

Creative Writing I/II

		Description of Average Weekly Outside Requirements	
Main Topics (What main ideas/concepts are covered): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inspiration/Ideas for writing • Character • Setting • Plot • Pacing • Writing for Children • Genre writing 	Rationale (Why a student should take this course): Students should take this course if they love to write and create stories. If they love the idea of creating with words and want a chance to practice creating new worlds and people on a daily basis.	Reading (Text, document, etc.): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peer work • Own work • • • 	Written (Terms, questions, outlines, free response, etc.): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short stories • Poems • Narrative memoir • •
Grade Composition (How grades are determined): Grades are divided up between bellwork, classwork, and major writing projects. All grades are based on student effort and are individual.	Skill Development (Skills developed in this course and how): Writing skills are developed through writing. In this course we will writing almost every single class period. Some will be one day assignments and others will be multi-day projects.	Sample Textbook Excerpt: None	
Required Skills (Skills necessary to be successful in this course) Positive attitude Sense of adventure Imagination			