

BASIC ENGLISH GRAMMAR

Instructor: Mrs. Stephanie Anderson

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Course Length: One Year

Course Description: This is a course on composition skills. It will show you, step by step, how to write a good sentence and complete a paragraph, understand parts of speech and writing short stories. There will also be studies on vocabulary building and reading comprehension.

Course Objectives:

- *Write good, complete sentences
- *Build interesting paragraphs
- *Write clear descriptions and opinions
- *Learn and understand parts of speech
- *Read and comprehend

Course Content:

- Writing Sentences
- Writing Paragraphs
- Writing Short Stories
- Writing Letters
- Building Vocabulary Skills
- Reading and Comprehension Skills

Course Evaluation:

- Daily Work
- Workbook Assignments
- Tests

Grades:

A	93%-100%
A-	90%-92%
B+	87%-89%
B	83%-86%
B-	80%-82%
C+	77%-79%
C	69%-75%
C-	65%-68%
D	50%-64%
F	0%-49%

Work turned in late (after 5 school days) will be counted at 50%. Corrected work will be averaged

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Expectations:

RESPECT

- Towards other students, the teacher, or anyone else.
- Towards the material covered in and out of class.
- Towards maintaining a positive learning environment.

ORDER

- Must receive permission before leaving the classroom
- Speak and listen when appropriate
- Keep control of distracting behaviors (personal belongings, food and drinks)
- Cell phones are not allowed in class. Phones will be taken after a verbal warning is given. Phones will be returned after class.
- Daily attendance is expected. Missing more than 11 classes per semester will mean failing the class. Students more than 15 mins late will be given an absence (This includes excused and non-excused absences)
- Head phones are not allowed

Cheating:

Cheating will not be allowed or tolerated! There will be no sharing answers or copying of other students work! No talking during tests.

“Writing means sharing. It’s part of the human condition to want to share things- thoughts, ideas, and opinions”

Paulo Ceolho