WEEK 15 MESSAGE for ENGLISH I-1st Period (Week of NOV 16th—NOV 20th)

Dear Students & Parents,

This week will be another active one! Please read the important information below.

1. ATTENTION:

- CHANGE in RECORDING ATTENDANCE—Students have embraced this change, and they are doing well with keeping up—just continue to look for this week's attendance module located at the top of the ENG I Modules list.
- > Please review Mrs. Vereyken's Sunday email for important information.
- STUDENTS—make sure that you are working through the course MODULES page. Do not work through the "To Do" list or the Canvas Calendar because these areas do not show all of the weekly assignments.

2. UPCOMING ASSESSMENTS:

- > Study Island Sessions: these sessions will be assigned for the week
- > I-READY Assessment Monday & Tuesday, November 23rd-24th (progress monitoring)
 - This assessment must be completed during the testing window; there is no extension of time for tests unless an excused absence.

3. CANVAS CONFERENCE:

Our Canvas Conference is ENGLISH I-1st Period Tuesday, November 17th @ 9:00AM

During this week's conference we will discuss *informational text* reading assignments and the corresponding Study Island sessions for this week. This information is part of the foundational content of the English I course. Although it may be difficult for some students, they will be able to retake any of these sessions to achieve a higher score-(80% or higher will be recorded as a 100 classwork grade). Some students may need to complete these 10 question sessions a couple of times, but this repetition will aid in retention of the content material. Please be sure to read the explanations if the answer choice is incorrect, as the questions will be repeated. I encourage all students to attend and participate in this live instruction as there will be an opportunity to *EARN BONUS POINTS WHEN YOU ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE*.

4. Be sure to log into your school email and Canvas ENG I course each day. You should work on Block classes Mon-Wed-Fri and work on Period classes Tues-Thurs, but you MUST COMPLETE THE DAILY ATTENDANCE ASSIGNMENT EACH DAY. Using a calendar will help you stay on track, and 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 <u>techsupport@cgsnc.org</u> will any technical or computer issue. Please email <u>canvasassistance@cgsnc.org</u> 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.

As always, please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Wilson