

Current Events

Mr. Kalpich

1. Objective

Students will examine the major problems and events that people face.

2. News

You are expected to read, watch, and listen to a variety of news sources outside of class.

3. Assignments and Graded Work

Assigned work is due on the date assigned without exception. Graded work is customarily returned within a week. Work turned in without a complete first and last name will suffer a five point deduction.

4. Grades

Grades are posted online and are calculated using the total point method (Total points earned divided by the total possible).

5. Extra Credit

Not offered.

6. Absence from School

Check the Google Classroom when you are absent. I adhere to the policy printed in the Student Handbook.

7. Absence from Class, but not from School

All work must be completed on time without delay. Please give advance notice and check Google Classroom.

8. Cheating, Copying, and Plagiarism

Cheating, copying, and plagiarism will result in a zero score for the perpetrator and all involved. Expect detention and a call home.

9. Communication

Parents are encouraged to contact me at 724-962-8300 x1084 or via email at mkalpich@sasdpride.org.

10. Seats

Seats are assigned by Mr. Kalpich. Unruly and surely children can expect to be moved.

11. Decorum

Kindness, courtesy and respect are expected. Expect reciprocity and punishment if you violate the accepted standards of polite society.

12. Tardiness

A warning is issued for your third tardy to class. Detention is issued for the fourth and all additional tardies.

13. Leaving the Room

Handle all personal business before arriving in class. Do not expect to leave during class.

14. IEP Students

IEP students will be afforded all modifications according to the IEP in conjunction with our Special Education staff. See me if special assistance is needed.

15. Extra Assistance

I am available before school Monday through Friday and after school Monday through Thursday, but let me know a day in advance.

16. Daily Requirements

You must have every day:

1. A writing utensil.
2. A notebook or notebook paper.
3. A three ring binder.

17. Homework

Regularly expect that we will do most of our reading, writing, and thinking in class, however dependent upon your individual talents and effort, you may have homework.

18. Chromebooks

Expect to use them regularly and treat them as if your soul was locked inside!

19. Success

Pay attention, do what is expected, ask questions and be nice to others and you'll probably be ok. Want to be successful? That requires effort, and that is a choice you must make every single waking hour of every single day. What will you choose?