***English 310
Spring 2015
Revised Syllabus as of March 23***

Monday, March 23
Creativity in the classroom
Homework: Read “The Baddest Witch in the World” and “Seat Work” from *Ramona the Pest* (available on website page “Readings”)

Wednesday, March 25
“The Baddest Witch in the World” and “Seat Work”
Homework: Read “The First Day at School” and “At Howie’s House” from *Ramona Quimby, Age 8*

Friday, March 27
“The First Day at School” and “At Howie’s House”
**Exam 2 Study Guide and Exam available on our website, page name: “Exam 2”**Homework: Read “The Hard-Boiled Egg Fad,” “Supernuisance,” “The Patient,” and “Ramona’s Book Report” from *Ramona Quimby, Age 8*

***March 30 -- ( S p r i n g B r e a k Week ) -- April 5***

Monday, April 6
Contemporary Realistic Fiction
“The Hard Boiled Egg Fad,” “Supernuisance,” “The Patient,” and “Ramona’s Book Report”
Homework: Junie B. Jones excerpts (available on website page “Readings”)

Wednesday, April 8
Junie B. Jones excerpts
Homework: Junie B. Jones excerpts (available on website page “Readings”)
**Exam 2 Due on Friday, April 10**

Friday, April 10**:
Exam 2 Due**Junie B. Jones
Homework: *Madeline* and *A Sick Day for Amos McGee*

Monday, April 13
*Madeline* and *A Sick Day for Amos McGee*Homework: *Professor Astro Cat’s Frontiers of Space* (available on website page “Readings”)

Wednesday, April 15
*Professor Astro Cat’s Frontiers of Space*Informational Books
Homework: *The Memory of an Elephant: An Unforgettable Journey* (available on website page “Readings”)

Friday, April 17
*The Memory of an Elephant: An Unforgettable Journey*
**Final Exam Study Guide Available**
Homework:
Study for our final exam

Monday, April 20
Course Evaluations
Work Day
Homework: Work on paper two

Wednesday, April 22
Course Evaluations
Film (tbd)
**Paper Two Due**

Friday, April 24
Course Evaluations
Film (tbd)
Last Day of Class

Wednesday, April 29 **FINAL EXAM/EXAM 3**
 Section -001 – 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

 Section -002 – 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**Major Dates**

Exam 2 Study Guide and Exam available on Friday, March 27
Exam 2 Due on Friday, April 10

Exam 3 Exam 3 is our Final Exam
 Study Guide available on Friday, April 17
Exam 3 Wednesday, April 29
 Section -001 – 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.
 Section -002 – 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Paper 2 Due on April 22

**Grades Consist of the following criteria:**

Exam 1 – 150 points
Exam 2 – 150 points
Exam 3 – 150 points

Paper 1 – 200 points
Paper 2 – 250 points

Participation – 100 points

Perfect Attendance –
(Calculation begins on Monday, January 12)
Bonus of an extra 5 points added to your final grade
Grace Absences –
You are allowed three grace absences. After these absences are used up, five points will be deducted from your grade for each unexcused absence.

\*\*This grade calculation and attendance information has been available from the semester’s beginning on our website on the “Syllabus” page and the “Course Information” page\*\*

\*\*On our website page “Grade Calculator” you can use an Excel spreadsheet to calculate your grade\*\*