

Class Name: English III American Literature

Unit Title/Focus: Unit 7 Post Modernism

Grade Level: 11

Texts Examined:

Literary

A Raisin in the Sun

The Poem "Harlem" By Langston Hughes

Informational

Power Point of the life of Lorraine Hansberry's life and what it was like to be African American in the 1950s – 1960s

Writing: (Argumentative, Expository, Narrative)

Response Prompts (Expository)

How do the dreams and aspirations change and impact family relationships from generation to generation? (Argumentative)

Speaking:

Group Discussions after the completion of each Act

Since this was written as a play Students will act out some scenes in front of the rest of the class

Viewing:

Since this was written as a play Students will act out some scenes in front of the rest of the class

Scenes from the film

Listening:

Read out loud as a class

Project(s): (optional)

Visual representation of what the "raisin in the sun" is for each student

Notes:

Standard vocabulary and grammar/punctuation instruction accompanies every unit.