

Let's Get Our S*#@ Together!

Senior portfolio 2011-2012



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Classroom Policies

Attendance: As responsible students you are expected to attend class on a regular basis and be ON TIME. Your grade will reflect your attendance. If excessive absences or tardies occur there will be a student/teacher meeting to discuss a consequence.

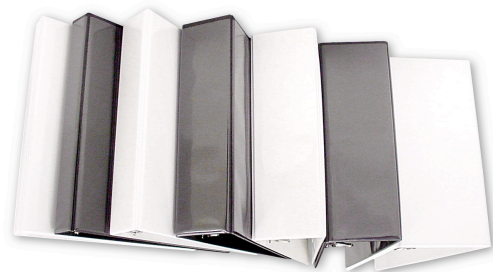
Absences: If you are absent, the first day that you come back (this includes Wednesdays), at the end of the class period please look into the absence folder on the wall labeled with your class period. Inside the folder there will be an envelope with your name and date of absence. The envelope will contain missed homework and/or missed classwork. You have 3 days, including weekend days, to turn in the make-up work for full credit.

Late Work: Points will be deducted each day that your work is late. You will stop receiving credit for any assignment one week after the original due date; exceptions will be made for excused absences.

Welcome to Senior Portfolio, Seniors!

Senior Portfolio is an English class, which will allow you to strengthen your writing skills with the completion of your college personal statement, scholarship essays, a cover letter, a learner's milestone essay and other reflective essays. You will also be required to keep an electronic journal that will be graded every two weeks.

This class will also expose you to career options, support you in the college application process and help prepare you for the ACT. The final product is the senior portfolio binder which is full of finished and polished required elements of each letter of the RESPECT framework accompanied by two types of final presentations: an oral reflection about personal and educational growth in tangent with the RESPECT framework and a PowerPoint research presentation which represents the "T" for transformation. The final portfolio (binder) and presentation will be evaluated by a group of panelists who determine whether a student has successfully completed the graduation benchmark.



Your Essential Supply list

1 □ “ Binder

75+ Sheet Protectors

8 Dividers

Student Planner

Senior Portfolio Folder

Magazine

Glue

Scissors

Crayons/Markers

Writing Utensil

