

IB Language A1 Program Overview 2010-2011

Trimester	Literature	IB Assessments
1st Tri Junior Yr (fall or winter)	<p>Part I: World Literature (Instructor will select three of the following titles)</p> <p>* <i>Like Water for Chocolate</i> by Laura Esquivel <i>Chronicle of a Death Foretold</i> by Gabriel Garcia Marquez <i>The Hour of the Star</i> by Clarice Lispector <i>The Stranger</i> by Albert Camus</p>	<p><u>World Literature Assignment I</u> Comparative essay of at least two Part I works (begin in 1st tri, complete in 2nd)</p> <p>1000-1500 words 10% Externally Assessed</p>
2 nd Tri Junior Yr (winter or spring)	<p>Part IV: School's Choice</p> <p><i>A Doll's House</i> by Henrik Ibsen or <i>No Exit</i> by Jean Paul Sartre (WL Title) Poetry of Rita Dove * <i>The Bluest Eye</i> by Toni Morrison or * <i>One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest</i> by Ken Kesey * <i>Will You Please Be Quiet Please</i> by Raymond Carver</p>	<p><u>IOP Independent Oral Presentation</u> Presentation on a topic chosen by the student, based on a Part IV work</p> <p>10-15 minutes 15% Internally Assessed</p>
3 rd Tri Senior Yr (fall)	<p>Part II: Detailed Study</p> <p><i>The Comedy of Errors</i> by William Shakespeare <i>The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn</i> by Mark Twain Poetry of Lorna Crozier, John Donne, and Robert Frost *<i>The Woman Warrior</i> by Maxine Hong Kingston</p>	<p><u>World Literature Assignment II</u> Based on one or two World Lit works; cannot repeat a title used in WL Assignment I</p> <p>1000-1500 words 10% Externally Assessed</p>
4 th Tri Senior Yr (winter)	<p>Part III: Group of Works – Novel</p> <p>*<i>Heart of Darkness</i> by Joseph Conrad *<i>Their Eyes Were Watching God</i> by Zora Neale Hurston *<i>The God of Small Things</i> by Arundhati Roy <i>Siddhartha</i> by Hermann Hesse (WL Title)</p>	<p><u>IOC: Individual Oral Commentary</u> One-on-one commentary on an extract, chosen by the teacher, from one of the Part II works</p> <p>15 minutes 15% Internally Assessed</p>
5 th Tri Senior Yr (spring)	<p>Complete Part III Works</p> <p>IB Exams (May)</p>	<p><u>Written Exams</u></p> <p>Paper 1 – Written Commentary 2 hours 25% Externally Assessed</p> <p>Paper 2 – Comparative Essay 2 hours 25% Externally Assessed</p>

- ❑ Titles with an asterisk contain more explicit sexual or prejudicial language. Students may opt from one title over the two-year program.
- ❑ Percentages reflect external weighing by IBO for the final IB grade, not a student's internal grade here at Southridge.