



**UNIVERSITAS NEGERI YOGYAKARTA
FAKULTAS BAHASA DAN SENI**

**SILABUS
MATA KULIAH : AMERICAN CULTURE AND
LITERATURE I**

FRM/FBS/19-00

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Fakultas	: Bahasa dan Seni
Program Studi	: Bahasa dan Sastra Inggris
Mata Kuliah & Kode	: American Culture and Literature Kode: SEN 212
Jumlah SKS	: Teori 2 SKS Praktik : _____SKS
Semester	: 4
Mata Kuliah Prasyarat & Kode	: SEN 211 (British Culture and Literature)
Dosen	: Eko Rujito, M.Hum

I. DESKRIPSI MATA KULIAH

This course offers the students to explore American culture, society, and history from the First Contact until the Contemporary Multicultural Period. This knowledge is basic for preparing the students to understanding how American culture is reflected in literature, which is offered in American Culture and Literature II. The assessment is based on class attendance and participation, group presentation, mid-term test, and final paper.

II. STANDARISASI KOMPETENSI MATA KULIAH

By the end of this course, students should be able to explore American culture, society, and history from the First Contact until the Contemporary Multicultural Period.

III. POKOK BAHASAN DAN RINCIAN POKOK BAHASAN

Minggu Ke	Pokok Bahasan	Rincian Pokok Bahasan	Waktu
I	Orientation to the course	Giving orientation	100'
II	American Culture(s) and Literature(s)	Explaining the relationship of American culture(s) and literature(s)	100'
III	The First Contact	Cultures of the first Americans	100'
IV	The Colonial America	The arrival of the European to the New Land	100'
V	The Puritans	The role of the Puritans in building America	100'
VI	The Age of Reason	The ideas of some great American thinker	100'
VII	The Revolution Era	The development of America into its independence	100'
VIII	The Age of Romanticism	The new style of writing and the new American identity	100'
IX	Review	Quizzes	100'
X	The Realistic Period	American literature and the reflection of the American reality	100'
XI	The Civil War	The literature of the Civil War	100'



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		(its beginning and end)	
XII	The Modern Era	Some great writers and their ideas in American modern age	100'
XIII	African Americans	African American writers and their struggle for acknowledgement	100'
XIV	American Indians	American Indian writers and their survival and search for identity	100'
XV	Asian Americans	Migration experience of the Asian people	100'
XVI	Wrap up	Reviewing all what the students have learned during the course	100'



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IV. REFERENSI/ SUMBER BAHAN

A. Wajib :

McMichael, George. Ed. *Anthology of American Literature.* 2nd Edition. New York: Macmillan Publishing Con, Inc. 1980.

B. Anjuran :

Todd, Lewis Paul and Merle Curti. *The Rise of American Nation.* Third edition. New York: Harcourt Jovanovic Inc., 1972

V. EVALUASI

No	Komponen Evaluasi	Bobot (%)
1	Class attendance and participation	15%
2	Quizzes	15%
3	Mid Test	15%
4	Paper Presentation	25%
5	Final Paper	30%
Jumlah		100%

Mengetahui,
Ketua Prodi Bahasa dan Sastra Inggris

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Dosen,

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