



**Ms. Duran**  
**7th grade ELA**

# ABOUT

- **Chico State:**

- B.A in Journalism
- 4 years of volleyball
- Orion Newspaper

- **Vanguard University:**

- Single Subject Teaching Credential
- Master's in Educational Research

- **Lived in Spain:**

- Vigo, Galicia
- Elementary ESL

- **Corona:**

- Santiago High School

## CLASS GOALS:

- students will strengthen skills in writing and reading.
- appreciation for the written word and writing.
- focus on literature, vocabulary development, listening and speaking activities.

# CLASS EXPECTATIONS

- o Arrive on time & prepared
- o Follow school & classroom policies
  - ▶ **Be respectful**
  - ▶ **Be responsible**
  - ▶ **Be safe**
- o Complete classwork & homework on time
  - ▶ **Google Classroom**
- o Participate in class
- o Show up with the right attitude

# CHROMEBOOKS

- o Bring Chromebook everyday
- O Bring Chromebooks charged
- O Chromebooks are for academic work only
- O Chromebooks are not being used during activities & when others are talking
- o Headphones

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# RESOURCES

- Collections textbook & Close Reader workbook
- A Long Walk to Water
- The Outsiders
- Independent Reading Book

# CLASSWORK

- It is important each student completes class work & participates in activities
  - Discussions
  - Answering questions
  - Short response
- If classwork is not finished:
  - The student may have to complete it after hours
- To ensure that students always do their best:
  - They may be asked to do an assignment over.

# HOMEWORK

- **In general:**

- Homework will be unfinished classwork
  - Exceptions may apply
- Turn in homework on time

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- They may be asked to do an assignment over.



# MAKE-UP WORK

- o Students are required to make up any classwork and homework they missed while being absent.
  - o Everything can be found on Google Classroom
  - o Must email if submitting late work
  - o Re-take if score below 80%
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# CONTACT

- o Email is best!
- o Schedule a call

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# CONTACT INFORMATION:

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- QUESTIONS?