Assessment: Course Four Column

the semester, students will show

1. Ability to develop vocal flexibility

2. Ability to develop optimum pitch

3. Ability to develop breath control



Courses (A&L) - Theatre

THTR 221:Oral Interpretation

Course Outcomes	Assessment Measures	Results	Actions
Relationship of the experience of literature to person experience - Recognize the relationship of the experience of literature to person experience and use this knowledge in selecting literature for performance. Course Outcome Status: Active Next Assessment: 2018-2019 Start Date: 06/15/2015	Assignment - Written - In essays and in oral presentations assigned throughout the semester, students will show a level of competence in 1. Analyze for meaning 2. Learning to select appropriate material 3. Learning to work with different genres.	Reporting Period: 2015-2016 Criterion Met: Yes Action plan for this year included the abandonment of the former text and replacement with anthologies. However, I soon discovered I needed to reference the old text frequently. The results of this year's course were satisfactory. While they met the criteria, I continue to recognize a need for change in the curriculum design. (07/13/2016)	Action: I am introducing a new text which provides students with both exercises and literary selections. It is be encouraging more outside research from students to identify performance texts. This strategy gives provides strong context for recognizing the
	Criterion: 1. Ability to summarize the meaning of a piece either orally or in writing. 2. Ability to select a piece of literature to which the student has a strong connection.		relationship between the experience of literature and one's personal experience. Students will continue to be expose to literature recognized by scholars as important to our literary history.
	3. Ability to present poetry, prose, drama or speeches with an entry level of competence.		(07/13/2016)
Prose, poetry and dramatic material conducive to oral presentations -	Performance/Presentation - In several presentations throughout	Reporting Period: 2015-2016 Criterion Met: Yes	Action: I have compiled a series of worksheets that will introduce

Select prose, poetry and dramatic

Course Outcome Status: Active

Next Assessment: 2018-2019

material conducive to oral

presentations.

(07/13/2016)

The curricular strategy addressing these outcomes, their

measurement and level of achievement meet criteria.

International Phonetic Alphabet.

connected to the sounds they will be

Students will learn the symbols

producing. This provides a more

quantitative measure for the

Course Outcomes	Assessment Measures	Results	Actions
Start Date: 06/15/2015	4. Ability to develop clear enunciation skills		assessment process. (07/13/2016)
	Criterion: 1. Can modulate volume, pitch, tone and pace. 2. Can find and maintain a vocal pitch which creates optimum sound. 3. Can control breath in such a way to enhance the delivery of a line. 4. Can speak clearly and understandably.		

Methods of analysis appropriate for each literary genre - Apply methods of analysis appropriate for each literary genre (poetry, prose, drama, speech), specifically analyzing for meaning, tone, style, point of view, mood, etc.

Course Outcome Status: Active Next Assessment: 2018-2019 Start Date: 06/15/2015 **Assignment - Project -** 1. Ability to apply principles of literary analysis, including;

- a. Allegory
- b. Character
- c. Connotation
- d. Denotation
- e. Imagery

Criterion: Provide evidence of competency in writing and/or oral presentation.

Reporting Period: 2015-2016

Criterion Met: Yes

Students drafted, revised and submitted written character analyses addressing the measurement critera. (10/19/2016)

Action: The new text I plan to use will provide the context for students to better understand the literary and performance aspects of their chosen pieces simultaneously

Students will continue to rehearse their work orally as they analyze their literature pieces against the literary principles provided in the text. (10/19/2016)