

# Content Reading Syllabus SY23-24

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## **Course Objectives:**

To improve in the areas of 1) fluency, 2) reading comprehension & 3) tier II & III academic vocabulary acquisition.

## **Course Materials:**

- A self-selected book of choice & nightly homework bookmark
- Laptop & charger (please bring these each day)
- Scythe by Neal Schusterman

## **Expectations: Everyone!!...Always!!!**

- Learning is the 1st priority
- Be on Time and on Task
- Respect: Yourself, Students, Teachers, Property

## **Evaluation:**

A= 90-100%

C= 70-79%

I= Incomplete

B= 80-89%

NC/ No Credit= 0-69%

## **Grade Distribution:**

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| Formative Assessment (daily work, bookmark, quizzes, participation) | 70% |
| Summative Assessment (Projects, Presentations, Exams)               | 30% |

## **Classroom procedures:**

- Phones/earbuds need to be turned off and put away for the duration of the lesson, unless special permission is granted by the teacher to use for instructional purposes.
- Bookmarks are due 5 times per week. To receive credit, you must read for 20 minutes every night and record your progress.
- If you fall behind, talk to Mr. Welkener! He is here to help.

## **Restroom Policy:**

Whenever possible, go to the restroom before or after class. If you need to go during class, raise your hand and ask the teacher for permission. If you miss more than 5 minutes of class, you will lose ClassDojo points, and possibly be assigned additional work to complete outside of class.

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