

Classe: 5bls

Disciplina: Lingua Inglese

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Programma svolto

Dal libro di testo in adozione *Literary Journeys Concise*, di A. Cattaneo-D. De Flaviis-S. Knipe-, ed. Signorelli Scuola - Mondadori Education, e dai materiali integrativi forniti dalla docente sulla piattaforma Google Meet, sono stati svolti i seguenti argomenti:

▪ **Unit 5: The Age of Revolution and the Romantics 1776-1837**

HISTORY: the American Revolution; the French revolution and its impact on Britain

SOCIETY and LITERATURE: the Industrial Revolution; the Romantic Revolution; Romantic Poetry; Romantic novel; Romantic Themes and the sublime.

WRITERS and TEXTS:

- William Blake: life, works, main themes
"The Lamb" (from *Songs of Innocence*)
"The Tyger" (from *Songs of Experience*)
"The Chimney Sweeper" (from *Songs of Innocence*)
"The Chimney Sweeper" (from *Songs of Experience*)
- William Wordsworth: life, works, main themes
Lyrical Ballads: key points and themes; "The Preface"
I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud
She Dwelt among the Untrodden Ways
- Samuel Taylor Coleridge: life, works, main themes
The Rime of the Ancient Mariner: key points and themes, the plot; "It is an Ancient Mariner" (part I)
- Percy Bysshe Shelley: life, works, main themes
Ode to the West Wind
- John Keats: life, works, main themes
Ode to a Grecian Urn
- Jane Austen: life, works, main themes
Pride and Prejudice: key points and themes, the plot; opening lines (from "Hunting for a Husband")
- Mary Shelley: life, works, main themes
Frankenstein: key points and themes, the plot; "An Outcast of Society"

FLIPPED CLASSROOM (approfondimenti a gruppi)

- *The Mysteries of Udolpho* (A. Radcliffe)
- *Wuthering Heights* (E. Brontë)
- *Pride and Prejudice* (J. Austen)
- *Ivanhoe* (W. Scott)
- *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* (L. Carroll)
- *Tess of the D'Urbervilles* (T. Hardy)
- *Kim* (R. Kipling)

▪ **Unit 6: The Victorian Age 1837-1901**

HISTORY: An Age of Industry and Reforms; the British Empire; the Commonwealth

SOCIETY and LITERATURE: the Victorian Compromise; the Victorian values; Victorian Poetry; the Victorian novel; the Victorian poetry and drama (general overview)

WRITERS and TEXTS:

- Friedrich Engels: *Urban Slums, The Condition of the Working Class in England* (1845)
- Charles Dickens: life, works, main themes
Oliver Twist: key points and themes, the plot; "Oliver Asks for More"
Hard Times: key points and themes, the plot; "Coketown" and "A Classroom Definition of a Horse"

- R.L. Stevenson: life, works, main themes
The Strange Case of Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde: key points and themes, the plot; "Jekyll can no longer control Hyde"
- The Aesthetic Movement: key points and themes
- Oscar Wilde: life, works, main themes
The Picture of Dorian Gray: key points and themes, the plot; "the Preface"; "Dorian Kills the Portrait and Himself"
- **Unit 7: The Modern Age 1901-1945**
SOCIETY and LITERATURE: the Modernist Revolution; the different types of modern novel; the stream of consciousness technique and the interior monologue; the modern poetry.
WRITERS and TEXTS:
 - James Joyce
"Yes I Said Yes I Will Yes" (Molly's Monologue) (*Ulysses*): key points and the stream of consciousness technique
"Eveline" (*Dubliners*): key points and themes, the plot
 - Virginia Woolf
"She Loved Life, London, This Moment of June" (Clarissa's Monologue) (*Mrs Dalloway*): key points and the interior monologue
 - George Orwell
Nineteen Eighty-Four: key points and themes, the plot
 - Francis Scott Fitzgerald
The Great Gatsby: key points and themes, the plot
 - The War poets
 - Ruper Brooke
The Soldier: text analysis, key points and themes, the plot
 - Wilfred Owen
Dulce et Decorum Est: text analysis, key points and themes, the plot
 - Wystan Hugh Auden
Refugee Blues: text analysis, key points and themes, the plot
 - The objective correlative: T.S. Eliot vs E. Montale
- Dal libro di testo *Performer B2*, ed Zanichelli, sono state svolte attività di ripasso delle strutture grammaticali e di rinforzo del lessico.
- Sono state svolte le prove Invalsi (in modalità online e in classe)
- Gli studenti hanno svolto un modulo di approfondimento a scelta tra *Frankenstein* e *The Great Gatsby*
- Sono stati visti i film in lingua originale *Suffragette* (2015) e *Dorian Gray* (2009)
- La classe ha assistito allo spettacolo teatrale in lingua inglese *1984*, riadattamento dell'opera di G. Orwell *Nineteen Eighty-Four*

Ed Civica

Nel secondo quadrimestre è stato svolto un modulo di 3 ore relativo "The European Union (EU) and its organisation-the main institutions: the European Parliament, the Council, The Commission. The United Nations Organization (UNO) and its specialised agencies".

È stato svolto, inoltre, il progetto *Diritti sotto assedio*, in merito alla situazione israelo-palestinese, in collaborazione con la disciplina Diritto.

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La docente

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