

# Course Syllabus

## Franklin High School

2020-2021

Course Overview	
Instructor Name: Tyler Riggs	Contact Info: triggs@pps.net
Grade Levels: 9-12	
Credit Type: ELA/Science	# of credits per semester: 1
Prerequisites (if applicable): none	
General Course Description: Students work to build	skills in: Phonemic Awareness and Phonics.
Word Recognition and Spelling, Vocabulary, Gramm	
Writing.	
Prioritized National/State Standards:	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.R.1 Read closely to determ	
logical inferences from it; cite specific textual evider	nce when writing or speaking to support
conclusions drawn from the text.	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.R.2 Determine central ide	•
development; summarize the key supporting details	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.R.3 Analyze how and why	individuals, events, or ideas develop and
interact over the course of a text. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.R.4 Interpret words and p	braces as they are used in a text including
determining technical, connotative, and figurative n	
choices shape meaning or tone.	nearings, and analyze now specific word
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.R.5 Analyze the structure	of texts, including how specific sentences
paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a s	
other and the whole.	,,,,,
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.R.6 Assess how point of vi	ew or purpose shapes the content and style of
a text.	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.1 Write arguments to s	upport claims in an analysis of substantive
topics or texts using valid reasoning and relevant an	d sufficient evidence.
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.2 Write informative/ex	planatory texts to examine and convey complex
ideas and information clearly and accurately throug	h the effective selection, organization, and
analysis of content.	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.3 Write narratives to de	
using effective technique, well-chosen details and w	•
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.5 Develop and strength	nen writing as needed by planning, revising,
editing, rewriting, or trying a new approach.	
CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.CCRA.W.10 Write routinely over extended time frames (time for research,	
reflection, and revision) and shorter time frames (a	single sitting or a day or two) for a range of
tasks, purposes, and audiences.	



#### **Course Details**

#### Learning Expectations

Materials/Texts

Computer and access to the internet

Course Content and Schedule:

Informative writing on a topic of importance to the student.

Expository writing on a person or character of importance to the student.

Reading, vocabulary, and comprehension activities around public parks.

Reading, vocabulary, and comprehension activities around changes occurring on Earth.

Differentiation/accessibility strategies and supports (TAG, ELL, SpEd, other):

Ability to represent work on paper, Google Docs, Slides, and verbally.

Work differentiated to allow students the ability to demonstrate their knowledge on fewer and/or simplified problems.

Work extended to allow students who have already mastered or are progressing at a faster rate than peers towards lesson/unit objectives opportunities to extend and apply learning further.

One:one or small group support for students from paras and teacher.

Safety issues and requirements (if applicable):

n/a

Classroom norms and expectations:

- Show up on time and ready to learn
- Keep environment free of distractions
- Be respectful to yourself and others

### Evidence of Course Completion

Assessment of Progress and Achievement:

Summative project at the end of each unit

Formative checks during class during check-ins with paras and teacher

Progress Reports/Report Cards (what a grade means):

A- Excellent; student demonstrates skills >90% of time

B- Highly performing; student demonstrates skills >80% of time

C- Performing; student demonstrates skills >70% of time

D- Minimally performing; student demonstrates skills >60% of time

F- Failing; student demonstrates skills >50% of time

I- Student present in class less than 50% of time; student not present enough to demonstrate essential skills

Career Related Learning Experience (CRLEs) and Essential Skills:

Opportunities to interact with vocational writing speaking to students strengths and beliefs. Reading and comprehension activities related to current events in social studies, current events, and science.

**Communication with Parent/Guardian** 

What methods are used to communicate curriculum, successes, concerns, etc.? Unit and daily lesson assignments communicated over Google Docs and/or over Canvas. Reminders sent out over Remind.

Personal Statement and other needed info

