**English 3**

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**Classroom Expectations**

I expect these things of myself and therefore expect you to follow them too. Adhering to these expectations will ensure a safe, fun, and productive learning environment.

Responsible students…

1. Respect themselves and others.
2. Show up on time.
3. Use appropriate language.
4. Wear the required lab uniform.
5. Use technology as a tool, not a distraction.\*
6. Refrain from eating and drinking during class.
7. Complete work during Work Days.

**Discipline Policy**

* 1st Offense: “Everybody gets one.”
* 2nd Offense: Complete a “Behavior Evaluation Form”
* 3rd Offense: Call parent/guardian
* 4th Offense: Discipline Referral

*Bullying, fighting and any other comments/actions that violate a student’s right to a safe and productive learning environment will not be tolerated in this classroom. Failure to uphold this standard will immediately result in a discipline referral and/or removal from my classroom.*

**\*Cell Phone Discipline Policy**

Because cell phones have become such a major distraction, they have their own discipline policy.

* 1st Offense: Warning
* 2nd Offense: Lose eligibility to earn extra credit for the quarter ***and*** complete a “Behavior Evaluation Form”
* 3rd Offense: Call parent/guardian
* 4th Offense: Discipline Referral

The following cell phone related actions are prohibited from occurring at any point and will result in a discipline referral and/or removal from my classroom:

1. Receiving/making a phone call.
2. Taking a picture.
3. Recording a video/sound.

**Required Materials**

Please have the following items with you each day of class:

* Pen or pencil
* Paper
* Book to read

**Procedures**

* *Class website*: **www.mrdalsky.weebly.com**. Our website will be used to…
	1. Keep track of what we did in class
	2. Be a resource for class topics
	3. Download documents during class
	4. Preview what’s to come in the future
* *Classroom library*: All of the books are available for you to check out. Make sure to use the orange binder to sign them out. If you lose or damage a book, you will no longer be able to borrow any books.
* *Folder container*: I have containers in my classroom for folders. If you would like to bring in a folder for your English papers, you can store it in my classroom.
* *Laptops*: You will each be assigned a number that corresponds to a laptop. A list of names and laptop numbers is posted on the laptop cart. Please use your assigned laptop each time we need them. If damage occurs to a laptop, I will hold the appropriate person responsible. Laptops are ***never*** to leave our classroom. I will occasionally conduct a laptop check to determine if you are using the correct laptop.
* *Late work*: I do not accept late work. If you do not turn in an assignment or essay the day it is due, it will be worth 0 points. (Excused absences are an exception.)
* *Making-up work*: If you are absent, see me and we will decide on an appropriate due date for the work you missed.
* *Music:* As long as you have headphones, feel free to listen to music when we are completing individual tasks.
* *Restroom usage*: Please ask before leaving to go to the restroom.

**Grading**

The following grading scale will be used:

92-100 = A 82-91 = B 72-81 = C 60-71 = D 0-59 = F

**Plagiarism**

Plagiarism will not be tolerated. Anyone who plagiarizes will earn a 0 on that assignment. If plagiarism occurs a second time, that student will receive a discipline referral.