

MR. BRADY
GRADING POLICY
2025 – 2026

Vocabulary

In each class (unless noted) you will have weekly vocabulary work to turn in.

- This work is to be completed and turned in on the computer (or phone if you prefer).
- Your vocab is due every Tuesday before 11:59pm (unless otherwise noted).
- Instructions can be found on the vocab form online.
- You can complete and turn in ALL the words for every week at any time of the year. Working ahead is not only advised, it's encouraged. Best advice: stay at least 2-3 weeks ahead.

Late Work

- *Wednesday 12:00am to 4:00pm* - If your work for that week is submitted ANYTIME within that window, your grade will be deducted by 20%.
- *Any time after 4:00pm Wednesday* - Your work will be a ZERO. Period. No exceptions
 - Of course, if you are working ahead, you can turn that in at any time.

Deductions

- Entering the wrong week or class on your form will result in a 20% deduction from your score that week.
- Turning in the wrong vocab, whether the wrong class or wrong week, will result in a score of ZERO for that week. Pay attention!!

Other Written Work

Online

- Work needs to be submitted online by the time/day listed for that assignment
- 20% will be deducted if turned in at any time between the class ending on the day it's due and 7:00pm that same day. After that it will be counted as a zero.

In Person

- Work is due at the beginning of class
- 20% will be deducted if turned in at any time between the class ending on the day it's due and the beginning of class the next day. After that it will be counted as a zero.

Performance

In a performance-based class, you will be asked to perform a scene or a song. Whichever the case may be, you will be scored individually. In a group performance, if you do great work and your partner doesn't, your partner's failure won't hurt you. You are graded SEPARATELY.

- *Solo Performance* - If you are absent on the day your performance piece is due, then you should be prepared to perform the day you return.
- *Group Performance* – If you are absent on the day that your group is supposed to perform, they will give a script to someone else in the class who will read your part while the others perform the scene. For your grade, you will perform with your group, on the day you return.

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Technical Theatre

This class is primarily participation based. You will have vocab, but the other big part of your grade will be based on your participation in class.

- *Participating* – Participating in this class means you are working on the projects at hand in a timely/reasonable manner. You simply need to always do your job to the best of your ability
 - *Ex.* You are asked to sweep the stage, but it takes you 15 minutes to find a broom, another 10 to find the dustpan, then by the time you are done sweeping, class is almost over and it isn't really swept...that's not participating, that's wasting time.
- *Participation Points* – You will receive a total of 50 points per week (10 per day).
 - *Warning* – If you are given a warning that is a loss of 5 points for that day. If you are spoken to again, that will be a loss of all 10 points.
- *Closed Toed Shoes* – You **MUST** wear close toed, tied shoes to class every day. Failure to do so will result in a loss of your participation points for that day.
- *Goofing around* – We deal with tools that, if not used properly, can hurt you or your classmates. If you fail to work with these tools properly or if you are overall goofing around in class, you will be asked to sit out and will lose your points.

Musical Theatre

When we begin rehearsing our musical there will be rehearsal points and production points. You must pay attention to your outside schedule for things like doctor appointments and other obligations. You will be required to be at all after school rehearsals for which your character is needed. ANY last-minute notifications that you cannot be at rehearsal will result in a loss of points.

Tech Rehearsals – These the are the rehearsals that are within the last 2 weeks prior to the opening of our show. These rehearsals are **MANDATORY** for ALL actors and crew members. Talk to your parents, your doctors, your coaches, your friends or anyone else and let them know that you have committed to THIS show and THIS schedule.

Absences

Below are a few scenarios for what will happen if/when you are absent when an assignment is due.

- **Scenario 1** – An assignment is given on Monday while you're in class. It's due Wednesday. You are absent on Wednesday. The assignment is due on the day you return.
- **Scenario 2** – An assignment is given on Monday that is due Wednesday; you are not in class on Monday. You return Tuesday and are given the assignment. You are given the same amount of time to complete the work as the rest of the class. Your work is due on Thursday.