

Language Arts 1st Quarter Calendar

We will be writing a 5-paragraph essay and reading the novel The Outsiders for the quarter. Most reading will be done in class, but some reading maybe done at home if absent. There will be a Step-Up to Writing review along with grammar practice to assist students with writing their essay. Goals for this term are:

- Grammar : Verbs, Punctuation, Sentence construction
 - Write a 5-paragraph essay
 - Vocabulary, personal connections, inference, and characters
 - Meet goals for AR
 - *All numbers listed (8.1.1, 8.2.4, etc.) on the calendar refer to Language Arts Standards and can be found at <http://www.doe.k12.hi.us/>*
- Calendar may be adjusted for student, teacher, or school needs.*

For information on what is going on in class, go to: http://green8languagearts.blogspot.com/		August		
30 First Day Activities	31 Q1 Calendar Paper preview "The Ultimate Gift"	1 Library Orientation	2 -Thesis Statements	3 -Introductions *Open office
6 Meet in lab *Go over word/open office	7 Meet in lab *Go over word formatting	8 Meet in lab *Powerpoint	9 Meet in lab *Email and attachments Start typing Intro	10 Meet in lab -Words often confused handout Introduction due
13 Grammar -Verb Tenses	14 Grammar -Subject/Verb agreement	15 Grammar Commas, Semicolons & Dashes	16 Perfect Quiz S/V Quiz -Conclusions	17 Admissions Day
20 Outsiders Chap. 1 -Connecting with reading (annotation sheets)	21 Sum.842 & 843 -Transitions -Sentence transitions	22 Chap.2	23 Chap.3	24 Vocab 1-3 Quiz -Rough draft due Peer Editing Impact paragraphs due

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Student Signature_____

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27 Library Orientation	28 Chap. 4	29 Inference vs Detail	30 Chap. 5	31 Character inference
3 <i>Labor Day</i>	4 Chap. 6	5 Vocab. Quiz 4-6 Chap. 7	6 8.3.2 Formative	7 Writing Wkshp Peer edit (typos and punctuation)
10 Chap. 8	11 Chap. 9	12 8.3.2 Summative	13 Vocab. Quiz 7-9 Connection #1 – Violence	14 Chap. 10- Paper Due
17 Chap. 11	18 Connection #2 – Standard of Living	19 Chap. 12	20 Vocab. Quiz 10-12 Vocabulary review	21 Connection sheets due 8.1.1 Vocab Summative
24 8.3.6 Summative	25 The Outsiders	26 The Outsiders		

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