

YEARBOOK JOURNALISM

Room 109

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Course

Studio Policies

Overview

This is a Journalism course. Students will be required to interview and write articles for potential publishing in the yearbook.

Students will be exposed to format, caption, headline, and layout, as well as templates and spreads. Students will complete the spreads for the various sections of the yearbook and **MUST** adhere to deadlines, in order to have the book published and shipped in time for graduation.

1. Come to class prepared with a pen/pencil, eraser and notebook everyday.
2. You are responsible for your materials as well as maintenance and cleanliness of the classroom.
3. This is a safe zone classroom. Bullying, teasing, and negative commentary are not welcome in this room.
4. This classroom enforces school rules and regulations.
5. Cell Phones may NOT be used.
6. Students may be asked to work on pages outside of the class, however most of the work will be done during the class period.
7. Students are asked not to discuss the book outside of class so it can be a surprise at the end of the school year.

Grading

30% Spreads/Projects (Tests)

Yearbook Spreads will be assessed using the following criteria:

Cohesion to the main concept of the book

Correct and accurate information

Creativity & Aesthetics

Cooperation with partner

5% Participation/Preparation

This will be assessed by the amount of work that is completed at the end of the class.

20%each Homework & Quizzes

Students will be required to conduct interviews, polls and surveys to add interest to the book, these will all be graded as either a quiz or homework however, not all of them will be used in the book.

25% Quarterly Exam

Students are required to complete a quarterly exam, which may consist of a written assignment or PowerPoint presentation.

Course Objectives

Have knowledge of and be able to explain various vocabulary related to the yearbook.

Have knowledge of and be able to create a layout and spread.

Have an understanding and awareness of good composition.

Demonstrate organizational techniques for laying out the yearbook.

Meet deadlines and create a final book.

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I have read and understand the outlined expectations of the course syllabus for Yearbook Journalism

Student Name (print)

Student Signature

Student Email

Parent/Guardian Name (s) (print)

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