

Beyond the Textbook: Your Research, Your Seminar

– Exploring the HUMANITIES

A Two-Year Seminar for 3rd & 4th Year Students

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This seminar helps students explore contemporary humanities topics while developing critical research and presentation abilities.

Why Join?

- ✓ Enhance research & critical thinking skills
- ✓ Work confidently with academic sources
- ✓ Improve presentation & teamwork abilities
- ✓ Gain real-world research experience

Seminar Overview

Year 1: Skill Building & Exploration

- Critical thinking & academic research
- Source searching, evaluation & citation (APA/MLA)
- Team discussions & public speaking
- Conducting surveys & analyzing data
- Field trips for practical insights

Year 2: Independent Research & Application

- Advanced research & structured debates
- Self-selected academic topics
- Long-term project management
- Peer learning & collaboration

Requirements

- **B2 English level**
- Commitment to long-term research & group work

Key Assignments

Year 1:

- **Group Project:** Thematic presentation graded on content & delivery
- **Creative Option:** Video or podcast presenting research

Year 2:

- **Research Paper:** 5-page academic paper with references & fieldwork
- **Group Project:** Leaflet or multimedia piece based on peer research