

*Welcome to Eng.II GT! I am excited to have you in class. This year looks to be full of challenges! My goal is to help you learn how to think, not tell you what to think. We read, question, discuss, debate, and hopefully have fun along the way.*

*I am on your side. I am here to help. You may come to me with any concerns and we will work to find positive solutions!*

## Electronics

*I ask for a phone free classroom unless we need them to further our studies.*

*No social media, texting, shopping, movie watching, etc. I will place phone on my desk until the end of the period if these actions are observed. Phone will be returned at end of class. If this issue persists, further actions may be taken. I'm positive that as Seniors, students are fully able to comply on their own.*

Mrs. Bilbrey

2020-2021

Eng. II GT

## Grading

There will be formative and summative assessments given during each six weeks.

All assignments may be re-done or corrected for up to full credit within 5 days of receiving grade. Corrections must be done in tutorials. Work must be correct to receive higher grade.

When a student is absent, it is the student's responsibility to take the initiative to come get missing work or to make arrangements for late work to be corrected and submitted.

Late work will be accepted up to five days late with a 5 point penalty per day. After the fifth day the assignment will be a zero.

If student is caught cheating on an assignment a zero will be given on assignment. Student will not be able to make up grade, or do any sort of correction, this grade will not change in grade book. Cheating includes cobvina

# Class Supplies

Must a NOVEL of your choice **DAILY!**  
Folder with brads  
Spiral Notebook OR Composition Book  
1 package notebook paper- Wide Ruled  
Pencils  
Highlighters  
1 regular poster board  
Markers  
1 box of tissues

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## Reading List

2<sup>nd</sup> Six Weeks: *When the Emperor Was Divine* by Julie Otsuka ISBN: 978-0385721813

3<sup>rd</sup> Six Weeks: *The Ocean at the End of the Lane* by Neil Gaiman ISBN: 978-00062255665

4<sup>th</sup> Six Weeks: *Their Eyes are Watching God* by Zora Neale Hurston ISBN: 978-0061120060



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A note concerning 2020- This year looks to be different than any other. Full of new things. My promise to you is to be patient, have grace, have flexibility, and to keep my sense of humor. Please know we are all in this together! We will have a great year. It will fly by!

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