



# Wayne County Community College District

## COURSE SYLLABUS

### ENG 285 Children's Literature

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**CREDIT HOURS:** 3.00

**CONTACT HOURS:** 45.00

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

A survey of children's literature, acquaintance with quality books for children and criteria for evaluating them.

**PREREQUISITES:** *ENG 120*

**EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:**

*Upon successful completion of this course, the student will:*

1. Plan activities which will develop and increase a child's language, cognitive, social and personality skills.
2. Identify categories of children's literature and recommended appropriate literature.
3. Recognize and understand the educational values of each category of children's literature.

**ASSESSMENT METHODS:**

Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

**GRADING SCALE:**

90%-100% = A  
80%-89.9% = B  
70%-79.9% = C  
60%-69.9% = D  
<60% = E