

HIGH SCHOOL



2026-2027 CLASS INFORMATION

Course Title: 9th/10th Grammar and Writing

Cost: \$480

Description:

This course helps students become effective communicators through speaking, writing, and expressive skills. Students will read biographies such as *Life of Washington* along with excerpts from *Gifted Mind* and *The Summit*. They will develop essential communication skills, including essay writing, oral presentations, and research using MLA citation. The course also emphasizes grammar and punctuation, ensuring thorough preparation for high school level communication.

Students will need to have access to the internet and a printer to complete some written assignments. Students can expect to spend a minimum of 30-35 minutes each day to complete assigned work. Attendance is pertinent due to class discussions of the literature readings, grammar, and other material.

This course counts as 1 full English credit.

Prerequisites: Basic writing and grammar skills

Grade Level: 9th-10th grade

Schedule: Tuesdays, 8:15am-9:40am, 32 weeks beginning August 11, 2026

Class Size: 8 minimum students for class to form/16 student maximum

Required Textbooks: *Master Books Language Lessons for a Living Education 10*, ISBN 9781683443285 and *Life of Washington* by Anna C. Reed, ISBN 9781683443964

Supplies: Pens (any ink color), pencils, access to a printer, ½ binder with loose leaf paper for note taking and with 1-2 pocket dividers

Instructor: Mrs. Amanda Griffith

