

Grading Information for Semester 2: Freshmen

As a means to help you be successful in my class and provide you with clear information, I have put together a breakdown of the assignments and points that will be coming this second semester.

Please use this document to plan ahead and track your progress as we make our way through the semester. Consider this an addendum to the course syllabus. It will also be posted on my website under the English 10 section of the site. Best of luck with a new semester and a new year!

Overall Point Totals

Quarter 3:

8 reading assignments assessed with in class questions (one per week) X 10 pts.	= 80 pts.
8 vocab. lists assessed by averaging completion and accuracy (one per week) X 10 pts	= 80 pts.
8 quizzes given on the last class meeting of each week X 20 pts.	= 160 pts.
2 exams/papers/projects (summative assessments) X 100 pts.	= 200 pts.
Quarter 3 Total = 520 pts.	

Quarter 4:

7 reading assignments assessed with in class questions (one per week) X 10 pts.	= 70 pts.
7 vocab. lists assessed by averaging completion and accuracy (one per week) X 10 pts	= 70 pts.
7 quizzes given on the last class meeting of the week X 20 pts.	= 140 pts.
2 exams/papers/projects (summative assessments) 1 worth 50 pts., 1 worth 100 pts.	= 150 pts.
Quarter 4 Total = 430 pts.	

Final Exam = 170 pts.

Total for Semester = 1120 pts.

Individual Unit Point Breakdown

Canterbury Tales Unit

8 reading assignments assessed with in class questions (one per week) X 10 pts.	= 80 pts.
8 vocab. lists assessed by averaging completion and accuracy (one per week) X 10 pts	= 80 pts.
8 quizzes given on the last class meeting of each week X 20 pts.	= 160 pts.

2 exams/papers/projects (summative assessments) X 100 pts. = 200 pts.
Unit Total = 520 pts.

Julius Caesar Unit

4 reading assignments assessed with in class questions (one per week) X 10 pts. = 40 pts.
4 vocab. lists assessed by averaging completion and accuracy (one per week) X 10 pts = 40 pts.
4 quizzes given on the last class meeting of each week X 20 pts. = 80 pts.
1 exams/papers/projects (summative assessments) X 50 pts. = 50 pts.
Unit Total = 210 pts.

Romeo and Juliet Unit

3 reading assignments assessed with in class questions (one per week) X 10 pts. = 30 pts.
3 vocab. lists assessed by averaging completion and accuracy (one per week) X 10 pts = 30 pts.
3 quizzes given on the last class meeting of each week X 20 pts. = 60 pts.
1 exams/papers/projects (summative assessments) X 100 pts. = 100 pts.
Unit Total = 220 pts.

Assignment Type Point Breakdown
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15 reading assignments assessed with in class questions (one per week) X 10 pts. = 150 pts.
15 vocab. lists assessed by averaging completion and accuracy (one per week) X 10 pts = 150 pts.
15 quizzes given on the last class meeting of each week X 20 pts. = 300 pts.
4 exams/papers/projects 3 worth 100 pts., 1 worth 50pts. = 350 pts.
1 final end of semester exam = 170 pts.
Total for Semester = 1120 pts.

Percentages by Assignment Type

Reading Assignments and Questions	= 14% of grade
Vocabulary Work	= 14% of grade
Quizzes	= 27% of grade
Exams/Papers/Projects	= 30% of grade
Final Exam	= 15% of grade

Point Breakdown Relative to Grades

1086-1120	97.0%-100%	= A+
1042-1085	93.0%-96.9%	= A
1008-1041	90.0%-92.9%	= A-
974-1007	87.0%-89.9%	= B+
930-973	83.0%-86.9%	= B
896 -929	80.0%-82.9%	= B-
862-895	77.0%-79.9%	= C+
817-861	73.0%-76.9%	= C
784-816	70.0%-72.9%	= C-
750-783	67.0%-69.9%	= D+
706-749	63.0%-66.9%	= D
672-705	60.0%-62.9%	= D-
671 and below	less than 59.9%	= F