WEEK 11 MESSAGE for ENGLISH III-2nd Block (Week of Oct 19th—Oct 23rd)

Dear Students & Parents,

I hope everyone had a wonderful and restful academic break! As we look to the weeks ahead, there are a few suggestions that I would like to share on how students can improve their academic performance. Just a reminder, we will have a final exam in December, and I will communicate that date in the coming weeks.

- 1. **ATTENTION:** Please look for an additional resource from me entitled, "**Tips for Improving Grades During Distance Learning**", which will have important information about how to enhance students' overall learning experiences, as well as increase their overall average. (See separate email sent to both students and parents)
 - ➤ Be sure to check out the **Grizzly Social Corner** in your 1st period modules too! This information is provided by our Student Support Services Team.
 - > Please see Mrs. Vereyken's email regarding additional school wide announcements for parents

2. UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS:

- ➤ Wordly Wise Lesson 7 TEST from 9:00am-11:59pm on Friday, October 23rd
- > This test/quiz must be completed during the testing window; there is no extension of time for tests unless an excused absence.
- 3. Our Canvas Conference is **ENGLISH III-2nd Block Monday, October 19th @ 9:00am**

During this week's conference, we will continue with our grammar lessons by focusing on the different types of sentences. I offer small group/individual **tutoring sessions at the end of our Canvas conferences**, so please plan to attend this week's meeting for extra support. Additional tutoring time for ENGLISH III is Thursday afternoons from 3:00-3:30pm **by appointment**, just contact me if interested.

- 4. **Be sure to log into your school email and Canvas each day.** You should work on Block classes Mon-Wed-Fri and work on Period classes Tues-Thurs. I highly recommend using a calendar to help you stay on track! This is the best way to avoid MISSING ASSIGNMENTS! *For Term 2 students will not be able to turn in assignments after the weekly 11:59pm Sunday deadline unless they have an excused absence.*
- 5. Remember to email techsupport@cgsnc.org will any technical or computer issue. Please email canvasassistance@cgsnc.org if there is an issue within Canvas. The "Getting Started in Canvas" module for all classes should address the most common features for navigation, work completion, and submitting assignments.

During the month of October, the CGS Student Council is sponsoring a pumpkin contest and a costume contest during our Junior Social Zoom meeting on Friday, October 23rd. Please submit your school appropriate pictures/images to me if you wish to participate in this event. For more details, see the flyers on the CGS website. As always, please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Wilson