

# Honors English 9

# Mrs. Tammy Pruitt

**Textbooks:** *Elements of Language & Elements of Literature*

## Expectations:

- Students must bring the following to class daily: textbook, supplies & novel.
- Work must be turned in on assigned days. Late work may be accepted, but it will be deducted a letter grade for each day it is late. Students are responsible for all make-up work. (Check with a classmate or website for assignments missed.)
- **Only** pencils or blue & black pens may be used for graded work.
- Students are expected to do their own work. Anyone caught cheating will receive a zero (0) on assignments including Accelerated Reader quizzes. Students may also receive disciplinary action from administration.
- Food or beverage is not to be consumed in the classroom unless sanctioned by teacher.
- Students are to respect themselves and others at all times.

## Grading:

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| • Homework                  | 10% |
| • Participation & classwork | 20% |
| • Quizzes                   | 30% |
| • Summative                 | 40% |

## Reading Portfolio:

- Required reading list: <http://www.listsofbests.com/list/16484-101-great-books-recommended-for-college-bound-readers?print=true>
- Students will be required to maintain major work study forms for all books read.
- Portfolio will be graded each marking period.

## Accelerated Reader:

- Books must be selected from the required reading list:

Points	grade	points	grade
40	100 A+	28 – 26	76 C
39 – 38	96 A	24	74 C
37	94 A	23	70 C-
36	91 A	22	69 D+
35	89 B	21 – 19	65 D
34 – 32	86 B	18	63 D
31 - 30	84 B	17 – 16	62 D
29	80 B-	15	60 D-
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## Required Materials:

- *Elements of Literature* & *Elements of Language*
- Pencils, blue or black pens, reading folder
- flash drive (optional, but helpful)

## Miscellaneous:

- Contact possibilities:
  1. Email address: **tammy.pruitt@accomack.k12.va.us**
  2. School phone number: **787- 4514**      **planning: 3<sup>rd</sup> block**
  3. Class URL: **tba**
- Citation help: **easybib.com**