# English 10-12 High School Exams & Diploma PREP

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# \* Course Information \*

ELA Writing 10-12 is a course where students can improve their reading, writing, and thinking skills. Students will study and practice the craft of writing. Students will improve their knowledge and skills for English 10-1, 20-1, 30-1 exams - preparing them to be more confident and successful in high school.

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### What we'll do:

- **Reading Skills:** we will read and critically analyze short prose (fiction and non-fiction), plays, poetry, media, and film texts; practice reading comprehensions; develop vocabulary and literary terms knowledge.
- Writing Skills: we will practice and improve grammar, punctuation, diction, syntax, style and structure. We will read, analyze, and practice Personal Responses, Critical Essays, paragraphing, and thesis writing.

#### WHAT YOU NEED:

- \* Writing Journal \* binder for handouts \* pens/pencil/highlighter
- \* ideally, have a **device with internet access** with you so we can use online resources like Quizlet live, google docs, padlet, kahoot, No Red Ink Grammar, and Common Lit, blogs, etc...

#### Instructor:

## Ms. Pamela Hunnisett

English and Theatre Teacher & Inclusion Facilitator with Foundations for the Future Charter Academy.

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- → 26th year teaching English and Theatre; Inclusion Facilitator
- ▶ 12 Years Yufeng ELA Teacher
- ▶ ELA from Gr. 8-12:
- Specializations: Diploma Exams, AP English Literature & Language, Creative Writing, Theatre, Blog Writing, Inclusion Education, and Career & Academic Advising;

#### **WRITING GOALS:**

- Develop Writing confidence and skills for High School English courses & Diploma Exams: Personal Responses, Creative Writing & Critical Essays;
- Develop Grammar, Voice, and Style Skills;
- Develop Life Skills with Speech Writing, Personal Writing, and Speaking Skills;
- Build confidence & habits for the writing process.

#### **READING GOALS:**

- Develop habit & pleasure with reading;
- Reading Analysis Tools for various genres;
- Develop proficiency with Vocabulary, Literary Terms, and Rhetorical Devices;
- Practice Reading Comprehension.

\*Strong students in Grade 8 & 9 may join!