

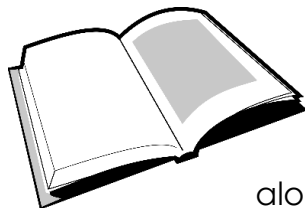
Miss Lee's

7TH Grade English Language Arts

----- Course syllabus 2019-2020 -----

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What we'll read in English

In English we will be reading and analyzing a number of short texts from our collections book, along with *four different novels, one per each unit*. We will also examine poetry, plays, and media sources to develop our literary perspective..

For text reminders about important information:

Text this code to **81010**:

@missleeela

In these courses, you will

- Practice project based learning
- Cite strong and thorough textual evidence
- Participate in Socratic discussions
- Write objective summaries
- Produce writing appropriate to various tasks and purposes
- Analyze character development
- Examine texts closely and independently



Assignments and grading

30%	Projects & Tests
30%	Classwork & participation
25%	Quizzes
15%	Homework

You will be graded on your participation in discussions, homework which will include required reading, classwork, performance task, test,s and many other forms of formative and summative assessments.

Expectations

Be respectful. Be responsible.
Be successful. Be successful.

Materials for ELA

- PAPER
- 1 ½' BINDER
- DIVIDERS (5)
- Highlighters(2 colors)
- Glue sticks OR personal tape
- Art Supplies: Crayons, Markers, OR Colo



Policies

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Late/make-up work policy



The expectation is that you submit all assignments on time. I accept late assignments for one day after the due date. You will lose 20% of your grade.

If you are absent, it is your responsibility to follow proper procedures to ensure that you receive your work. You will have two days to make up any missing assignments.

Projects may require time at home if the student is not able complete in class to meet the due date.

Technology

There will be times where technology is permitted in the classroom to use in a lesson. However, if it is not for use in the lesson, cell phones and other technology devices should be stowed away in the student's backpack. Students are also responsible for keeping up with their belongings.

Homework

Homework in this class is the same every week. Every Friday, unless communicated that there is no homework that week, students must turn in that week's vocabulary squares and a paragraph that answers a weekly question from the reading assignment from the Collections Textbook.

Other policies

- You may have bottled water in the classroom and a snack as long as it's not noisy or messy (Granola, crackers, ect.)
- Please raise your hand to speak.
- Do not interrupt valuable instruction to ask to go to the bathroom. Please wait for the designated bathroom time. Emergencies can be considered in moderation.
- Come prepared to class with your materials and a positive attitude.
- Arrive on time. If you are late, you will receive a verbal warning, After that, you face detention and possible referrals.
- Be respectful to everyone.
- Clean up after yourself.

Be respectful.

Be successful.