

## Dystopia: a warning for the future?

*Passé dans le présent:* Dystopia has been a recurrent literary genre over the years. How does it link past warning to present questioning?

	Is Dystopia a mean of warning?
At the end of the Unit, I will	Write a letter from my future self to my past self
What vocabulary will I need ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- dystopia / utopia</li><li>- comparison</li><li>- society</li></ul>
What grammatical structure will I need ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- supposition</li><li>- modals</li><li>- past tenses</li></ul>
What documents will be used ?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- the origin of utopias and dystopias</li><li>- how dystopias covers many fields and themes</li><li>- How dystopias are linked to the actuality</li></ul>
What will I learn about ?	<p><b>1) definition of dystopia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- 1a- drawing 1 : utopia vs dystopia</li><li>- 1b- drawing 2 : utopia vs dystopia</li></ul> <p><b>2- A warning about our society</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- 2a- Slow Descent in Dystopia, Véronica Roth, <i>Divergent</i>, 2011</li><li>- 2b- Hunger Games, Cornucopia scene, movie by <a href="#">Gary Ross</a>, 2012</li><li>- 2c- Fighting to survive, Suzanne Collins, <i>Hunger Games</i>, 2008</li></ul> <p><b>3- A warning about our education</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-3a1: <b>Another Brick In The Wall (Part 2)</b> lyrics: + dialogs Pink Floyd, <i>The Wall</i>, 1979</li><li>- 3a2: video clip <b>Another Brick In The Wall (Part 2)</b>, Pink Floyd, <i>The Wall</i>, 1979</li><li>- 3b1 Book brings knowledge (<i>illustration, undated, unknown</i>)</li><li>-3b2- Fahrenheit 451 (<i>illustration, undated, unknown</i>)</li><li>-3c - Ray Bradbury, <i>Fahrenheit 911</i>, 1953</li></ul> <p><b>4- A warning about our expectations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>4a- Odd Man out, cartoon <i>untitled, unamed</i></li><li>4b- Designer Baby, cartoon by Dusan Reljic, <i>undated</i></li></ul> <p><b>5- A warning about describing our planet</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>5a-Time capsule found on the dead planet, Margaret Atwood, 2009</li><li>5b- Man, Steve Cutts, 2014 (vidéo)</li></ul>
Final Task	You have managed to find a way to send a letter to yourself, some 20 years ago. What warning will you trigger? Join a picture of your the world you are evolving in.

**Instructions for your Final Task :**

- 1) You will have one hour full to write your letter
- 2) Your letter will be sent to yourself from your future
- 3) it will have to describe a warning and ask fo a change
- 4) it will need to cover at least two of the ideas developped in the unit.
- 5) You will need to illustrate it with a picture of your choice, which you will bring on D-day and hand in to your teacher