Roxbury Community College  
English and Humanities Course Outcomes  

**ENG 240: Modern Novel**  

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| ➢ Read critically to understand the modern novel both in terms of its structure and cultural context  
➢ Develop an independent thesis about a novel and write a critical paper on it using multiple sources  
➢ Understand the importance of the novel as a mode of cultural expression and reflection  
➢ Demonstrate understanding of a common theme in the novels read in the course | ➢ Read at least four novels from the 20th or 21st century  
➢ Read contextual information  
➢ Lectures and discussions  
➢ Library orientation to literary research  
➢ Discussion of thesis in small groups  
➢ Individual consultation with instructor on thesis  
➢ Lecture  
➢ Small group discussions  
➢ Lecture and Discussion  
➢ Background Reading | ➢ Answer reading comprehension questions  
➢ Essay tests  
➢ Online discussion boards  
➢ Documented essay based on critical analysis and research  
➢ Essay tests  
➢ Informal writing  
➢ Essays and informal papers |