



Mrs. Brown * Room 200 * 8th Resource ELAR

Teague Junior High Syllabus 2025-2026

What will we study?

- ✓ Unit 1: Fundamentals of Communication
- ✓ Unit 2A: Analyzing and Composing Literary/Narrative Nonfiction and Fiction
- ✓ Unit 2B: Analyzing and Composing Literary Texts: Analyzing and Composing Informational Texts Poetry and Drama
- ✓ Unit 3: Analyzing and Crafting Informational Texts
- ✓ Unit 4: Rhetorically Analyzing and Composing Argumentative Texts
- ✓ Unit 5: Interpretation and Response across Genres
- ✓ Unit 6: Research-Based Synthesis, Creation, and Innovation

*In Texas special education, a Resource Program (or Resource Class) is an instructional arrangement for students who receive intensive, specially designed instruction in a separate setting from the general education classroom

What will we do?

- ✓ Lessons with Notes
- ✓ Individual/Group Work
- ✓ Written assignments/Logs
- ✓ Use technology - websites
- ✓ Vocabulary
- ✓ Projects
- ✓ Curriculum used:
 - TEKS Resource/TCMPC
 - Lexia
 - Ed Puzzle
 - IXL
 - ReadWorks

*This syllabus is subject to change and is used as a guide for students and families to understand expectations and objectives for a successful learning experience in ELAR.

Bring everyday (kept in the classroom):

- ✓ Highlighter-yellow
- ✓ A Library Book
- ✓ Red pen and map colors
- ✓ Paper- Composition Book
- ✓ Student Folder

Every Grade Counts!

35% Tests/Quizzes/Lexia
55% Daily Assignments/Warm Ups
10% Notes

*Late work One day=10% for each day late. After 5 days no work accepted

Absence Policy-School Policy

A=90-100 B=80-89 C=70-79 D=60-69 F=59 and below

Classroom Norms:

- ✓ Be Prepared
- ✓ Be Respectful
- ✓ Be Engaged
- ✓ Act safely-Make Good Choices
- ✓ No cell devices-must be in backpacks at all times

Hallway Norms:

- ✓ Walk With A Purpose
- ✓ Be Respectful
- ✓ Act safely-Make Good Choices
- ✓ Keep Noise To a Minium

Absent?

- ✓ Look on Google Classroom for the Agenda, list of assignments, for the day(s) you were absent.
- ✓ Ask for any handouts or sheets you need

Need Help?

- ✓ Ask for HELP when you need it!
- ✓ Raise Your Hand When You Need to Speak so you can be addressed
- ✓ Schedule a Tutorial or Retake.

Communication

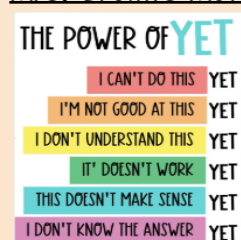
- ✓ Letter
- ✓ Progress Report
- ✓ Phone
- ✓ Email/Text
- ✓ Conference

Reading

- ✓ Reading nightly is important 10-15 minutes
- Library Book/Comics/Magazine**
- ✓ Any work not completed in class will need to be done outside of the classroom in order to get a better grade
 - ✓ If you have a personal device you can do your Lexia at home or any work to get ahead

Teacher Information:

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Cell-Parents Only 254-709-7715 (Text Me Anytime)

Mrs. Brown's Motto**Parent/Guardian Information**

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print)

Email

Cell

Parents/Guardians are encouraged to check SKYWARD FAMILY ACCESS

Please Circle One

YES/NO

My child's picture can be posted on Facebook and or on the School Website that are taken at school or on trips.

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Student Signature
