



APPLIED ELA

YEAR 2020-2021

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Applied English Language Arts (ELA) course is to teach students to develop reading and writing skills, and strategies crucial for navigating informational texts in the real world, career training, and the workplace. Reading, vocabulary, grammar, and writing are the four main components of this class. All materials are realistic, applicable and relevant to the real world and workplace. Bilingual educational strategies in American Sign Language (ASL) and English are used in order to ensure an in-depth understanding of the materials. Problem-solving skills, learning strategies, and communication skills are also taught in this class as well to better prepare students for their future.

- Communicating by writing at work places
- Netiquette
- Cover letter
- Resume
- Filling out forms: medical - application - etc
- Grammar practice
- And more!



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MATERIALS NEEDED:

- Pens*
- Pencils*
- Highlighters*
(pink, yellow, and green, one of each)
- Lined papers*
- iPad (WSD will provide)
- Great attitude and motivation!

**optional - not required*

CURRICULUM MATERIALS:

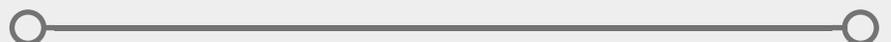
- Step Up to Writing
- IXL - Language Arts
- Grammar lessons (varied sources)
- Oxford Picture Dictionary
- And more!



GRADING:

Quarterly grades will be determined as follows:

- **Class Assignments: 30%**
- **Participation: 40%**
- **Tests: 30%**



Welcome Back!

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go."
- Dr. Seuss