

ELA Newsletter

Feb 19-March 2, 2018

Important links and information from Mrs. Kirr...

Class website: Scholarsrm239.weebly.com

Further Reading...

Here's [a sample phone contract](#) - many young people and their parents may need this...

Day/Date

Class agenda written for students and parents...

Monday February 19	No School
Tuesday February 20	Grammar Book Talks Independent Short Story Unit - all details on Schoology. (Looks like THIS.) Independent Reading
Wednesday February 21	Grammar Book Talks LAST FULL DAY: Independent Short Story Unit - all details on Schoology. (Looks like THIS.) Independent Reading
Thursday February 22	Grammar Book Talks Review Article of the Week (New Information from Stevenson HS!) Independent Short Story Unit Discussion groups (5-10 min) regarding one of their stories Choose the BEST activity you did, fix it to truly show what you know about the story Finish writing assignment for this unit (newspaper article on Google Classroom) Independent Reading
Friday February 23	Book Talks "After Twenty Years" by O'Henry - comprehension check Independent Reading
Monday February 26	Grammar Book Talks War Poetry Analysis - "Charge of the Light Brigade" by Alfred Lord Tennyson Independent Reading
Tuesday	Grammar

February 27	Book Talks (share new idea - FlipGrid - link is on Schoology) War Poetry Analysis - “Dulce et Decorum Est” by Wilfred Owen Independent Reading
Wednesday February 28	Book Talks Father Poetry Analysis - “Those Winter Sundays” by Robert Hayden Independent Reading
Thursday March 1	Book Talks Father Poetry Analysis - “My Papa’s Waltz” by Theodore Roethke Independent Reading
Friday March 2	Book Talks Article of the Week - “Pup Dives in for Kids with Special Needs” Rebecca Caudill Voting Independent Reading Video of pup helping... :)

Next week... library visit for great reads, learn the tools for PARCC testing, PARCC testing itself, and then “teach me your talent” explanation and brainstorming...