

Reading List: English IV

Monsters in our Midst

- **Reading Selections:** *Beowulf*, “Gawain and the Green Knight,” “The Demon Lover,” “Barbara Allen,” “Lord Randall,” “The Kraken
- **Honors:** *Frankenstein* by Mary Shelley

Satire and Society

- **Reading Selections:** “The Pardoner’s Tale,” “The Wife of Bath,” “A Modest Proposal,” *Pygmalion*, “Sonnet 130,” “Sonnet 18,” “Oh Captain, My Captain” and “A Satirical Elegy on the Death of a Late Famous General”
- **Honors:** “The Importance of Being Earnest” by Oscar Wilde

Paths to the Future

- **Reading Selections:** *The Seven habits of Highly Effective People* by S. Covey or *Three Cups of Tea* by Greg Mortenson (Honors Only)

Appearances Can Be Deceiving

- **Reading Selections:** *Much Ado About Nothing*, “To His Coy Mistress,” “The Siren Song”
- **Honors:** *A Midsummer Night’s Dream*

Power and Consequence

- **Reading Selections:** *Macbeth*, “The Second Coming” and “The Tyger”
- **Honors:** *Hamlet*

The Empire and its Discontents

- **Readings:** “To the Men of England”, *Heart of Darkness*, “The White Man’s Burden”, “Shooting an Elephant”, “Quit India Speech”, “Requiem for the Croppies”
- **Honors:** *Cry the Beloved Country*