

**Core D – Composition and Ancient Literature**  
**2021-22 | Quarter 1**

Week	Monday	Wednesday
<b>Week 1</b> 8/23-8/25	<b>Intro</b> to Ancient Literature <b>Intro</b> to <i>Epic of Gilgamesh</i>	<b>Intro</b> to Core D Composition <b>Discuss</b> Narrative Purpose and Myth  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Signed Syllabus ✓ Read <i>Lively Art of Writing (LOAW)</i> , Ch. 1 & complete corresponding assignment (See Weebly)
<b>Week 2</b> 8/30-9/1	<b>Discuss</b> <i>Epic of Gilgamesh</i> , pp. vii – 37  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Extended Response #1 ✓ Annotations	<b>Discuss</b> Style in writing; Condensing, Expanding, and Slanting Myths  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Read/annotate “Myths” PDF on Weebly ✓ Read <i>LOAW</i> Ch. 5 & 8, and corresponding assignment (Weebly)
<b>Week 3</b> 9/6- 9/8	Labor Day	<b>Discuss</b> <i>Epic of Gilgamesh</i> , pp. 38-63 <b>Intro</b> In-Class Essay  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Extended Response #2 ✓ Annotations
<b>Week 4</b> 9/13-9/15	Gilgamesh Final Discussion  <b>Due:</b> ✓ In-Class Essay Frame	<b>In-Class Narrative Essay</b>
<b>Week 5</b> 9/20-9/22	<b>Intro</b> <i>The Odyssey</i> <b>Discuss</b> <i>The Odyssey</i> , Books 1-4  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Annotations	<b>Intro</b> Lit Analysis Essay #1 <b>Discuss</b> Opinion, argument, & thesis  <b>Due:</b> ✓ <i>LAOW</i> Ch. 2-3 and corresponding assignment
<b>Week 6</b> 9/27-9/29	<b>Discuss</b> <i>The Odyssey</i> , Books 5-8  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Annotations ✓ Extended Response #3	<b>Review</b> Lit Analysis <b>Discuss</b> Incorporating narrative evidence  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Lit Analysis Thesis (Emailed to tutor by class time) ✓ Topic-to-thesis assignment
<b>Week 7</b> 10/4-10/6	<b>Discuss</b> <i>The Odyssey</i> , Books 9-12  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Annotations	<b>Discuss</b> Transitions and Style  <b>Due:</b> ✓ <i>LAOW</i> Ch. 7, and corresponding assignment (Weebly) ✓ Lit Analysis Essay Full Sentence Outline
<b>Week 8</b> 10/11-10/13	<b>Discuss</b> <i>The Odyssey</i> , Books 13-16  <b>Due:</b> ✓ Annotations ✓ Extended Response #4	<b>Lively Art of Writing Review Quiz</b>