

Middle School English Language Arts & Social Studies Grading Policy

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Social Studies Grading Policy:

- Tests/Projects 40%
- Quizzes 20%
- Classwork 30%
- Participation 10% (middle school rubric)
- Homework-checked for completion
- Social Studies Notebook/Binder review: Count as 1 test grade each quarter

English Language Arts Grading Policy:

- Tests/Writing Projects 40%
- Quizzes 20% involve vocabulary, conventions of writing and comprehension
- Classwork/ presentations 30%
- Participation 10%
- Homework-checked for completion and some assigned as open book quiz
- Writers notebook will not be graded and is used to develop ideas

Other Class Expectations:

- Student will show respect to others at all times.
- Students will come to class prepared and ready to participate in class discussions.
- Students are to actively participate in daily lesson and class activities.
- Students are to use their assignment notebooks daily.
- All quizzes and tests are to be signed and returned.
- Homework will be given weekly.

Absent Procedures:

If students are absent, they are to check with their teacher and absent assignment sheet.

Students are to make up missed work within two school days of being absent.

For extended absences, students will have two days make up time for every one day of absent time to make up work.