

English 2613 (American Lit I): Fall 2021 Syllabus  
*(Heath Anthology of American Literature, Vols. A&B, 7<sup>th</sup> edition)*

Week		Pages
1 (Aug. 23-27)	“Colonial Period to 1700” “Indigenous Literary Traditions” “Changing Woman and the Hero Twins (Navajo)”	1-17 18-26 42-54
2 (Aug. 30-Sept. 3)	“New Spain” Columbus “Cluster: Aesthetics” Cabeza de Vaca	116-22 122-35 136-46 147-61
3 (Sept. 7-10)	“Chesapeake” Smith	294-96 315-29
4 (Sept. 13-17)	“New England” Bradford	359-64 397-421
<b>Sept. 17</b>	<b>Essay #1 is due.</b>	
5 (Sept. 20-24)	Bradstreet	437-55
<b>Sept. 22-Oct. 3</b>	<b>Exam #1</b>	
6 (Sept. 27-Oct. 1)	“Eighteenth Century” “Cluster: Religion and Spirituality” Edwards	613-31 688-99 700-02 711-35
7 (Oct. 4-8)	“Voices of Revolution and Nationalism” Franklin	907-09 910-912 935-83
<b>Oct. 8</b>	<b>Essay #2 is due.</b>	
8 (Oct. 11-15)	Paine	1045-65
9 (Oct. 18-22)	“Early Nineteenth Century: 1800-1865” Emerson	1539-74 1822-54
<b>Oct. 25</b>	<b>Last day to drop the class.</b>	
10 (Oct. 25-29)	Thoreau	1976-2034

Oct. 27-Nov. 7

Exam #2

11 (Nov. 1-5)

Douglass

2163-234

12 (Nov. 8-12)

Hawthorne

2603-31

Nov. 12

Essay #3 is due.

13 (Nov. 15-19)

Whitman

3218-22  
3238-86

14 (Nov. 22-23)

Poe

2691-93  
2745-54  
2764-67  
2706-20

15 (Nov. 29-Dec. 3)

Dickinson

3343-47

“I never lost . . .”

3349

“There’s a certain . . .”

3351

“The Soul selects . . .”

3353

“Some keep . . .”

3354

“Much Madness . . .”

3358

“I heard a Fly . . .”

3359

“Because I could not stop . . .”

3368

“A narrow Fellow . . .”

3371

“Tell all the Truth . . .”

3372

Dec. 3

Essay #4 is due.

Dec. 4-8

Exam #3