

English Language Arts Agenda – Grade 7

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Week 16	Assignments	Reminders
<p>M/T Block Dec. 15/16, 2014</p> <p>RESTART LAPTOP DAILY BEFORE 1ST HOUR</p> <p>CHECK EMAIL 1ST 5 MINS OF ELA BLOCK</p> <p>GUEST TEACHER DEC. 9 FOR ASSESSMENT WORKSHOP</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Download agenda and save to ELA desktop folder • Record due dates on organizational tool you choose • Skills Review: What is a clause? (no, not Santa Claus) • View video - Charles Dickens London • Complete notes on DRAMA • Read “A Christmas Carol” by Charles Dickens (lit book p. 220) • Play “Can You Survive Charles Dickens London?” online game 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ READ a novel 60 minutes per week ★ Vocabulary begins again in 2015 ★ SEE EMAIL FOR RETESTING DATES – BE SURE TO COMPLETE REVIEW PRIOR TO STAYING AFTER SCHOOL
<p>W /TH block Dec. 17/18</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • View movie “A Christmas Carol” • Compare version in lit book to movies <p>Optional: service project for a few minutes during movie</p>	<p>Independent Reading Strategies Overarching Questions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ <i>How can students sharing book interests, highlights and ideas create a community of readers?</i> ★ <i>How do readers select captivating books?</i> ★ <i>How is reading a play different than watching a movie version of the same play?</i>
	<i>Friday – all classes meet</i>	<p>Enduring Understanding Students will learn methods that good readers use to interact w/fictional stories. The intent is that students will become lifelong readers.</p>
<p>FRIDAY 12/12</p>	<p>Warm-up: Restart/update laptop Discuss differences between movie and play version – see questions on smart board</p> <p>Dickens online game from M/T</p>	<p>Have a safe and happy holiday break!</p>