

English 9
English Department
Miss Schweitzer, Instructor

Course Description: English 9 is designed to emphasize the fundamentals of grammar, to develop the student's ability to think analytically, and to teach students how to write clearly and effectively. This course also seeks to build good character qualities while increasing enjoyment of good literature.

Textbooks:

Grammar and Composition IV – Student Workbook
World Literature

Schedule: This class will meet Monday to Friday during 4th hour.

Grading Factors:

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| ◆ Classwork: | 15% |
| ◆ Final: | 20% |
| ◆ Homework: | 10% |
| ◆ Papers: | 20% |
| ◆ Quizzes: | 15% |
| ◆ Tests: | 20% |

Grading Scale:

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| A | 92 – 100 |
| B | 84 – 91 |
| C | 75 – 83 |
| D | 66 – 74 |
| F | 0 – 65 |

Class Rules:

1. Be Prompt
2. Be Prepared
3. Be Productive
4. Be Polite

To ensure your success, I require that you bring the following items to class daily:*

- ◆ Textbooks
- ◆ 3-ring binder with tab dividers (Notes, Tests, Quizzes)
- ◆ Loose-leaf 8 ½ X 11 college-ruled paper
- ◆ Three pens (two blue/black, one red)

**Failure to meet these requirements will result in demerits for being unprepared for class.*

Class Policies:

- ◆ All school textbooks must be properly covered at all times.*
- ◆ All assignments must be handed in on time or receive a ten percent penalty.
- ◆ Assignments not handed in within one week will receive zero points.

**Literature book only*