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8th Grade Language Arts

**Frequently Asked Questions**

1. **Do you give a lot of homework?**

*I usually give homework two to three times a week. I do not give homework on the weekends. I do assign projects every six week period. You will need to work on your projects throughout the six week period in order to ensure it is finished on time.*

1. **What materials do I need to bring to class?**

*Always bring your binder, loose-leaf paper, pens, highlighters and textbook to class. In addition, you may want to bring the novel we are reading in class. After you have completed an assignment, you may have time at the end of class to read independently.*

1. **What will we cover in class?**

*The Syllabus attachment contains the topics we will cover each six-week period. Also included is the grading scale and weights of tests, quizzes, classwork, homework, and projects.*

1. **Do you give extra credit?**

*I will give extra credit points on tests and quizzes. In addition, if you want to bring your grade up in the class, I will give you an extra credit assignment that will count as a test grade.*

1. **How many tests do you give and what are they like?**

*You will two to three tests per six-week period. While the tests will contain short answer and matching questions, there will also be essay questions which you will have to answer in five to six complete sentences that demonstrate your comprehension of the topic.*