

West Virginia
APSI: English Literature & Composition
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Schedule

Tuesday 25 June 2019

Planning the AP® course:

- Equity and inclusion issues
- The Fall Registration
- The new Course and Exam Description
- Using formative assessment and the new College Board resources

Homework: Unit Planning

Wednesday 26 June

The Advanced Placement® English Literature Exam

- Test development, administration, and scoring
- The Multiple-choice section / The Essay section

Teaching Literature:

- Reference and Allusion
- The Tone Problem

Teaching Fiction

- The short short story
- Close reading of short fiction

The new AP® Exam rubrics for 2020

- Uses and abuses of the new rubrics

Homework: Scoring sample essays for Q1

Thursday 27 June

Teaching Longer Works

- Selection and pacing
- Elements of the novel
- Elements of drama

Teaching Poetry—Formal Study

- Diagnosis and Strategies
- Close reading of poetry

Teaching Poetry—Responses

- The Poetry Response Paper
- Some Teaching Procedures for Poetry

Ekphrastic Poetry

Homework: Scoring sample essays for Q3

Friday 28 June

Teaching Shakespeare

- Early Modern English
- Classroom Performance

Teaching Writing

- Vocabulary Development
- Revision Strategies
- Tools and techniques for teaching AP® Exam writing