

# English First Peoples New Media 10

**Learning Outcomes:** The activities in this course are based on the core competencies and curricular competencies as provided by the Ministry of Education of BC. This course is designed for students to use First Peoples texts and Principles of Learning as lenses to explore the value and impact of storytelling through a variety of different media while enhancing their communication skills.

View the complete Ministry of Education learning outcomes for this course: [EFP New Media 10](#)

**Resources:** All resources are provided within the course, other than a novel. Students will need good access to the Internet and will be required to use online tools.

**Exams:** All exams and quizzes require a password and are to be invigilated by a teacher at your school or an approved testing center. Exams may be rewritten if needed. Exams may cause anxiety for some students. See your teacher for study skills if necessary.

**Communication:** Assignments are submitted directly through your course. Constant communication with your teacher is key to success in a DL course. Phone or email or message your teacher for help whenever necessary.

**Goal Setting:** This course is self-paced and self-directed. Students should plan on working 5-6 hours a week on this course. It is highly recommended that the student creates a calendar of monthly, weekly and even daily goals. Contact your teacher if help is needed doing this.

## Unit 1: Core Competency - Thinking

Students will analyze different mediums and modes of communication.

## Unit 2: Core Competency – Communication

Students will explore various means of online writing.

## Unit 3: Core Competency - Personal and Cultural Identity

Students will make connections between different media and themselves while making cultural connections.

## Unit 4: Core Competency - Personal and Social Responsibility and Reconciliation

Students will explore social responsibility and Reconciliation through the lens of visual media.

## Unit 5: Independent Novel Study

Students will choose a novel with First Nations authorship or themes to read and analyze.

## Final Project

Students will choose to create either a Podcast episode or a three-article E-Zine.

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# **Assessment**

## **Assessments and Final Exam**

\*all supervised exams must be written at your school or an approved testing center.

This 2-credit course will be broken down as follows:

- **Unit 1:** Thinking
- **Unit 2:** Communication
- **Unit 3:** Personal and Cultural Identity
- **Unit 4:** Personal and Social Responsibility and Reconciliation

**Formative Assignments – 40%**

**Supervised Assignments – 30%**

**Novel Study - 15%** of the overall grade.

**Final Project - 15%** of the overall grade.