

FILM LITERATURE

Requirement area: **Fine Art or Elective**

Course code: AFL300

Grade Level: 10, 11, 12

Prerequisite: None

Length: 1 semester (0.5 credit), repeatable

Homework: 0-1 hour per week

Description: Film literature is a study of the language of film and how it is applied to literature terms. Students will examine the visual interpretation of literary techniques and the limitations or special capacities of film versus text to present a literary work. Students will examine how films portray the human condition and the roles of men and women and the various ethnic and cultural minorities in the past and present. Different genres of film will be explored. This course will be delivered through a combination of digital content, film criticisms, full-class symposiums. Students who take this class should be excited about film and literature. The course will culminate with a special project that demonstrates knowledge, application and progress in the Film Literature course.