## AP Literature and Composition Mr. Jeffire

## Link to Course Overview

AP Literature and Composition is the last challenge in the academic journey in English, and it is both engaging and rewarding. Students will be expected to read, write, speak, listen, and think more astutely than ever before. The challenges will at times be formidable but, with a positive mindset, they will be edifying. While students will work to prepare for the AP exam in May, the value of this course is not to be found in a final test result but in the literature read and the ideas developed and expressed in discussion and writing. The class will examine some extraordinary works of literary art to include *Things Fall Apart, The Kite Runner, 1984, Death of a Salesman*, and others. In addition, numerous poems and short stories will be focused upon in order to practice the skill of literary analysis, which is a key component of the AP exam essay section.

The 2022 scores show that Chippewa Valley students outperformed others at both the state and national levels.

## **Mean Score**

CV: 3.59

Michigan: 3.34

Nation: 3.31

## Score of 3 or Higher

CV: 85.2%

Michigan: 81%

Nation: 77.9%