LABETTE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BRIEF SYLLABUS

SPECIAL NOTE:

This brief syllabus is not intended to be a legal contract. A full syllabus will be distributed to students at the first class session.

TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS USED IN THE COURSE (if any):

Please check with the LCC bookstore, http://www.labette.edu/bookstore, for the required texts for this class.

COURSE NUMBER: ENGL 208

COURSE TITLE: WORLD LITERATURE

SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 3

DEPARTMENT: ENGLISH

DIVISION: GENERAL EDUCATION

PREREQUISITES: None

REVISION DATE: 29 November 2018

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course is designed to provide students with opportunities to examine World Literature selections from the Ancient World to the Present. Students will study three genres: fiction, poetry, and drama. Students will examine and identify the formal features of each selection, analyze and interpret the material for meaning, and document their explorations in discussion, papers and journals.

COURSE OUTCOMES AND COMPETENCIES:

Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

1. Students will analyze and interpret fiction.

- Students will combine historical information, textual information, and personal experience to produce meaning from works of fiction.
- Students will identify the formal features that exist in specific fiction works.
- Students will write specified assignments that demonstrate analysis and interpretation.

2. Students will analyze and interpret poetry.

- Students will combine historical information, textual information, and personal experience to produce meaning from works of poetry.
- Students will identify the formal features that exist in specific poetry works.
- Students will write specified assignments that demonstrate analysis and interpretation.

3. Students will analyze and interpret drama.

- Students will combine historical information, textual information, and personal experience to produce meaning from works of drama.
- Students will identify the formal features that exist in specific dramatic works.
- Students will write specified assignments that demonstrate analysis and interpretation.

4. Students will show evidence of clear writing, organization, and adherence to rules for plagiarism and academic honesty.

- Students will communicate through discussion and writing an understanding of the rules for plagiarism and academic honesty.
- Students will create clear prose which demonstrates and understanding of Standard American English.

5. Students will demonstrate a synthesis of information in writing and discussion.

- Students will use the various rhetorical types to explain, analyze and interpret works from each time period.
- Students will demonstrate understanding through discussion, writing, and assessments.