

Fiction and English Teaching
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Course Description:

This course aims at emphasizing the use of fiction or stories as a popular technique for teaching language skills and reading strategies in Taiwan's middle and high schools, recognized as ESL or EFL programs. Literary and pedagogical theories will be introduced to help instructors construct appropriate teaching modules for their English classrooms. Instructors will be required to demonstrate their classroom practices, sharing their achievements and frustrations in teaching English through literature. The class will be also oriented to the discussion of possibilities and potentials in developing new approaches of language teaching.