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WESTSIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL

# 7th Grade Pre-AP English

## What to Expect in Pre-AP English

The Pre-AP English class is designed to challenge you in your reading and writing skills. It will demand a high level of effort and dedication as we stretch your literacy talents this year.

During this course, you will read and write challenging texts in order to develop critical thinking skills. You will be expected to complete all assignments to the best of your ability, including both class work and homework. Some assignments you may expect to have are as follows: grammar practice, writing analysis, research using books & technology, information synthesis from several sources, informa-



tive & argumentative writing that cites sources for support, and more. Do not let these assignments scare you! We will work through each process together, and if you are having trouble, all you need to do is ask me for help. :-)

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#### Supplies

- 1 inch binder
- Dividers
- Folder with pockets & prongs
- Wide-lined paper
- Pen & pencils

## About Your Teacher

My name is Angie Waller, and I am the 7th grade Pre-AP English and reading teacher. I am married to Tony Waller, and we have a daughter named Emma who is four years old. We also have two cats, Dandy and Cricket. I enjoy reading, traveling, and spending time with

my family. I became a teacher because I love this career. I get to be with some of the best kids in the world and hopefully give them tools to help them fulfill their dreams someday. When I was in school, I took honors English because they didn't have

Pre-AP yet.. (Yes, I'm that old!) Then, I took AP English and earned college credit, so I truly believe in this course. I know first-hand how beneficial it can be.

I'm excited to work with you and get to know you better. We have a great year ahead of us!