



English Matters' Programme
-Norway-

The “Contexts4Content” Approach

RATIONALE

“Contexts4 Content”

The culture and
the town as a
textbook to
develop content



“Contexts4Content” Approach

The English Matters’ “Contexts4Content” approach follows the philosophy of progressive education and the pedagogical principles of **Dewey, Montessori, Lave, Wenger, Rogoff, Robinson, Maxine Green...**



“Contexts4Content” Focus

Emphasis on **lifelong learning** and social skills

Students learn by **actively participating** in the learning experience

Learning can be grounded in everyday situations, and it is essentially a matter of **creating meaning from real contexts** of daily living

Learning can be the result of a **social process** which connects prior knowledge with **authentic, formal and informal contexts**

Contextual environments promote ways of perceiving, **problem solving**, and **critical thinking**

Education for social responsibility and democracy



Key aspects of the Programme

European Dimension

Contexts

Content



“©ontexts4Content”: Detail

“©ontexts4Content”: Museum



“©ontexts4Content”: Art in Oslo



Oslo City Hall



Priest by Dolk



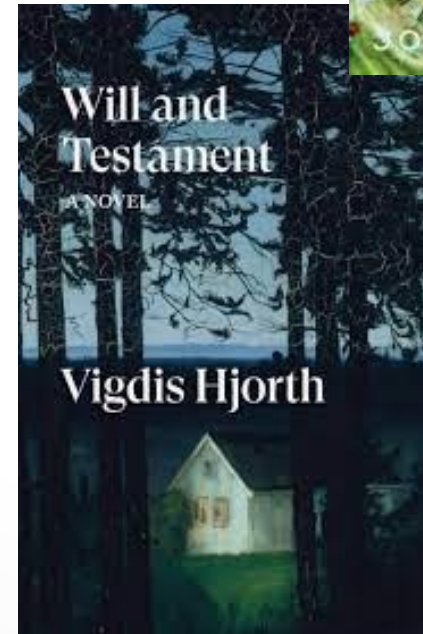
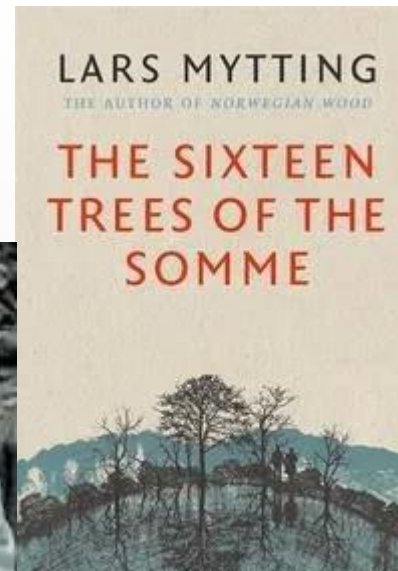
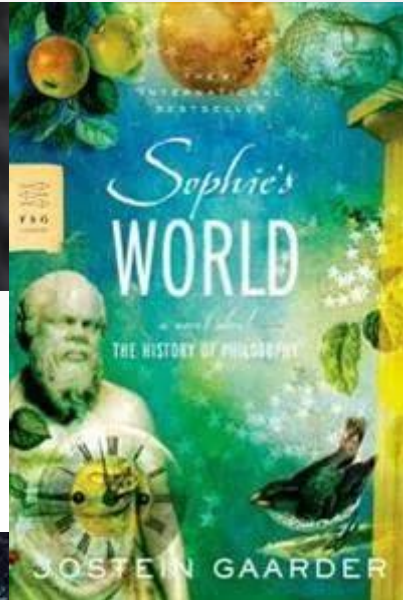
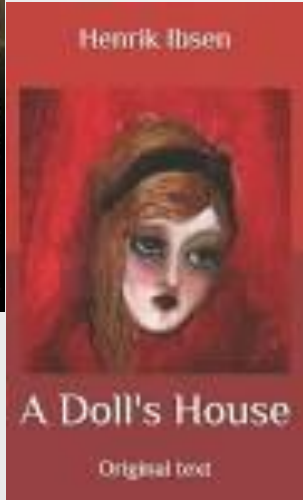
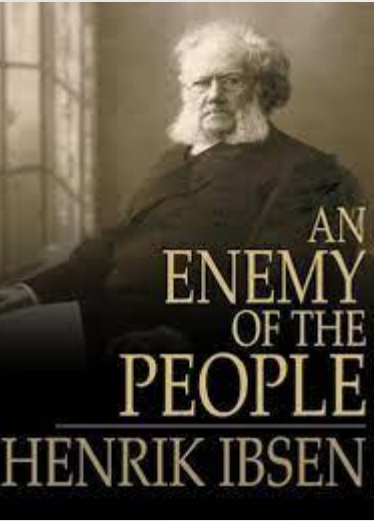
Astrup Fearnley
Museum Modern Art



Vigeland Sculpture Installation
Frogner Park

"Contexts4Content": Literature

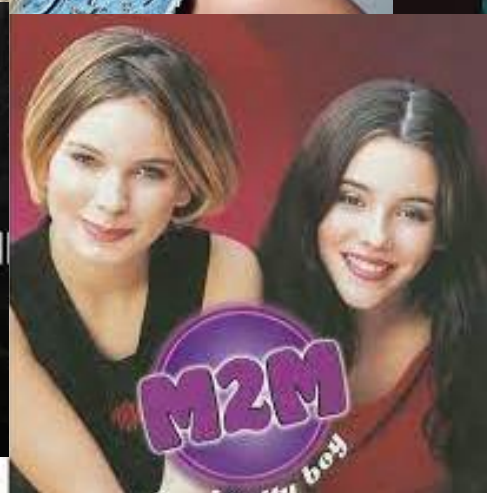
You can't really understand the psyche of a country until you read its word



“©ontexts4Content”: Film



"Contexts4Content": Music



**Sissel Kyrkjebø & José Carreras - When You Tell Me
That You Love Me**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L_dyqL9o_Dk



Mari Boine - Vuoi Vuoi Mu (Vuoi Vuoi Me)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NyB90aNkURU>



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