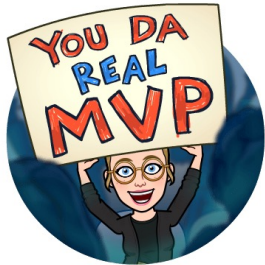


Overview & Important Info

Class Start: July 2, 2019

Class End: August 13, 2019

No School: July 4 & August 12



My priority as a teacher is to be there for you all as much as I can. That being said – I will ask you to do work – maybe even hard work. I know you can do it, though, and I am here to help you every step of the way.

English is the best class (in my opinion) and our focus this summer will be on reading, writing, communicating, and being scholars on the daily.

Ask me for help whenever you need it. We are going to do amazing this summer!

essential learnings

1. I can support analysis and understanding of a text by citing relevant details from that text.
2. I can use information I already have to draw conclusions.
3. I can create questions to help me understand better.
4. I can determine themes/central ideas in a text and analyze how it develops.
5. I can analyze how characters in a text develop and contribute to my thinking.
6. I can identify literary elements in a text and analyze how they contribute to meaning and understanding.
7. I can make and express connections to what I read and experience in the classroom.
8. I can utilize the writing process to create well-developed writing samples in multiple genres.
9. I can combine different ideas, facts, and experience to form a single understanding.
10. I can participate effectively and respectfully in classroom discussions.

WELCOME TO

English 4/8



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expectations

be kind
work hard
try your best



Beginning of class → Take a seat, put your phone/headphones away, submit any assignments, complete the bell-ringer, and wait for further instruction.

During class → Be an active participant in your learning. Listen, collaborate, and ask questions. Respect yourself and others.

End of class → Stay in your seat until dismissal by a staff member. Submit exit ticket on your way out.

required materials



- ✓ 1 binder that will stay in the classroom
- ✓ Current novel/text
- ✓ A positive attitude
- ✓ Seriously though...good attitude and motivation.

grades

Do Now: 10%
Behavior/Attendance: 10%
Practice Work: 50%
Assessments: 30%

CORRECTIONS:

Graded work can be fixed and resubmitted to make up the missing points.

LATE WORK:

Practice work is accepted late only with the Tardy Assignment Reflection. Grades will be put in as a Zero until the assignment is submitted. Please utilize Pupilpath to keep up with your grades.

MAKE-UP WORK:

Make-up work is accepted ONLY with documentation. When absent, please check the website or speak to me for make-up work. **IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO RESCHEDULE MISSED ASSESSMENTS!**



technology

We will utilize Google Drive throughout the summer. If you do not have a Gmail account I would recommend making one. Please see me if you need help or if this will not work.



I will use my website to post work and expectations – the link is

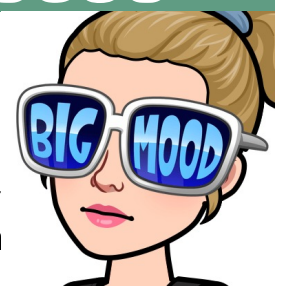
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academic dishonesty

Academic dishonesty will NOT be tolerated under any circumstances. Cheating, copying, or plagiarism of any form will result in the

following:

- failure of the assignment
- disciplinary referral
- parent contact



JUST DON'T DO IT.