

# SENIOR SEMINAR SYLLABUS

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Room A-105

## RESOURCES

- My Readiness Coach and School Connect

## MATERIALS NEEDED

Chrome book (charged), writing instrument, and notebook.

## EXTRA HELP

Mondays 8:10-8:40 am (ask for a pass)

## TOPICS

- Developing Employability Skills
- Planning for Higher Education
- Surviving a Tech World
- Setting Goals
- Four-Year Colleges and Universities
- Career Schools and Technical Education
- Community College Pathways
- Military Pathways
- Workforce Readiness
- Entrepreneurship
- Financial Aid and Scholarships

## TEACHER EXPECTATIONS

Students are expected to...

1. ...prepared for class and ready to participate.
2. ...complete all notes, assignments, and assessments.
3. ...study, review material daily, and seek extra help when needed.
4. ...raise hands, speak at appropriate times, use appropriate voice and language.
5. ... respect all technology and follow school/district policies.

## HALL PASSES

- Teacher discretion will be used for all hall passes.
- Pass privileges may be revoked for excessive use or abuse.
- 10-10 rule in effect (4th period - no pass after 3:25).

## GRADING

- Assignments are given daily.
- Late assignments will not be accepted unless due to an excused absence.
- Students will prepare for assessments (tests and quizzes) by taking notes, completing assignments, participating in class reviews, reviewing/studying daily, and by taking advantage of extra help.
- Tests will be scheduled (advance notice of at least 2 days) and must be completed within given time frame.
- Students can retake tests by following the district's retest policy.

The final grade is computed by averaging the percentages earned each of the four quarters.

## ABSENCES

Students are responsible for all work missed during an absence (this includes notes). Work missed due to an unexcused absence will receive a "0" (see discipline policy). Excused/Unexcused absences will be determined by the attendance office and posted on Infinite Campus.

### Grading Scale

A	95-100
A-	90-94
B	85-89
B-	80-84
C	75-79
C-	70-74
D	65-69
F	51-64.4

**ALL WORK IS TO BE NEAT, LEGIBLE, AND WITH STEPS SHOWN**

### PBIS Points

Be Respectful - 1 point for completing academic task

Be Responsible - 3 points for arriving to class on time

(3 more points from arriving on time from 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> lunch)

Be Resilient - 3 points for having your phone silent and away during the entire class period/bell to bell