

# English 10 Syllabus

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**Extra Help:** Wednesday after school or by appointment

## What you will learn

English 10 focuses on developing students into independent **readers**, analytical **thinkers**, and proficient **writers**, who can share ideas to understand and be understood.

## Academic Goals

### Reading

**Goal:** I can read closely and analyze texts deeply, using Notice & Note signposts to gain insight and understanding.

**Application :** You will be required to read the texts in class in small groups and individually. You will be responsible for responding to the Notice & Note prompts in the readings.

### Writing

**Goal:** I can write clear, complete, and accurate responses to fiction and nonfiction texts and support them with relevant and specific details.

**Application :** In order to increase your writing skills and stamina, you will write shorter, daily responses and longer pieces in Writable at the end of each unit.

**Textbook:** HMH Into Literature which can be accessed online through Clever

### Assessment

**Goal:** I can earn a proficient score on the Keystone Exam in May and successfully complete unit assessments.

**Application :** You will demonstrate your understanding of literary topics through individual story quizzes, unit tests, and ultimately the Literature Keystone in May.

## How You Will be Graded



### Classwork

Do Nows,  
Text Analysis Questions



### Writing

Constructed Responses



### Assessment

Selection Quizzes,  
Unit Tests

### About Grading...

#### Schoology Gradebook:

Check most recent grades on specific assignments, and keep track of what you turned in and what might be missing.

A B C D F  
100-90 89-80 79-70 69-65 64 ↓

#### Infinite Campus:

Check overall grade at the end of every week after Schoology is synced with IC.

# English 10 Expectations

## Need Help?

- \*Say, "excuse me," and ask.
- \*Send me an email in Schoology
- \*Come to Extra Help Wednesday after school, or we can plan ahead for a different time. Seriously, I ❤️ questions.



## How you need to act in here

Following the rules will result in classroom success and PBIS points!

Be Respectful

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Be Responsible

3pts

Be Resilient

3pts

## CLASS RULES:

1. Pay attention and complete assignments
2. Use positive manners:  
Keep words and actions kind  
Keep room and language clean
3. Follow the Dress Code
4. Be on time for class
5. Keep your phone away and silent

Not following the rules will result in the consequences listed below:

1. Warning
2. Warning
3. Teacher Detention
4. Behavior Referral

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1. Warning
2. Warning
3. Parent Contact
4. Teacher Detention
5. Behavior Referral

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1. Reminder
2. Warning
3. Confiscation

## Do your own work.

Copying information from other students that I had provided for them to copy (vocabulary definitions/examples) is okay.

Copying responses or answers that other students figured out for themselves is not okay.

Copying information you find on the web is only okay if you are assigned to research outside resources. In that case, you would have to use quotes and cite it properly.

It might be difficult, but it's not too difficult. You can do this.