

**Bossier Parish Community College**  
**Master Syllabus**

<b>Course Prefix and Number:</b>	ENGL 201	<b>Credit Hours:</b> 3
<b>Course Title:</b>	Major British Writers	
<b>Course Prerequisites:</b>	ENGL 102, grade of “C” or better	
<b>Textbook(s):</b>	Stephen Greenblatt, Carol T. Christ, Alfred David, Et. Al. <u>The Norton Anthology of English Literature, The Major Authors.</u>	
<b>Course Description:</b>	A study of works by significant writers in English literature.	
<b>Learning Outcomes:</b>		

At the end of this course, the student will

- A. recognize the historical background of the literary works read;
- B. apply common terms associated with literature;
- C. identify common authors, titles, and themes in English literature; and
- D. write a research paper which includes secondary sources and demonstrates a knowledge of MLA form.

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will

(The letter designations at the end of each statement refer to the learning outcome(s).)

- 1. examine the historical background of the literary works read (A).
- 2. investigate common terms associated with literature (B).
- 3. investigate common authors, titles, and themes in English literature (A, B, and C).
- 4. write and research a critical paper which includes secondary sources and employs MLA format mastered in English 102 (B, C, and D).

**Course Requirements:** Students will successfully complete teacher-made tests, a research paper, and other required writings.

**Course Grading Scale:** The following scale will be used on all required work:

- 90 – 100 A
- 80 – 89 B
- 70 – 79 C
- 60 – 69 D
- 0 – 59 F