

ENGLISH 3/3H/3S

syllabus

INSTRUCTOR: KAYLEE SCHWARZ

WHAT TO EXPECT

In English 3, we will study the literary history of the United States of America. We will travel through the early years of our nation to modern times. Essential questions such as "How does independence define the American spirit?", "How do journeys influence perspective?", "How does place shape the individual?", & "How do ideologies affect our lives?" will help us to develop into critical readers, thinkers, writers, and speakers. Join us on the hunt to discover what makes American literature American.

REQUIRED MATERIAL

iPad (charged)
Charger
Completed Homework
Novel (student choice)

EXPECTATIONS

- 1.) Show up to class prepared with all required materials.
- 2.) Plagiarism, use of AI, & cheating will not be tolerated; zeros will be given accordingly & parents/counselors/administration will be notified. See handbook for specific policy.
- 3.) iPads, other electronic devices, and ear buds/headphones are only to be used upon receiving permission/instructions to do so from Mrs. Schwarz.
- 4.) Students leaving for a school activity are required to communicate this and complete their work for the upcoming absence prior to being gone; students will receive a zero for not submitting work prior to absence or setting up a plan w/ Mrs. Schwarz to makeup the work.
- 5.) Students absent from school for excused sick days will receive two days for every one day absent. Students are responsible for communicating and collecting missed assignments. All assignments will be posted to Google Classroom & are the students' responsibility to be aware of.

CONTACT INFO

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Talking Points
Office Hours: 7:45 am - 3:45 pm
*Please email if more time is needed.

QUARTERLY GRADING

15% Projects
35% Daily Work (includes practice quizzes)
50% Major Work (papers/tests/quizzes)

SEMESTER GRADING

45% Quarter
45% Quarter
10% FINAL

LATE/REDO POLICY

-5% per day late (capped at 50% for major)
*In order to receive a redo, the student must talk to Mrs. Schwarz in person prior to submitting. No late-work redos, except on major assignments when approved by Mrs. Schwarz.