

Course: English First Peoples 12

Course Format: Online

Credits: 4

Course Exams: 1 in-person invigilated exam

Description: English First Peoples 12 builds on and extends students' previous learning experiences in ELA 10 and 11 courses, with a focus on First Peoples narratives. This course meets the new Indigenous-Focused Graduation Requirement (effective 2023/24).

This course is designed for all students and provides them with opportunities to:

- Analyze how First Peoples languages and texts reflect their cultures, knowledge, histories, and worldviews.
- Construct meaningful personal connections between self, text, and world
- Demonstrate understanding of the role of story and oral traditions in expressing First Peoples perspectives, values, beliefs and points of view
- Analyze the influence of land/place in First Peoples texts
- Examine the significance of terms/words from First Peoples languages used in English texts
- Express and support an opinion with evidence
- Respond to text in personal, creative, and critical ways
- Recognize intellectual property rights and community protocols and apply as necessary

Prerequisite: ELA 11

Resources: All the resources that are required for the course are contained in the course. You will need a copy of Wab Kinew's *The Reason You Walk*. This is available through the course, but if you would like a physical copy for yourself, please purchase one from your local bookstore. Personal computer and internet connection are required (not supplied by SAIL). Please note: online course platform is not fully compatible with tablets or smartphones.

