#### Mrs. Walsh's Courses

# Lessons Plans for Honors English 10, Academic English 10, and Speech 7 May 18-22, 2020

Dear students and parents, what follows are plans for work and studying that you can do for the Week of May 18-22, 2020. I will be available if you have questions, all you have to do is email me at <a href="mailto:mwalsh@rsd.k12.pa.us">mwalsh@rsd.k12.pa.us</a>. I will answer you as quickly as possible.

Here is my phone number and extension if you need to reach me by phone:

412-828-1800 extension 1082

Read the assignments and instructions carefully. Please be thorough in your work. I will be asking students to submit their completed work via email.

The specific plans and assignments can be found on the following pages of this document.

Thank you,

Mrs. Michelle Walsh

## Honors English 10 (Periods 1 & 6) May 18-22, 2020

May 18: Today, I am asking you to submit your response to Friday's Write-to-Think Prompt — Please choose the article OR one of the videos you watched last week and tell me your thoughts about it. Support your response with specific details to defend why you either liked or disliked the article or video. I will ask you to submit your response to this write-to-think prompt on Monday, May 18th. Your response should be at least 4-5 sentences in length (a well-developed paragraph). This is the only assignment I am asking you to submit this week.

**May 19**: Please begin reading the article titled "How to Take Responsibility for Your Life" by Susan Heathfield. Be sure to take a few notes on any information that you find meaningful or interesting. Here is a link to this article:

https://www.thebalancecareers.com/how-to-take-responsibility-for-yourlife-1919214

**May 20**: Please finish reading yesterday's article. Please continue to take a few notes on any information that you find meaningful or interesting.

**May 21**: Please watch the YouTube video titled "Selective Attention Test." This is a very short video. When you finish watching this video, please write your response to the question at the beginning of the video and then add a sentence or two about what you believe is the purpose of this short video. Here is a link to the video:

https://youtu.be/vJG698U2Mvo

May 22: Please watch the YouTube video titled "Change Your Habits, Change Your Life" by Bob Proctor. Here is a link to this video:

https://youtu.be/lw Z401Bsb0

# Academic English 10 (Periods 5 & 9) May 18-22, 2020

May 18: If you have not yet submitted last week's writing prompt (Write-to-Think Prompt – Please write your own definition of FATE. Do you believe in fate or do you believe in free will? Support your response with specific details to defend your position.), please send your response to me today. Your response should be at least 4-5 sentences in length (a well-developed paragraph). We are going to continue our Short Story Unit this week. Today I am asking you to begin answering the Responding to the Story Questions (on page 27 of the link I sent last week. There are a total of six questions. Here is the link:

### http://bellsroom.weebly.com/uploads/8/5/9/0/8590911/the-fatalist1.pdf

**May 19**: Please continue answering the study guide questions the short story "The Fatalist." I am going to ask you to submit your responses to the study guide on Wednesday. This will be the only assignment I collect this week.

May 20: Please finish the Responding to the Story Questions for short story "The Fatalist" on page 27 of the link I sent on Monday. Please submit your answers to me today. This is the only assignment I am collecting this week.

**May 21:** Please begin reading the Short Story titled "The Bet." Here is a link for this short story:

http://aliclassroom.weebly.com/uploads/6/1/2/2/61229617/the-bet\_pdf.pdf

May 22: Please finish reading yesterday's short story "The Bet."

#### Speech 7 (Periods 2 & 4) May 18-22, 2020

**May 18**: If you have not yet submitted the final draft of your Perseverance Speech, please do so today. You should have note cards created for your speech. These note cards are for you. I will not be collecting note cards for this speech. Please continue to practice speech presentation.

May 19: Please continue to practice your speech presentation. I will be asking students to submit their presentations via voice memo or a video attached to an email on Wednesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>. If you are not able to record your speech, you can present your speech to a family member and write a summary of how well you did on your presentation (if you are choosing this option, please make sure you write a well-developed paragraph of at least 4-5 sentences.)

May 20: Please submit your speech to me today by voice memo, video, or by writing a summary of your speech presentation. If you have any questions, please let me know.

**May 21**: Please watch the Ted Talk titled "Ted's Secrets to Great Public Speaking." Please write down a few of your thoughts and ideas about this video. Here is a link to the video:

https://www.ted.com/talks/chris anderson ted s secret to great public speaking?language =en

**May 22**: Please complete a 4 to 5 sentence Write to Think Prompt about yesterday's video titled "Ted's Secrets to Great Public Speaking." Please tell me if you liked or disliked the video and why. I will be collecting your response to this question next Tuesday.