English 3 v14 Reading List

Segment One
Module 1

- Partial Script from the 1933 version of the King Kong movie
- As You Like It, Act 2, Scene 7 by William Shakespeare (audio available)
- Partial passage from Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare
- Article: “The History of Twitter”
- Students choose TWO readings:
  - “The Story of an Hour” by Kate Chopin
  - “How to Tell a Story” by Mark Twain
  - “The Raven” by Edgar Allan Poe
  - “Ain’t I a Woman” by Sojourner Truth
  - “Declaration of Sentiments” from the first women’s rights convention

Module 2

- “Advertising”, Encyclopedia Britannica
- “Tuning in Teens: Businesses Intensify Pitch for ‘Savviest Generation Ever” by Dave Carpenter
- Students choose ONE article to read for the assignment:
  - “Down and Dirty: Do men and women perceive cleanliness differently?” by Gregory McNamee
  - “Rat, Meet Human: The Brain-To-Brain Interface” by Kara Rogers
  - “The Value of Music That Tickles the Brain” by Kara Rogers
- Articles used in interactive practice throughout the module:
  - “The Value of Music That Tickles the Brain” by Kara Rogers
  - “Down and Dirty: Do men and women perceive cleanliness differently?” by Gregory McNamee
  - “Rat, Meet Human: The Brain-To-Brain Interface” by Kara Rogers
  - “The Kindle Shakes up Publishing”

Module 3

- “The Cask of Amontillado” by Edgar Allan Poe

Module 4 Honors

- Students choose ONE novel to read:
  - The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald (full text available online – link in course)
  - The Bean Trees by Barbara Kingsolver
  - The Namesake by Jhumpa Lahiri

Segment Two
Module 5

- “Totally Like Whatever You Know?” by Taylor Mali
• “On the Pulse of Morning” by Maya Angelou
• “One Today” by Richard Blanco
• Students choose TWO poems to read:
  o “Rhapsody on a Windy Night” by T.S. Eliot
  o “Mending Wall” by Robert Frost
  o “Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening” by Robert Frost
  o “The River Merchant’s Wife: A Letter” by Ezra Pound
  o “The Red Wheelbarrow” by William Carlos Williams
  o “Languages” by Carl Sandburg
  o “Fog” by Carl Sandburg

Module 6

• Civil Rights Address by John F. Kennedy, 1963
• President Abraham Lincoln’s Second Inaugural Address, 1865
• U.S. Supreme Court Case: Brown vs. Board of Education, 1954
• Declaration of Independence

Module 7

• Transcript from “Faces of Distracted Driving” PSA from Distraction.gov

Module 8 Honors

• The Taming of the Shrew by William Shakespeare (full text & audio available in course)

*With the exception of the novels in Module 4, all texts are available to students in the course*