

## 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE HONORS ENGLISH

Helpful information before your commitment

This is a class for freshman students who want to challenge themselves in English Language Arts. The class consists of reading and analyzing different styles of prose as well as practicing different writing styles including a focus on literary analysis.

If you enroll in 9<sup>th</sup> grade Honors English please expect about 20 minutes to 35 minutes of homework a night. The class has daily work, which is expected to be completed the next day, as well as weekly work which is due on Friday. This usually pertains to studying for a weekly Vocabulary quiz. In addition, there are monthly or even quarterly projects that need to be worked on simultaneously with the daily and weekly work. This all means that you need to be able to organize and use your time well and efficiently in English while balancing your work in other classes and your extra-curricular activities.

There is a summer homework assignment posted on the Glacier Peak website in the spring before school is out. The expectation is that the summer homework is completed before class meets on the first day of the school year.

If you have any questions about the course, please feel free to contact me at Gerald.christensen@sno.wednet.edu

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