



Course Outline – Secondary 1

English Language Arts I

Course Code : 632100

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Competencies

<i>Uses language to communicate and to learn</i>	25%
<i>Represents different media</i>	25%
<i>Reads different texts</i>	25%
<i>Writes different texts</i>	25%

Course Description

Secondary one English Language Arts is first and foremost a literacy program that has an important role to play in teaching the humanistic values and beliefs of our culture, as well as in cultivating the understanding that the courage to be human endures in the face of changing histories, stories, and events. These objectives are achieved through collaboration and inquiry with peers and the teacher in various learning contexts.

Principle Themes

- Who am I?
- Decisions and their effects
- The creative self
- Media production and presentation
- Poetry
- Independent Novel Study
- Knowing Thyself
- Peer Pressure



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Evaluation

- Learning and Evaluation Situations
- Evaluation Situations
- Demand Writing
- Quizzes
- Assignments

Course Materials

- *Scope Magazine*
- Bernard Evslin, *The adventures of Ulysses*
- William Shakespeare, *A Midsummer Night's Dream*
- Gayle Friesen, *The Isabel Factor*
- *Snapshots Anthology of Writing*
- Independent class novel to be given by the teacher