English 12 Block 3/ C lunch

SYLLABUS: 2017-2018

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Course Length: 1 semester Fees: None

<u>Course Description:</u> This course is an English course, which will cover aspects of Humanities and Technical Literacy. This course will look at and discusses life's fundamental questions and experiences that human beings go through and prepare you for the world beyond high school. This course covers a range of subjects which include literature, history, philosophy, creative arts, mythology, film, and job readiness. You will experience a lot of writing, group work and individual work, verbal expression, research, and critical thinking.

<u>Daily Guidelines:</u> Here are a few basic guidelines of things you will need to know and do in addition to the rules and guidelines that are written in the school's handbook.

- Sit in your assigned seat. You will have an assigned seat for the year. It may change, if needed but please make sure you are in your seat by the bell. Let me know if you have a preference to sit towards the front of the classroom or away from the doors or windows so I can accommodate you.
- Raise your hand. If you have a question or something to say, please raise your hand and wait to be called on. You do not need to raise your hand to get up to sharpen your pencil or to throw something away, but please use good judgment on when it's appropriate to do these things.
- Watch the language. There are many alternatives to using cuss words. It is uncalled for in the classroom and will not be tolerated. The same goes for name calling, even if you think you are just kidding around with your best friend.
- ➤ <u>Be respectful of the teacher's belongings</u>. Do not touch items on the teacher's desk or any other adult's personal belongings. There are materials on the designated student supply table. (please make sure you return when finished.)

Materials Needed:

- ➤ 1 Binder
- Notebook paper
- Pens (black or blue ONLY) and pencils
- ➤ A positive attitude
- ➤ Tissues, hand sanitizer and Lysol wipes are not required but are appreciated (extra credit) ©

<u>Grading Policy:</u> If you would like to know your grade you can see them on Powerschool. I'll try to keep it updated on a daily basis. If you don't have access to powerschool, you can ask me for your grade. The school's grading scale will be followed. See below.

% Grade	Letter Grade
93-100	Α
90-92	Α-
87-89	B+
83-86	В
80-82	B-
77-79	C+
73-76	С
70-72	C-
67-69	D+
63-66	D
60-62	D-
59-0	F

<u>Homework Policy:</u> Homework will be assigned one or two days a week. However, if class time is not managed wisely, more work will need to be done outside of the classroom.

<u>Late Work/Absent Work Policy:</u> Homework is due on the assigned date at the start of class. If homework is not completed when I check it in, you will spend 5 minutes after class in my classroom. Late work will result in a loss of points. If you are absent you must get your work from the absent folder. It is <u>YOUR</u> responsibility to get your absent work from the folder and/or ask me what you missed.

Other Issues

- > 3 Tardies equals after school detention. 6+ equals Tuesday School
- No food or drink in class except water in a clear plastic bottle.
- Sleeping = don't do it
- ➤ Hall Passes- Please try to use the restroom before class. Hall passes will not be given out during instructional time (unless an absolute emergency)
- > Electronics are not permitted in my classroom, unless I authorize it. They must be put away at the start of class. You will receive one warning and one warning only. After your first warning, I will hold on to your phone until the end of the day. Continuous use of electronics when not authorized will result in having to have a parent come pick it up.

Parents Signature	Date		
Students Signature	Date		