

ENGLISH IV - MRS. CAMPBELL

Language usage, written communications, and the study of English literature are the strong emphases for English IV students. The first semester will be the English Comp I curriculum from Labette Community College, and General Literature in the spring. All students have the opportunity to acquire 6 college credit hours, as long as they enroll through LCC. Students will prepare themselves for the SAT, ACT, and ASSESSMENT tests, college writing, and life-time writing. The second semester will be an introduction to literature -- the short story, poetry, and drama, -- is an adventure the students will experience and hopefully, develop good reading and analyzing habits. A variety of writing assignments, which includes creative and technical writing, will be given to enhance critical thinking. It is my goal that students will discover that reading, listening, oral and writing communication are life-time skills which are important to everyday living.

SUPPLIES NEEDED EVERYDAY FOR CLASS:

notebook for extra credit (DOL),
notebook paper,
pen or pencil,
and literature text

Literature text will be provided.

DISCIPLINE

CONSEQUENCES

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| 1. Be in your seat when the bell rings -- | Students not in seat will be tardy. |
| 2. Bring all needed materials to | You will not be allowed to go to your class locker to retrieve. |
| 3. No negativity OR profanity-writing or oral assignments | |
| Detention/office | |
| 4. No cheating | No credit (0 on assignment) |
| 5. All assignments are required, not optional-- | 15 Point deduction on late work. |
| Parents will be notified | if work is not turned in habitually. |
| 6. Absences -- Students are responsible for checking on work missed during an absence. During class time is not acceptable. Come before class time or during seminar. Work must be turned in BEFORE departing for a school-related absence. | |
| 7. Follow school rules on discipline, character and technology | |
| See Student Handbook | |
| (a) dress code (b) respect of fellow students and teacher | (c) computer |
| rules -- there will be no music, food, drinks, or head phones in library or writing labs (d) no gum | |

Writing Assignment Policy

Students must follow the directions given for each assignment. Failure to follow the directions will result in a 0. All writing assignments must be spell-checked and proofread. Failure to run spell check and proofread will result in a 0.

Rewrite Policy

Once a writing assignment has been returned, it may be rewritten to improve work and grade. The first rewrite must be turned in within two weeks. A rewrite due date will be posted on the board. Late rewrites will not be accepted. The original graded paper must be turned in with the rewrite or it will not be accepted. English IV students may rewrite only one time.

GRADING PROCEDURE

The Oswego-Service Valley Unified Schools will use the following grading system:

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|--------|---|---|
| 100-90 | - | A |
| 89-80 | - | B |
| 79-70 | - | C |
| 69-60 | - | D |
| 59-0 | - | F |

Student grades in English I will reflect the following breakdown:

Homework (Averaged) Quizzes (Averaged)
In Class Exercises (Averaged)
Small writing assignments (Averaged) Large writing assignments (Averaged)
Writing Project Tests (Individually weighted)
Oral Presentations (Averaged)

ENGLISH PRODUCTIONS - MRS. CAMPBELL

This elective class is an introduction in becoming an effective speaker. We will experience speaking person-to-person, person to audience and people to audience. We will gather information and deliver speeches for informing, persuading, and special occasions. We will perform oral interpretations, drama, radio programs, and television programs, and stage productions. The second semester is geared towards competitions. All students must attend three competitions including the league meet.

SUPPLIES NEEDED EVERYDAY FOR CLASS:

idea notebook
notebook paper,
pen or pencil,

DISCIPLINE

CONSEQUENCES

1. Be in your seat when the bell rings -- Students not in seat will be tardy.
2. Bring all needed materials to class. You will not be allowed to go to your locker to retrieve.
3. No profanity or sexual content-writing or oral assignments Detention/office--0 on assignment
4. No cheating No credit (0 on assignment)
5. All assignments are required, not optional-- Point deduction on late work. Parents will be notified if work is not turned in habitually.
6. Absences -- Students are responsible for checking on work missed during an absence. During class time is not acceptable. Come before class time or during seminar. Work must be turned in BEFORE departing for a school-related absence.
7. Follow school rules on discipline, character and technology
See Student Handbook
(a) dress code (b) respect of fellow students and teacher (c) computer rules -- there will be no music, food, drinks, or head phones in library or writing labs (d) no gum
8. No negativity toward class, classmates, assignments or teacher will be tolerated. Detention/office.

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Participation is a must in this class. -- You must be attendance to all out-of-school practices and performances, and you must attend at least three speech tournaments during the second semester, including the league tournament.

ENGLISH II - MRS. CAMPBELL

Language usage and the study of literature are the strong emphases for English II students. Students will prepare themselves for the PSAT, ACT, TAP, and ASSESSMENT tests by reviewing usage rules. An introduction to literature -- the short story, poetry, drama, and novel -- is an adventure the students will experience and develop good reading habits. Writing skills will be improved with assignments of the creative, research, editorial, narrative, etc., nature. Each nine weeks the students are assigned a project – book report – power point presentation, etc. Hopefully, students will discover that reading, listening, oral and writing communication are life-time skills that are important in everyday life.

SUPPLIES NEEDED EVERYDAY FOR CLASS:

notebook for extra credit,
notebook paper,
pen or pencil, and
literature text

Literature text and file for writing project will be provided.

DISCIPLINE

CONSEQUENCES

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3. No profanity or sexual content-writing or oral assignments Detention/office--0 on assignment
4. No cheating No credit (0 on assignment)
5. All assignments are required, not optional-- Point deduction on late work. Parents will be notified if work is not turned in habitually.
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8. No negativity toward class, classmates, assignments or teacher will be tolerated. Detention/office.

Writing Assignment Policy

Students must follow the directions given for each assignment. Failure to follow the directions will result in a 0. All writing assignments must be spell-checked and proofread. Failure to run spell check and proofread will result in a 0.

Rewrite Policy

Once a writing assignment has been returned, it may be rewritten to improve work and grade. The first rewrite must be turned in within two weeks. A rewrite due date will be posted on the board. Late rewrites will not be accepted. The original graded paper must be turned in with the rewrite or it will not be accepted. English II students may rewrite as many times as they like.

GRADING PROCEDURE

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| 69-60 | - | D |
| 59-0 | - | F |

Student grades in English II will reflect the following breakdown:

Homework (Averaged) Quizzes (Averaged)

In Class Exercises (Averaged)

Small writing assignments (Averaged) Projects

Large writing assignments (Averaged)

Writing Project Tests (Individually weighted)

Oral Presentations (Averaged)

Grammar/Vocabulary Tests and Quizzes

STANDARDS OF READING – MRS. CAMPBELL

Course Description: Basic reading skills, comprehension, and an understanding of the necessary skills required of the state assessment test will be main emphasis of this class. The students will have a basic understanding of expository, technical, narrative, and persuasive text structures. Exposure to context clues, inferences, main idea, figurative language, synonyms, antonyms, etc., will be used during the course. A variety of exercises will be used to check for understanding. Students will utilize the computer lab to take a variety of state assessments and/or to reinforce the current topic that is being taught in the classroom.

Course Objectives: The objectives used in this class are aligned with the standards and indicators set by the Kansas State Board of Education. Students are expected to become familiar with these standards and indicators.

Supplies Needed Every Day For Class:

Loose leaf folder

Notebook paper for lecture notes and activities

Pen or Pencil

A notebook will be kept for this class. The student will receive a grade for the content that is required in the notebook. Notes, written assignments, and daily written activities are to be kept in the notebook.

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7. Follow school rules on discipline, character and technology. See Student Handbook
 - (a) dress code
 - (b) respect of fellow students and teacher
 - (c) computer rules -- there will be no music, food, drinks, or head phones in library or writing labs
 - (d) no gum
8. **Detentions will be given for disrespect, negativity, and lack of motivation!**

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| 79-70 | C |
| 79-71 | D |
| 59-below | F |