

Serving a Vision: Sports in the English-Speaking World

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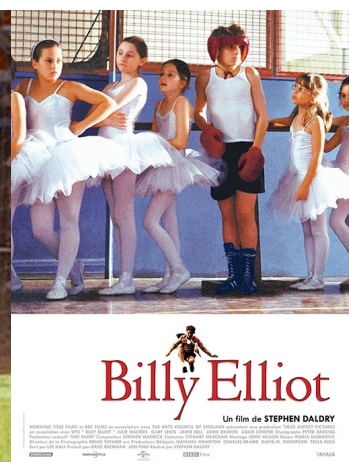
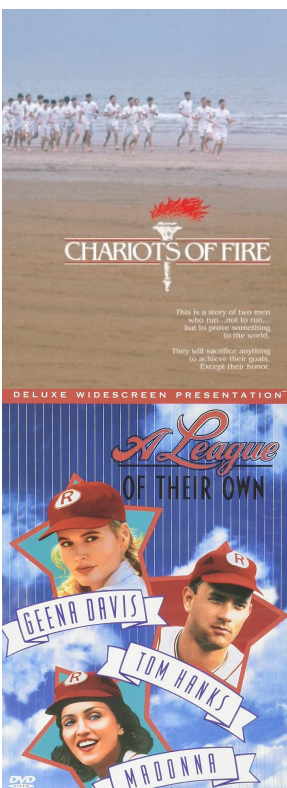
Course description

This course will focus on the practice and representation of sports in the anglophone world. After a general introduction on the pressures and specifics of sports, the class will revolve around the social value/problems of sports (discrimination, gender issues) and finally delve into the significance of politics when applied to sports (the history of protest, the Olympic Games, the Commonwealth Games and others)

Learning objectives

Finding out about cultural, social and political realities of some sports

- Engaging with texts and videos (reading, analysing, debating them)
- Consolidating grammar skills
- Putting in place reflexes for film/text analysis
- Expanding vocabulary and mobilizing the terms and concepts essential to the discussion of sports



Assessment

The evaluation will consist of 50% for the continuous assessment (homework, vocabulary/grammar tests, participation, debate/campaign preparation), and 50% for the final exam.

Requirements

A good command (C1 level minimum) of both written and spoken English is required, as well as an interest in British literature and culture and the willingness to participate and share your thoughts and ideas.