- Complete List #21 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #22
- Complete 4Practice sentences 67-69 assessments

Week 22

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis; Grammar Analysis 33
- Poetics: Stanza Forms
- Vocabulary: Lesson 22
- Composition: Academic Paper 3—Character Study
- Literature: To Kill a Mockingbird chapters 18-31
- Complete List #22 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #23
- Complete 4Practice sentences 70-72 assessments

Week 23

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Figures of Speech
- Vocabulary: Lesson 23
- Composition: Academic Paper 3—Thesis and Sentence Skeleton due
- Literature: To Kill a Mockingbird end-of-book assessment
- Complete List #23 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #24
- Complete 4Practice sentences 73-75 assessments

Week 24

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis; Grammar Analysis 49
- Poetics: Figures of Speech
- Vocabulary: Lesson 24
- Composition: Academic Paper 3—Character Study
- Literature: Jurassic Park
- Complete List #24 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #25
- Complete 4Practice sentences 76-78 assessments

Week 25

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Figures of Speech
- Vocabulary: Lesson 25

- Composition: Academic Paper 3—Submit paper
- Literature: Jurassic Park
- Complete List #25 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #26
- Complete 4Practice sentences 79-81 assessments

Week 26

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis; Grammar Analysis 62
- Poetics: Figures of Speech
- Vocabulary: Lesson 26
- Composition: Academic Paper 4—Scientific Examination
- Literature: Jurassic Park
- Complete List #26 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #27
- Complete 4Practice sentences 82-84 assessments

Week 27

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Review
- Vocabulary: Lesson 27
- Literature: Pygmalion acts I-II
- Complete List #27 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #28
- Complete 4Practice sentences 85-87 assessments

Week 28

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis; Grammar Analysis 82
- Poetics: Review
- Vocabulary: Lesson 28
- Literature: Pygmalion acts II-III
- Complete List #28 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #29
- Complete 4Practice sentences 88-90 assessments

Week 29

- Grammar: Four-Level Analysis
- Poetics: Posttest Review
- Vocabulary: Lesson 29
- Literature: Pygmalion acts IV-V
- Complete List #29 assessment
- Study vocabulary list #30
- Complete 4Practice sentences 91-93 assessments

Week 30

- Vocabulary: Lesson 30
- Literature: Pygmalion end-of-book assessment
- Complete List #30 assessment
- Wrap-up