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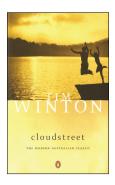


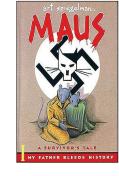
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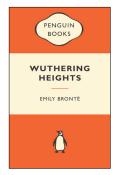
Authors and curriculum specialists to enhance English studies



# Sessions tailored to the VCE English curriculum delivered by engaging, authoritative presenters.











#### Karen Ford

Karen Ford (MA, B.Ed) is a lecturer, writer and education consultant. Karen was a secondary teacher for seventeen years, is an English and GAT assessor for VCAA and has been both a reviewer for English and an advisor to the Text Selection Committee for VCE English.

Topics: Reading and Responding - all List 1 texts, Creating and Presenting - all List 2 contexts, Language Analysis, English Exam Preparation and Revision.

#### **Tony Thompson**

Tony Thompson is a writer and teacher, and a specialist in the VCE English curriculum. He has written two non fiction books for teenagers. His articles on education have appeared in The Age and The Australian.

*Topics: Cloudstreet, Shakespeare, The Reluctant Fundamentalist, A Christmas Carol, Ransom, Gwen Harwood.* 

#### John Kilner

An experienced journalist, **John Kilner** is ideal for presentations on Issues and Media Analysis. John wrote for the EDUCATION AGE for nineteen years.

Topics: Language and the Media.

#### Josh Nelson

Josh Nelson (BCA Hons, PhD) is a freelance writer, academic, broadcaster and filmmaker. He has worked as a lecturer at The University of Melbourne, Monash University and Victoria University, and has extensive experience presenting to secondary schools on a number of film and media-related topics.

Topics: Mabo, All About Eve, Teaching Film (Teacher PD).

#### **Bernard Caleo**

Bernard Caleo is at the forefront of the Melbourne comic and graphic novel scene. He is a comic artist, comic book editor, performer and editor of Tango, a comics anthology series which has been published irregularly since 1997. He regularly comments in the media and lectures in schools, libraries and universities on comics/graphic novels.

Topics: Maus, Reading Graphic Novels.

#### **Aaron Mannion**

Creative Writing tutor, scholar of 19th Century literature and Bronte expert.

Topics: Wuthering Heights.

Many presenters can also speak on past selected texts and popular high school texts at other year levels.