



## Grading Practices

School: Kempsville High School

Subject(s): Journalism

Grade Level: 9 - 12

### Homework

Homework will be assigned constantly throughout the year, and will mostly involve reading, which will be evaluated through quizzes and/or class discussion. **Expect reading assignments nightly.**

### Late Work

Homework is due at the beginning of the block and should be completed before you enter the classroom. Late homework will NOT be accepted unless your absence is excused. In that instance, it is due immediately on your first day back. Getting answers from other students before class is not acceptable behavior!

**Late work** is *not* accepted for a passing grade unless you had an excused absence for the entire day of the assignment's due date.

### Explanation of Zeroes

If a student has exhausted **all** opportunities for turning in late work, the **0 will remain** to be calculated as part of the nine-weeks' grade.

### Reassessment

Opportunities for reassessment will be determined on a case-by-case basis, depending on the nature of the assignment. Usually, reading quizzes are a homework check and will not be reassessed.

### Make-up Work

Make-up quizzes and tests must be taken within three days of returning to school. In most cases, however, I expect you to take a quiz or test immediately upon your return to class. If an absence is unexcused, no work can be made up.

It is your responsibility to find out homework assignments and to get all notes missed during absences. This work is due in the same amount of time that was given to the other students.

### Extra Credit

**Extra assignments will be determined on a case-by-case basis.**

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