



Programma di lingua e civiltà inglese

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Classe: 3[^]AL

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Libro di testo: Maglioni, Thomson, Elliott, Monticelli: *Time Machines 2 – From the Victorian Age to the Present*, Black Cat ed.; AA.VV., "Venture into First B2", Oxford University Press

Literature

Module 1: Early Britain

- An introduction to the study of literature: main literary genres, key concepts of literature and its general purpose.
- Early Britain - the Celts
- The Vikings
- Anglo-Saxon literature.
- Monsters in literature and Western culture.

Module 2: The English Middle Ages

- The English Middle Ages - from the Norman invasion to the Magna Charta and the creation of the Model Parliament
- The Hundred Years' War
- The Wars of the Roses, the Black Death, the Peasants' Revolt.
- Literature in the Middle Ages: mystery, miracle and morality plays.

Module 3: The English Renaissance

- The Renaissance
- The Elizabethan age
- William Shakespeare - cooperative learning: the Elizabethan age, Elizabethan theatre, Shakespeare's life and works



- W. Shakespeare, *Sonnets*. Sonnets to a Young Man + analysis of *Sonnet 18*. Sonnets to a Dark Lady + analysis of *Sonnet 130*.
- Shakespearean tragedies
- *Romeo and Juliet*. Plot, themes, characters, analysis. Reading + analysis of the *Balcony Scene*
- *Hamlet*. Plot, themes, characters, analysis. Reading + analysis of *To be or not to be*.

Language

- Adjectives of personality. The person you are closest to. Dictation. Phrasal verbs (acquaintances, personal relationships)
- Grammar review: present tenses - present simple vs. continuous
- Discussing statements about personality
- Dynamic vs. stative verbs
- Comparative and superlative forms
- Modifiers
- Word families, negative prefixes
- Use of English – exercises
- *Used to* vs. *would*. *Used to* and past simple
- Vocabulary – Celebrities
- Collocations with *make* and *do*. Phrasal verbs with *make* and *do*.
- *So/such*
- Key word transformation
- Narrative tenses
- Adjectives with *-ing* and *-ed*
- Phrasal verbs with *up*
- Collocations with *say*, *speak*, *talk*, *tell*

Conversation

- Talking about relationships
- Speaking activity – forms of entertainment (TV series, movies, songs)
- Pronunciation exercises



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- Conversation on topic “Going green in Hollywood”
- Environmental issues - vocabulary; speaking activity; work on phrasal verbs
- Ecotourism – types of holiday (class debate)
- Writing an informal letter.

Educazione civica

- Agenda 2030: the 17 goals.
- Focus on SDG n. 11 - Sustainable cities and communities. The most sustainable cities in the world, problems and proposals to make the city of Cagliari a more sustainable environment.
- Ted Talks on SDG n. 11.

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Le docenti

Gli studenti