 **World Literature**

**Course Description**: World Literature focuses on literary analysis through the study of world literature. Our focus will be on discussion, critical reading and thinking and honing our writing skills in essays and research papers.

**Prerequisite:** English 11

**Texts:**

*Wordly Wise 21*

*Pocket Style Manual*

*Macbeth* by William Shakespeare

*Midsummer Night’s Dream* by Shakespeare

1984 by George Orwell

Night by Elie Wiesel

*Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens

*A Modest Proposal* by Jonathan Swift

*The Count of Monte Cristo* by Alexander Dumas

*Things Fall Apart* by Chinua Achebe

Stories of Anton Chekhov by Anton Chekhov

or Leo Tolstoy’s 20 Greatest Short Stories

or Great Short Stories of the World

**Evaluations:** Students are evaluated by a variety of means including homework, quizzes, tests, essays, annotations, creative writing and a research paper.

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