



Hays CISD Home Learning

Charles Sears - English Language Arts - Impact Center

Google Classroom Links:

[English 1](#)

[English 2](#)

[English 3](#)

[English 4](#)

All students should already be enrolled in Mr. Sears's Google Classroom, as he was using this platform before the mandated school closures. If your student was not enrolled, [find the Google Classroom codes here.](#)

Week of:

Semana:

Office Hours/

Horas de oficina: **10:00 - 11:00 am**

Announcements and Important Links/

Anuncios y enlaces importantes:

[Sears IMPACT morning session](#)

[Sears IMPACT afternoon session](#)

English 1

Sessions:

Monday 9:00-9:30am

Tu/Th 9:00-10:00am

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Monday/ lunes	Students will conference about their writing they have turned in so far.	1. Writing Conference	
Tuesday/ martes	Continue working on and answers questions about Poet Study Project	1. Go over Poet Study Project Instructions 2. Start filling in Poet Study Project Planner	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week
Thursday/ jueves	Study the difference between Teacher gives suggestions on how to create the final product.	1. Continue working on the planner. 2. Start creating student presentations on Google Slides or Prezi .	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week

Week 4			
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Week 3			
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Monday/ lunes	Students will conference about their writing this week. Last Friday they should have turned in a poem.	1. Writing Conference 2. Review Figurative Language Terms 3. Study for Quiz	Quizlet Fig Language Flashcards
Tuesday/ martes	Review Figurative Language Study and internalize idioms, similes, hyperbole, alliteration, metaphors, personification, onomatopoeias, and oxymorons	1. Study for Quiz 2. Take Quiz 3. Writing Conference	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week
Thursday/ jueves	Use ISHAMPOO notes to analyze two poems.	1. Read "Mountains" and "Pineapple" poems together as a class. 2. Analyze author's use of figurative language and how it ties into the theme of each poem and the	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week



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Monday/ lunes	OFF		
Tuesday/ martes	Review Figurative Language Study and internalize idioms, similes, hyperbole, alliteration, metaphors, personification, onomatopoeias, and oxymorons	Go over ISHAMPOO figurative language notes Turn in Personal examples of ISHAMPOO figurative language	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week
Thursday/ jueves	Use ISHAMPOO notes to create a poem with one example of each form of figurative language.	Create compelling ODE to a beloved family member or pet using ISHAMPOO figurative language	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week

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Tuesday/ martes	Review Annotation Guide Intro Annotation Guide Pre-Quiz	Students turn in Annotation Guide Pre-Quiz	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week
Wednesday/ miercoles	Use Annotation Guide while reading article "Coping Mechanisms"	Read "Coping Mechanisms" Questions	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week
Thursday/ jueves	Use Annotation Guide while reading article "Coping Mechanisms"	Complete Quiz over "Coping Mechanisms"	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week
Friday/ viernes	Internalize the strategies for annotating a text	Game!	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week

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Tuesday/ martes	Read "The Danger of a Single Story" OR watch the TED Talk video. Identify key parts of the talk that make it an effective argument.	1. Read "The Danger of a Single Story." 2. Discuss the way the author structures her argument. 3. Answer comprehension and analyzation questions on CommonLit handout.	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week
Thursday/ jueves	Use strategies for identifying key parts of an effective argument. Compare and contrast the different articles read in class and apply that knowledge to reflect on these pieces.	1. Finish answering comprehension and analyzation questions on CommonLit handout. 2. Preview Poetry Notes	Noredink.com MackinVIA Article of the Week

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