

## ELA EL SEC English Language Arts for English Learners Newcomer

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Welcome to Mrs. Casey's ELA EL NEWCOMER class!

This class is English Language Arts (ELA) for English learners (EL) Newcomer class! This class will help students who are new to the country learn basic reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills in the English language. We will also work on building English vocabulary and foundational reading skills.

## **English Language Skills:**

- Reading
- Writing
- Speaking
- Listening

## **Expectations:**

- ✔ Pay attention, participate, complete your work, and try your best.
- ✓ Practice your English language skills- reading, writing, speaking, and listening. This is your opportunity to be with other students who are also learning English. Take advantage of the time together to practice your English skills.
- ✓ Ask questions if you don't understand. Come to special help if needed.

## Grading:

Tests/Quizzes: 40%
Classwork: 50%
Homework: 10%

<u>Tests/Quizzes</u>: Tests and quizzes are given to assess your knowledge and skills. They make up 40% of your final grade.

<u>Classwork:</u> Classwork is given daily to help you learn and practice knowledge and skills. Classwork is 50% of your final grade.

<u>Homework:</u> Homework assignments are given to practice what you learn in class. Homework will be graded for completion. It is important that you use your homework as a way to practice NOT to copy from others. Homework is 10% of your final grade.