

English IV

1 credit

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Course description:

Welcome to English IV! In this class, we will explore all areas of language arts. This includes literature, writing, speaking, grammar, and vocabulary. This course is designed to help you improve your skills and abilities in English to prepare you for college, technical school, and/or work beyond high school.

Course text:



- *Glencoe Literature: The Reader's Choice, British Literature*
 - Textbooks will stay in the classroom unless you need to check one out. Access the online student edition at:
<http://www.glencoe.com/ose/>
 - Access Code: **C1CFD5EDBD**
 - Sections of your book can be saved to your tablets for offline access
- Any supplemental materials needed to cover course content including novels, short stories, articles, essays, and more

Items to be covered:

- British literature
- Other literature
- Student-led discussions
- Literature circles
- Writing
- Presentations
- Vocabulary
- Grammar
- Senior portfolio
- Technology
- And more!

Expectations:

***Respect:** You are expected to treat everyone and everything in this school with respect; this includes yourself, other students, teachers, staff, substitutes, visitors, and property. What does respect look like to you?

***Effort:** If you put forth honest effort in this class, you will find success. I am willing to help: E-mail me, call me, come in before school, after school, during 1c, or 7th period!

Late work policy:

All assignments need to be handed in on time. Late assignments will receive half credit or less. In the grade book missing assignments will be recorded as a zero until they are turned in. You have two weeks from the due date to turn your late assignment in for half credit. Two weeks after the due date of your assignment, you will receive a zero. *Remember that some points are better than ZERO points! It is always beneficial to you to finish an assignment, even if late!*

Plagiarism:

Plagiarism will not be tolerated.

Policy on plagiarism: You will receive a zero for the assignment.

What is plagiarism?

*Using another person's ideas or words and claiming they are your own.

*DO NOT:

-Directly copy another person's words without properly quoting or citing the source.

-Change another person's words slightly without giving that person credit.

-Use work created by another person and claim it is yours.

Grades:

Deubrook grading scale:

A	=94-100%
B	=86-93%
C	=75-85%
D	=65-74%
F	=64>

