## English as a Second Language Syllabus

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**General Information:** The ESL classes at Lawrence High School provide an opportunity for students from different cultural background to master English Language Acquisition and become fluent in English. LHS offers 4 ESL classes in addition to in-class support and personalized attention.

Grading:

Students are graded on the following principal in every ESL class: Homework - 15% of your grade Quizzes - 15% of your grade Tests - 30% of your grade Participation - 10% of your grade Classwork - 10%of your grade Projects - 20 % of your grade

## Classes overview:

Students are expected to follow ESL class expectations and routines everyday in class. Our class curriculum is based on My National Geographic ELL textbooks: Edge and Inside USA books. All students will be provided with a textbook to use in class. Students will receive homework every day, except on Fridays. Students in ESL 2, 3 and 4 classes are expected to bring an independent reading material to class every FRIDAY for "Drop Everything And Read" classwork activity for 30 minutes.

## Other information:

Late assignments are not accepted. All homework is due at 2:45 PM of the day when the homework is actually due. Plagiarism of any kind is not tolerated. Cellular devices are prohibited from use in class. Test and quizzes may be announced on unannounced. Students will not be permitted to leave the classroom for any reason, unless in an emergency.