



Speech & Debate
Class Rules, Grading Policy, And Materials

I. Rules/ Norms of Classroom Behavior

● **BE HERE**

*Regularly
On Time
With Your Materials
Ready To Work*

● **BE HONEST**

*With Your Teacher
With Your Peers
With Yourself*

● **BE RESPECTFUL**

Of Classroom Participants and Environment

● **BE RESPONSIBLE**

Know and Follow Rules, Policies and Procedures

II. Grading Policy

I will not tolerate any form of academic dishonesty. Students guilty of academic dishonesty will receive a zero for the assignment in addition to a referral

- Class work – 1 grade
- Homework – 2 grades – you will have a minimum of one (1) homework assignment per week
- Quizzes – 3 grades
- Performance Exams – 3 – 4 grades
- Tests – 4 grades
- Projects – grades will vary – rubrics will be provided
- Extra Credit is occasionally offered but not guaranteed
- Make-up Work – will be provided for excused absences only. When a student is absent from class they will have three (3) days upon their return to submit missed work. Quizzes and Tests can be made up before school, after school or during lunch only.

III. Materials

- Black or Blue Ink Pens
- Paper
- Highlighter
- 3 Ring Binder
- 3 Dividers – Labeled – Handouts, Vocabulary, Notes
- Timer / Stopwatch
- National Forensic League Fee - \$15

* Other materials you may need will be identified as needed or provided

** Bring your materials to class EVERYDAY. I don't own CVS or Walgreens, so I don't have extra pens and paper to give out everyday.