2nd quarter Fall 2014-15 English I Talon Boys
Thursday, Oct. 30th

* CS
* Analyze news article
* Memoir:  Introduce background on Peace Corps
* Epidemic
* Listen to podcast

Friday, Oct. 31st

* Literary term analysis
* questions
* work on nonfiction literary terms tree map (did not finish for some students)

Monday, Oct. 20th
CS/ACT test prep

Time to work on memoir (30 min)
Review nonfiction map from Friday

Media Center after lunch

Tuesday, Oct. 21st
CS
 notes on speech
Chief Joseph handout Steps 1-4

12 MC test prep questions

Wednesday, Oct. 22
CS

Finish memoir
If you have time, finish 12 mc questions.

Read "What ...Blueprint?"
Complete steps 1-4

HOMEWORK:  Finish memoir.  This is due Monday in class.
EXTRA CREDIT OPPORTUNITY:  Internet Safety Meeting for Parents will by MONDAY night, Oct. 27th at 6 pm at WWHS media center.  (I thought it was Tuesday night. Sorry.  Please be sure to mention this to your parents. You receive extra credit points if your parents attend. :)

Highlight key words in multiple choice questions
Mark key points in speech and poem (or at least mark quotes that are referred to in the questions)

Use SAS writing reviser to revise your memoir.

Read "What ...Blueprint?"
Complete steps 1-4
News Article
Read in blue book and take notes
"Ghastly Deeds..." handout
Color-code strategies
Cause and effect map

Theme
Nonfiction :  tree map

Monday, Nov.3

* CS
* Finish nonfiction literary terms tree map  (Most students finished  by lunch.  Afterwards, they visited upfrontscholastic.com.)
* News Article Handout: Find main ideas, supporting details, fact, and opinion.  (This is to be turned in for a grade.)

Tuesday, Nov. 4

* No School: Election Day

Wednesday, Nov. 5

* CS
* Students need 15 minutes to finish news article handout.
* use Quizlet activities to review
* Study guide sheet
* Propaganda Techniques (explain and do activity)

Thursday, Nov. 5th

* CS
* Review sheet (check your own answers)
* Begin preparing for test on Friday
* Review nonfiction literary terms that we took notes on Friday and Monday
* Kahoot.it (propaganda techniques)
* Read an example of an editorial
* HW:  Study for Nonfiction Test tomorrow

* Darkness At Noon:  personal essay
* Complete part of Handout
* Do lesson theme (Pandora)??
* Posters on nonfiction (structure of different types of nonfiction)

Persuasive writing
analysis
propaganda techniques
editorial

Friday, Nov. 7th
CS
Kahoot.it -- Propaganda Techniques
Test on Nonfiction Unit
Ch. 2 reading guide
work on posters for nonfiction

 **Monday, Nov. 10th**
CS
*Christmas Jars*
Finish Ch. 2 guide
Complete Posters

**Tuesday, Nov. 11th**
Veteran's Day:  No School

**Wednesday, Nov. 12th**
*Christmas Jars*
Finish posters and Ch. 2 Guide
HW:  Have your poster completed or almost completed.
Comma Games

 **Thursday, Nov. 13th**
CS
CJ
Turn in posters
Comma Tree Map, notes, practice, whiteboards

**Friday, Nov.14th**
CS (Turn in)
Upfront magazine questions
ACT Test prep

**Monday, Nov. 17th**
CS
Read Christmas Jars
Commas (Notes, practice)
Explain rules 4-7 and practice
Lesson 78, 79, and 81
HW:  Finish Lesson 81 1-20 by Tuesday.

**Tuesday, Nov. 18th**
CJ
Check homework
Comma Handout 17.2 and 17.3
Check answers
Upfront magazine

**Wednesday, Nov. 19th**
CJ
Comma post-it (sentence from memoir)
Upfront video (memoir)
Semicolon and Colon notes
Practice

**Thursday, Nov. 20th**
Review commas
Upfront magazine
Semicolon practice
CJ
Comma quiz
Upfront magazine (Be sure you finish multiple-choice questions)
Test prep (Optional assignment)
Games (with Upfront or punctuation)

**Monday, Dec. 1**
Christmas Jars
C. Sentences
Introduction to Romeo and Juliet (Look at timeline on R and J page)
Log in to my.hrw.com

Tuesday, Dec. 2nd

CS
R and J (Scope version)
Complete character map:  Fill in at least 2-3 items about each character.
On back of character map, list a minimum of 20 events from R and J.

Wednesday, Dec. 3rd
CS
Timeline (Requirements posted on R and J page)
Note on literary terms

Thursday, Dec. 4th
CS
Mrs. Falise : Guest speaker
Finish timeline
Finish notes
Interactive Reader (with Act 2) after read Act 2 in Scope
Study guide questions

Friday, Dec. 5th
CS
Read children's book

Work on taking notes
Watch portion of video
HW:  Begin reviewing the play in preparation for test next week.

**Monday, Dec. 8th**

* **CS**
* **Double-bubble map**
* **Turn in on Shared Drive.**
* **Discuss in class.**
* **double-bubble map**
* **HW:  In order to study for the test, visit the R and J websiite page.  There is a review game to play.  Also, look for the summary to read.  This will help you greatly on the test.**
* **Review for test**

**Tuesday, Dec. 9th**

Test on Romeo and Juliet  (both parts)
Read Upfront magazine

CS (Apostrophe Lesson)

**Wednesday, Dec. 10th**

* **Apostrophe lesson (grammar page)  Discuss rules.**
* **Apostrophe game (only the first game)**
* **Video**
* **Original version Act 2, scene 2 analysis**
* **Literary terms**

Thursday, Dec. 11th

* Discuss 2nd rule for apostrophes
* 2nd apostrophe game
* Finish discussing literary terms - add purpose to the notes
* Video?? ( depending on behavior)

Friday, Dec. 12th

* Apostrophe practice
* Review literary terms ( Quizlet)
* Kahoot game

Grammarcrush.com (comma activity)

Review
Games

Upfront magazine

Underlining notes
and Practice
Hero's Journey & Archetype notes
Discuss Hero's Journey
Watch Lion King Film

Tuesday, Jan. 6, 2015
Explain Quotation Marks
Quotation Marks Practice Lesson 87
Watch rest of film.
Group activity:

**Wednesday, Jan. 7th**

* Lesson 87 Qu. Mark practice
* Checked responses in class
* Organized and stapled all punctuation maps, notes, and practice activities to use in English II next year
* Read rest of The Odyssey packet in class and worked on marginal questions