

# The English Department

All students attending the Albena Lake-Hodge Comprehensive School must study English throughout their five years of high school.

The English curriculum delivered at the ALHCS aims to develop the core communication skills of reading, writing, speaking, viewing, listening and presenting. Specifically, the curriculum provides instruction in the different modes of written and oral expression, analytical reading, vocabulary, grammar/usage and media study. The English programme is designed to meet students' individual needs and to help them acquire the effective critical thinking skills needing to function as global citizens.

There are four levels of English taught in the department that cater to the academic needs of each student. Students are placed at a level most appropriate for them based on teacher recommendation, past and present academic performance and future goals.

## Subjects offered:

- CCSLC English
- CSEC English A
- CSEC English B
- CAPE Literatures in English
- CAPE Communication Studies



## The Vision:

The English Department of the Albena Lake-Hodge Comprehensive School aspires to be a collaborative unit of teachers who value the holistic language development of all students to enable them to function responsibly and effectively in the Anguillian community and the world at large.

## The Mission:

The English teachers of the Albena Lake-Hodge Comprehensive School are committed to creating a positive learning environment and to planning and delivering instruction in English A, English B, Communication Studies, and Literatures in English that result in the development of responsible, disciplined and motivated individuals who function effectively in society in the areas of reading, writing, listening and the oral expression of opinions and ideas.