

ENGLISH (ENGL)

LEVEL 1

This course is designed for those students who find English more difficult and who wish to improve their literacy skills during the year. Assessment will be attempted internally and there will be time to develop students' literacy skills over a longer period of time. Level One Literacy requirements can also be achieved in this class.

PREREQUISITES None

COURSE OUTLINE

Year 11 English is designed for those students who find the study of English more difficult.

It will concentrate on an internal course where there will be more time to consider and explore each Achievement/Unit Standard in detail. Some students may elect to sit an external standard if they wish.

Areas of study covered will include the following:

Formal Writing, Creative Writing, Speaking, Visual text, Research, Personal Reading and Close Viewing.

Internal Achievement Standards will reflect the New Zealand English Curriculum at Level 6.

A total of 20 credits will be available in this class, **including Level One Literacy**.

ASSESSMENT

- All of the above standards require developmental work in class and for homework
- Each Achievement Standard will be assessed either Not Achieved, Achieved, Merit or Excellence and Unit Standards either Achieved or Not Achieved
- The internally assessed Standards will be assessed over the year and in certain standards there will be more than one opportunity for assessment.
- If a student elects to sit an External Achievement Standards they will be examined in National exams in November.

WHERE DOES IT LEAD?

Successful completion of Level One English leads onto Level Two English.

CONTRIBUTION

There may be a small contribution during the year for Drama Visits or visiting speakers

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