

**JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**State University of New York**

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**INSTITUTIONAL COURSE SYLLABUS**

**Course Title:** World Literature - Enlightenment

**Course Abbreviation and Number:** ENG 2510

**Credit Hours:** 3

**Course Type:** Lecture

**Course Description:** Students will read, discuss, and analyze some of the most enduring and important works of literature up to the 17th century.

Prerequisite: ENG 1530.

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**Student Learning Outcomes:**

Students who demonstrate understanding can:

1. Read and interpret various works of world literature.
  2. Discuss, in writing, the impact of history and culture on a variety of literature.
  3. Critically interpret similar literary themes from different cultures.
  4. Explain various thematic areas of literature.
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**Topics Covered:**

- Early hero epics (Gilgamesh etc)
  - Religious Literature
  - Poetry
  - Impact of society and culture on literature
  - Similar themes, different cultures
  - Underworld literature
  - Literature studied includes
    - Mesopotamian
    - Asian
    - African
    - European
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**Information for Students**

- Expectations of Students
    - [Civility Statement](#)
    - [Student Responsibility Statement](#)
    - [Academic Integrity Statement](#)
  - [Accessibility Services](#)  
Students who require accommodations to complete the requirements and expectations of this course because of a disability must make their accommodation requests to the Accessibility Services Coordinator.
  - [Get Help: JCC & Community Resources](#)
  - [Emergency Closing Procedures](#)
  - Course grade is determined by the instructor based on a combination of factors, including but not limited to, homework, quizzes, exams, projects, and participation. Final course grade can be translated into a grade point value according to the following:

A=4.0	B+=3.5	B=3	C+=2.5	C=2	D+=1.5	D=1	F=0
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  - Veterans and active duty military personnel with special circumstances (e.g., upcoming deployments, drill requirements, VA appointments) are welcome and encouraged to communicate these to the instructor.
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**Effective Date:** Fall 2023