

# *Harris County Carver Middle School*

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**Miss Attaway: Language Arts Skills**

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Class Expectations and Policies for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Language Arts Skills:

Language Arts Skills will focus primarily on improving reading skills. We will work on fluency, comprehension, and vocabulary. We will also focus on the development of plot, setting, and characters, and recognizing types of conflict and theme. Students will read both fiction and nonfiction based on current Lexile levels. Students will also work on basic writing skills to include capitalization, punctuation, usage, and spelling.

Supplies needed for Language Arts Skills: folder with pockets; pencil or pen (blue or black ink only); \*\*donations of Clorox wipes and Kleenex tissues would be greatly appreciated

Expectations for Language Arts Skills: Students will be expected to follow all rules as set forth in the HCCMS Student Handbook

**Grading Policy:**

Homework: 15%

Classwork: 55%

Quizzes//Tests: 20%

Final Exam: 10%

Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_