

**Pepperdine University
English Program
Fall 2012**

General Education Literature Program:

Please place the PLO and the SLO's designated below on your syllabus

Program Learning Outcome

Students will demonstrate close reading skills, will analyze texts through oral and written assignments, and will develop a deeper understanding of literature in relation to its historical and cultural contexts.

Student Learning Outcome(s)

SLO #1	Students will demonstrate critical thinking, reading, and writing skills through rigorous analysis of literary texts.
SLO #2	Students will be introduced to the concept and practice of research.
SLO #3	Students will communicate ideas about literature in its historical and cultural context through writing assignments, oral presentations, and class discussion.
SLO #4	Students will develop a deeper understanding of the ways in which the formal elements of language and genre shape meaning.