

**COURSE NAME: Poetry**

**Instructor: Mozghan Aminian**

**Day/s & Time/s: Mondays 8 to 9.30**

**Course Aims & Objectives:**

1. To help the students develop critical skills regarding English poetry.
2. To familiarize them with various types of poetry : lyric, romantic, modern, ....
3. To help apply the literary devices studied in previous courses to the present poems.
4. To make them develop the ability to look for clues and symbols in poems to interpret and further understand what they have read.
5. The ultimate goal is to create motivation to love and enjoy what they study as a student of literature.

**Course Description:**

The aim of this course is to activate students' power of thinking and analyzing what they read through delving into some of the most fascinating poems ever written .Moreover they will be able to develop their critical skills regarding reading poetry.

**Required Texts:**

An insight to English Literature  
Poetry  
Iran Language Institute Publication.

**Course Expectations and Requirements:**

Informed and active participation in class discussions: 3 scores

Attendance: 2scores

Presentations: 3scores

Final exam: 12 scores

**Assignments:** Two units including 4 poems are to be studied for each session . Students are expected to be fully prepared to participate in class discussions and comment on what they have studied.