

ELA-EDGE C

2023-2024

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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Students will be working with an intervention reading, writing and oral response program. "EDGE" English is student-center literature-based course that integrates reading, writing, listening and thinking skills. Students will read and respond to historically and culturally significant works.

CLASSROOM RULES:

- 1) Be respectful and considerate toward everyone and all property in the classroom.
- 2) Participate
- 3) Be on time – which means to be seated and attentive before the tardy bell rings.
- 4) Be prepared – bring ALL necessary materials and homework to class EVERYDAY.
- 6) No hats or hoods.
- 7) Be honest – make your own best effort.
- 8) Be KIND

SUGGESTED MATERIALS:

Students should bring the following materials to class each day:

- 1) Notebook: One-subject, size 8 ½" x 11", college-rule (with or without pockets). 8 ½ x 11" is a MUST; anything smaller will not be suitable.
- 2) Other Materials: at least two pens (blue or black ink), at least two sharp pencils with erasers, a highlighter, and a colored pen for correcting work.
- 3) Planner/Agenda (provided by Pacifica)

GRADING

Students will be graded using a point system. All class assignments, tests, quizzes, and projects will be assigned a point value based on importance. All assignments must be completed on time and turned in to receive credit.

Test & Quizzes - 60%

Homework/Classwork – 40%

Letter grades will be determined using the following scale:

A = 100-90% B = 89-80% C = 79-70% D = 69-60% F = 59-0%

TARDINESS

Students are expected to be in the classroom with required materials when the bell rings. If the student is not inside the door, he/she will be marked tardy. Review Pacifica High School tardy policy for consequences.

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Attendance is an important part of the student's experience in this class. If a student is absent, he/she must clear the absence in the attendance office BEFORE returning to class. Review Pacifica High School attendance policy for consequences.

ABSENCES & MAKE-UP WORK

If you are absent on the day an assignment is due and you knew about it, you must turn in the assignment the day you return to class. Turn in makeup work as soon as possible.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Useful links, school website www.pacificamariners.com.

It is the student's responsibility to obtain assignments if he/she is going to be absent from class. Take responsibility!