



The Lantern English Co.
The Advanced Writer

The Advanced Essay
FAST TRACK

Course Description: This class covers advanced essay forms in our standard eight-week format. Students are guided logically through the components of critical analysis, beginning with skills in paraphrasing and summarizing, followed by skills in critical reading and analyzing rhetoric. Throughout the second half of the class, students put these skills into practice by writing four different types of essays, all of which will demand strong critical thinking, thorough analysis, and growing writing style. Students should be prepared to write one complete essay each week.

Course Outline:

Week One: Paraphrase of an Essay

Week Two: Summary of an Essay

Week Three: Critical Reading Skills

Week Four: Preparing for the Rhetorical Analysis

Week Five: Writing the Rhetorical Analysis

Week Six: Critical Evaluation

Week Seven: To Agree or Disagree

Week Eight: The Personal Narrative

Grading Information: All assignment grades for this course will be averaged to receive a final course grade. Please review *The Advanced Writer* grading rubric for more information about how assignments will be graded.