**English III CP Syllabus**

**Sharyland High School**

**2019-2020**

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**Conference:** 8:07-9:37 am **Tutoring**: Tue. & Thur. 7:25-7:55 a.m.

**Class Schedule:**

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| **Block** | **Class** | **Time** |
| **1** | **Conference** | **8:07-9:37** |
| **2** | **English I CP** | **9:44-11:14** |
| **3** | **JV/Freshmen Tennis** | **11:21-12:51** |
| **4** | **English III CP** | **1:33-2:18** |
| **5** | **Varsity Tennis** | **2:30-4:00** |

**Course Description:**

           This course focuses on developing an understanding of the foundations of literature and grammar. Students will study a survey of work by American authors in terms of literary, political and cultural perspectives. This course is designed to strengthen their skills in writing, vocabulary and speaking.

**Classroom Rules and Procedures:**

1.     Students will not be allowed to enter the classroom if they are violating the dress code.

2.     Upon arriving to class everyday students will sit in their assigned seats and begin the daily assignment, which will be listed on the board/screen.

3.     Students will raise their hands to speak in the class.

4.     Students will maintain respect for the teacher, as well as fellow classmates, at all times.

5.     Students will stay in assigned seats unless permission is granted to move around the room.

6.     Swearing, derogatory statements and inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated.

7.     Cell phones and all other electronic devices are not allowed unless the teacher allows you to use it.

8.   Assignments that are not submitted with the following criteria will not be accepted:

* Full name on top right hand corner
* Block
* Date
* Assignment Title
* Assignments must be on regular loose leaf notebook paper. No paper ripped or torn from spiral will be accepted.

**Writing Assignments:** *All writing assignments are to be typed in Times New Roman, 12 pt. font, unless otherwise stated.*

**Group Work:** *Learning will be a collaborative effort in this classroom. I expect you to respect your fellow classmates.*

**Late Assignments;**

        All assignments that are turned in after the original collection are considered late.

        All late assignments are due at the beginning of the next class period and will receive a deduction of 30 points.

**Required Materials: Bring to class every day!**

Pen and Pencil

Notebook Paper

**Required Materials for Class**

1 composition book (please put your name on it)

1 folder with pockets and brads (please put your name on it)

1 box of tissues

1 box of pencils

**Evaluation Methods and Grading Criteria:**

60% (Major Grades): Tests, Book Reports, Research Papers, Major Projects, Essays, TAKS Benchmarks.

40% (Minor Grades): Homework Assignments, Study Guides, Quizzes, Study Island and Journal Entries.

Statement for Academic Dishonesty:

Academic integrity is fundamental to the activities and principles of our school. No student shall cheat or copy the work of another. Plagiarism, the use of another person’s original ideas or writings as one’s own without giving credit to the true author, will be considered cheating, and the student will be subject to academic discipline that may include loss of credit for the work in question.