

For students wishing to pursue the Fine Arts Distinction, if Creative Writing is the Declared study, the following would be the pathway:


Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
<i>Creative Writing, I</i>	<i>Composition, Expository</i>	<i>Other English Electives</i>	<i>Visual Arts IV, Honors</i>

INTRODUCTION TO CREATIVE WRITING (Grades 9-12) (Taught at FFC)	01104G0500	Credit: 0.5	FEE: None
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Introduction to Creative Writing is designed for students who wish to develop the skills and tools needed to think and write more creatively. Students will study a variety of genres in order to more effectively write and critique short stories, poems, essays, and plays.


 CREATIVE WRITING, I (Grades 9-12)	01104G1000	Credit:1.0	FEE: None
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Creative Writing, I is designed for students who wish to express themselves creatively. Students are required to contribute pieces suited to literary publication. Students read, study, and write short stories, poems, essays, and one-act plays which will then be entered in local, state, and national writing contests. Students are also expected to keep a writing portfolio and to complete individual projects, which may then be printed in the literary publication.

 COMPOSITION, EXPOSITORY (Grades 10-12)	01103G1000	Credit 1.0	FEE: None
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Prerequisites: Creative Writing I

Building on skills learned in Creative Writing I, students become more comfortable expressing themselves as writers of short stories, poems, essays, and one-act plays. Students are required to contribute pieces suited to the literary publication. They maintain their writing portfolio and continue to enter local, state, and national writing contests.

 Other English Electives (Creative Writing III) (Grades 11-12)	01099G1000	Credit: 1.0	FEE: None
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Prerequisites: Creative Writing II

In their third year of Creative Writing, students continue to experiment with all genres of writing, but they also begin to focus on the type(s) to which their muse directs them. Students are required to contribute pieces suited to literary publication. They maintain their writing portfolio and continue to enter local, state and national writing contests

	VISUAL ARTS IV, HONORS (Grades 12)	05154G1004	Credit: 1.0	FEE: None
Prerequisites: Creative Writing I, II, and III or approval by instructor				
<p>This advanced-level course is the fourth course in the series of creative writing courses. Students will serve in leadership positions and publish for Florence High School’s literary arts publication. It contains writing of all genres (short stories, poems, essays, and one-act plays) as well as artwork, photography, and other graphics – all done by students. Any student in the Creative Writing classes may be considered for the staff since staff members are chosen based on their determination and willingness to go beyond the call of duty to produce an exceptional magazine.</p>				