English 1 Mrs. Upah Smith

English 1	
1st Semester Priorities → RL.9-10.1 - Textual Evidence → RL.9-10.2 - Theme → W.9-10.3 - Narrative Writing → W.9-10.4 - Coherent Writing → SL.9-10.1 - Collaborative Discussion → SL.9-10.5 - Digital Media → SL.9-10.6 - Interviews	2nd Semester Priorities → RL.9-10.1 - Textual Evidence → RL.9-10.4 - POV → RL.9-10.7 - Analyze a Subject → W.9-10.2 - Informative Writing → W.9-10.7 - Research → W.9-10.10 - Timed Writing → SL.9-10.4 - Presentation → SL.9-10.5 - Digital Media
Students will: Analyze Romeo & Juliet Participate in group projects Present information as a group Develop visual aids using digital media Create a resume Participate in a mock interview Develop writing as a whole	Students will: Read & analyze The Princess Bride Develop writing in a time limit Present their research to a group Develop visual aids using digital media Greek Mythology Informative writing

English 2 Priority Standards 2024-2025 Ms. Maggie Smith

English 2	
1st Semester Priorities → RL 9-10.5 Plot Structure → W 9-10.3 Narrative Writing → RI 9-10.1 Citing Evidence → W 9-10.7 Conduct Research → SL 9-10.5 Digital Media Presentation → W 9-10.2 Informational Writing	2nd Semester Priorities → W 9-10.10 Timed Writing → RI 9-10.2 Central Idea → SL 9-10.4 Present Information → W 9-10.1 Argument Writing → RL 9-10.1 Citing Evidence → RL 9-10.2 Identifying Theme → RL 9-10.3 Analyzing Characters
 Students will: Read fictional short stories and analyze the structure Write short stories Utilize sensory and description language Understand plagiarism and the ways to avoid it Learn the CRAAP test and apply it to research Research skills Learn about and create claims Utilize digital media to create projects and presentations Good speaking characteristics 	 Students will: Read information articles Identify and analyze the central idea and theme of written works Use ethos, pathos, and logos as methods of persuasion Write persuasive speech Cite evidence from research to support claims Read a class novel Analyze characters and their growth over the course of a novel

English 3 Priority Standards 2024-2025

English 3

1st Semester Priorities

- → W.11-12.10 Writing Diagnostics
- → W.11-12.3 Narrative Writing
- → SL.11-12.6 Speech Adaptation
- → RI.11-12.7 Analyze Origins
- → SL.11-12.4 Present Information
- → RL.11-12.1 Citing Evidence
- → SL. 11-12.2 Using Multiple Sources

2nd Semester Priorities

- → W.11-12.1 Persuasive Writing
- → W.11-12.4 Production of Writing
- → W.11-12.5 Development of Writing
- → W.11-12.10 Writing Diagnostics
- → SL.11-12.5 Digital Media
- → Sl.11-12.6 Speech Adaptation

Students will:

- Complete timed writing diagnostics
- Write personal narratives
- Use imagery and descriptive writing
- Memorable endings
- Concise speaking and focusing on a single topic
- Good speaking characteristics
- Research skills and finding credible resources
- Analyzing multiple folklore stories
- Present using a visual aid
- Understand media usage, bias, and filter bubbles
- Reflect on media usage and impact

- Complete timed writing diagnostics
- Write persuasively about an influential individual
- Create a visual aid using digital media
- Demonstrate professional writing (Resume, Cover Letter)
- Present in front of peers
- Teach 15 minutes lesson to peers

Mass Media Priority Standards 2024-2025

Mass Media - English

Yearly Priorities

- → SL.11-12.1 Collaborative Discussion
- → SL.11-12.4 Present information
- → SL.11-12.5 Utilize Digital Media
- → W.11-12.4 Production of Writing
- → W.11-12.6 Writing with Technology

- Develop and maintain a portfolio
- Collaborate with peers
- Participate in interviews
- Produce writing for yearbook, newsletter, social media, etc
- Utilize tech programs

Film Lit Priority Standards 2024-2025 Ms. Maggie Smith

Film Lit

1st Semester Priorities

- → RI 11-12.6 Author/Directors POV
- → EL 11-12.5 Author Choice: Structure
- → RL 11-12.1 Citing Evidence
- → SL 11-12.4 Present Information
- → W 11-12.10 Timed Writing
- → RL 11-12.6 Satire and Irony

- Analyze different film genres
- Research directors and understand their role in the creation of movies
- Break down shorts, trailers, and full-length movies using literary analysis skills
- Understand and identify irony and satire
- Analyze how the film has adapted and changed

Crime Lit Priority Standards 2024-2025 Ms. Maggie Smith

Film Lit

1st Semester Priorities

- → W 11-12.9 Draw Evidence from Sources
- → W 11-12.10 Timed Writing
- → W 11-12.7 Research
- → SL 11-12.2 Multiple Sources
- → RL 11-12.5 Analyze Structure
- → W 11-12.4 Coherent Writing

- Research crimes on a local, regional, national, and international level
- Research and present about prison systems, cults, and cold cases
- Learn about different types of crimes
- Analyze detective stories
- Read crime literature and analyze the impact

Mythology Priority Standards 2024-2025

English 3

Semester Priorities

- → W.11-12.3 Narrative Writing
- → RL.11-12.1 Citing Evidence
- → RL.11-12.7 Compare & Contrast
- → W.11-12.7 Research
- → SL.11-12.5 Digital Media
- → W.11-12.8 Assessment of Sources

- Write narratively from the lens of different cultures
- Explore various cultures and mythologies
- Analyze pantheons and creatures
- Research and develop presentations of information
- Assess credibility of sources

Contemporary Lit Priority Standards 2024-2025 Ms. Maggie Smith

Film Lit

1st Semester Priorities

- → RL 11-12.1 Citing Evidence
- → RL 11-12.10 On Level Reading
- → RL 11-12.2 Themes
- → RL 11-12.3 Authors Purpose

- Read books at their current reading level
- Learn about different genres
- Present themes and messages from books
- Make connections between literature and the real world/self
- Create projects that reflect on the purpose behind the books