

## Introduction to Literary Studies (A005634)

**Course size** *(nominal values; actual values may depend on programme)*

**Credits 3.0** **Study time 90 h**

**Course offerings in academic year 2026-2027**

A (semester 2) Dutch Gent

**Lecturers in academic year 2026-2027**

Maes, Yanick	LW07	staff member
Pieters, Jurgén	LW07	lecturer-in-charge

**Offered in the following programmes in 2026-2027**

	<b>crdts</b>	<b>offering</b>
<a href="#">Micro-credential Reading Matters. Introduction to Literary Studies</a>	3	A

**Teaching languages**

Dutch

**Keywords**

literary theory, literature, fiction, stories, poetry, authors, readers, narratology

**Position of the course**

This course offers an overview of the 9 languages of the programme in Linguistics and Literature. It pays attention to their history, mutual contacts and the role of literature in their development.

**Contents**

**Initial competences**

To have acquired the basic knowledge of secondary education

**Final competences**

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**Conditions for credit contract**

This course unit cannot be taken via a credit contract

**Conditions for exam contract**

This course unit cannot be taken via an exam contract

**Teaching methods**

Seminar, Lecture

**Extra information on the teaching methods**

Lecture recordings will be made available.

**Study material**

None

**References**

Jürgen Pieters, Leeskwesties, Owl Press, 2024 (2d edition!)

**Course content-related study coaching**

On appointment and electronically (e-mail)

**Assessment moments**

end-of-term assessment

**Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the first examination period**

Written assessment

**Examination methods in case of periodic assessment during the second examination period**

Written assessment

**Examination methods in case of permanent assessment**

**Possibilities of retake in case of permanent assessment**

not applicable

**Calculation of the examination mark**

**Facilities for Working Students**

It is possible to take the exam at a different time within/outside the regular exam period

Possibility to receive feedback at another time: by appointment