

Welcome to Civics and Economics

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Kickoff:

- ❖ Pick up all handouts from the front table.
 - Start filling out the getting to know you form.
 - We'll discuss the syllabus later, so put it away for now.
- ❖ Find your seat and be in it by the time the bell rings.
- ❖ **Roll Call:** What name do you go by and do you bring your own laptop to class?

Before we do anything:

- ❖ Classroom Tour
- ❖ Fire
- ❖ Tornado
- ❖ Lockdown



Laptop Policy:

- ❖ You will find your chromebook under or on your desk at the beginning of each class. If it is not, check the cart in the back. It should be left in the rack under your desk at the end of 2nd and 3rd block.
 - 4th block will plug back up all chromebooks into the correct slot before being dismissed
- ❖ If your laptop is broken, missing keys, etc. let me know as soon as you notice.

Let's get set-up:

Google Classroom:

- ❖ 2nd block: 233gkv7
- ❖ 4th block: 5b2wgwa

Remind 101:

- ❖ Block 2 text @93heels to the number 81010
- ❖ Block 4 text @57heels to the number 81010
- ❖ Also download the App

Syllabus Scavenger Hunt

Answers must be in complete sentences but you may work with the person next to you.

Completed and submitted on Google Classroom.

4 Corners

My favorite core subject in school is:

1. English
2. Math
3. Social Studies
4. Science

My favorite sport to watch is:

1. Basketball
2. Football
3. Baseball
4. Soccer

My favorite fast food is:

1. Wendys
2. McDonalds
3. Chick-fila
4. Bojangles

My favorite type of music is:

1. Rock
2. Hip-Hop/Rap
3. Country
4. Pop (or EDM)

My favorite elective subject in school is:

1. PE
2. Foreign Language
3. CTE
4. Arts

My favorite (of these) school is:

1. Dook
2. Wake
3. NC State
4. UNC-Chapel Hill

Which house would you be in?

1. Gryffindor
2. Ravenclaw
3. Slytherin
4. Hufflepuff
5. Middle- I don't know what you're talking about

On Saturday night I would rather:

1. Go to a sporting event
2. Go to a concert
3. Go to a theater performance
4. Stay in and take it easy (Netflix, Hulu, etc.)

I would rather learn by:

1. Listening to the teacher talk, taking notes, and asking Qs
2. Doing research on my own after the teacher gives me a subject/objective
3. Being given articles to read/videos to watch to teach a particular subject/objective
4. Something else

Syllabus

- ❖ Overview of class, basic procedures, expectations, grading, helpful hints, etc.
- ❖ If you have any questions at any point, DO NOT HESITATE TO ASK

Beginning of Class

- ❖ NO LOITERING!!
- ❖ Assigned seats regardless of configuration
- ❖ Always read the board on your way in and pick up handouts
- ❖ In your seat when the bell rings or you are late
- ❖ Typically the kickoff is to be done independently, on Google Classroom and the expectation is that you are working on it quietly

General Rules

- ❖ Stay in your seat while I'm talking.
- ❖ No talking during or after tests or quizzes. I will give you a zero.
- ❖ Bathroom policy
- ❖ No meals → clean up after yourself
- ❖ May not use laptops for anything non-school/Civics related
- ❖ Printer → don't have one so don't as to print
- ❖ Cell phone use

End of Class



- ❖ Closure
- ❖ DO NOT STAND UP AND WAIT AT THE DOOR IF YOU FINISH A FEW MINUTES EARLY
- ❖ Laptop policy
- ❖ Pick up your area
- ❖ Make sure desks are neat and orderly

Materials to Bring Everyday

- ❖ Pen/Pencil
- ❖ Headphones that plug into chromebook
- ❖ Colored pencils
- ❖ Scissors
- ❖ Binder for notes
- ❖ Anything I ask you to bring via Remind



Absent Work

- ❖ Absent work folder
- ❖ Google Classroom
- ❖ Ask a friend
- ❖ Notes should be online or copy a friend's
- ❖ Complete as soon as possible. If you have a zero for something you were absent for, email me when it's completed.
- ❖ Formal assessments before/after school
- ❖ Extended assignments still do the same day even if you're absent

Late Work- maybe biggest pet peeve

- ❖ 20% automatically
- ❖ May then be turned in anytime before the assignment's respective unit test
- ❖ Will likely be graded tougher
- ❖ Will be graded much slower

Tutoring

- ❖ 6:55- 7:10 (third quarter)
- ❖ Speak to me about other times
- ❖ Civics is a hard class to tutor
- ❖ Knight Time

Dress Code

- ❖ Follow it
- ❖ Don't make me be the one to call you out or send you to the office



Communication

- ❖ Your parents are always more than welcome to email me with questions or comments
 - But be a self advocate
- ❖ Parent letter
- ❖ Try to respond quick
- ❖ Be professional in communication
- ❖ Night before tests/big assignments

Grading

- ❖ Ten point grading scale → very generous
- ❖ Q3 - 40% → 60% formal, 20% informal, 20% midterm
- ❖ Q4 - 40% → 70% formal, 30% informal
- ❖ NCFE - 20% → State made final exam
- ❖ **DO NOT ASK ME TO BUMP/ROUND YOUR GRADE**



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General Notes/Pieces of Advice

- ❖ “Now I may be a mean cuss. But I'm the same mean cuss with everybody out there on that football field.”
 - You may not know the entire situation
- ❖ STOP stressing about your grades so much. Put things in perspective.
 - Way I approach your final.
- ❖ Be on time, be dialed in, be respectful, bring a positive attitude and energy
- ❖ Political climate
- ❖ Sports
- ❖ Candy
- ❖ Class can be as interesting as you'll let it be
- ❖ Classroom donations

Mr. Greene's Pet Peeves

- ❖ Late work
- ❖ Talking during the Kickoff (unless directed to)
- ❖ Coming to tutoring without specific questions
- ❖ Loitering before the bell
- ❖ In proper use of technology
- ❖ Students who care too much about their grades
- ❖ Students who do not participate
- ❖ Group work does not mean divide and conquer

Student Pet Peeves:

- ❖ What are some of your pet peeves involving things your teachers do?
- ❖ Take a few minutes with the person beside you to compile a list
- ❖ Be ready to share if called upon



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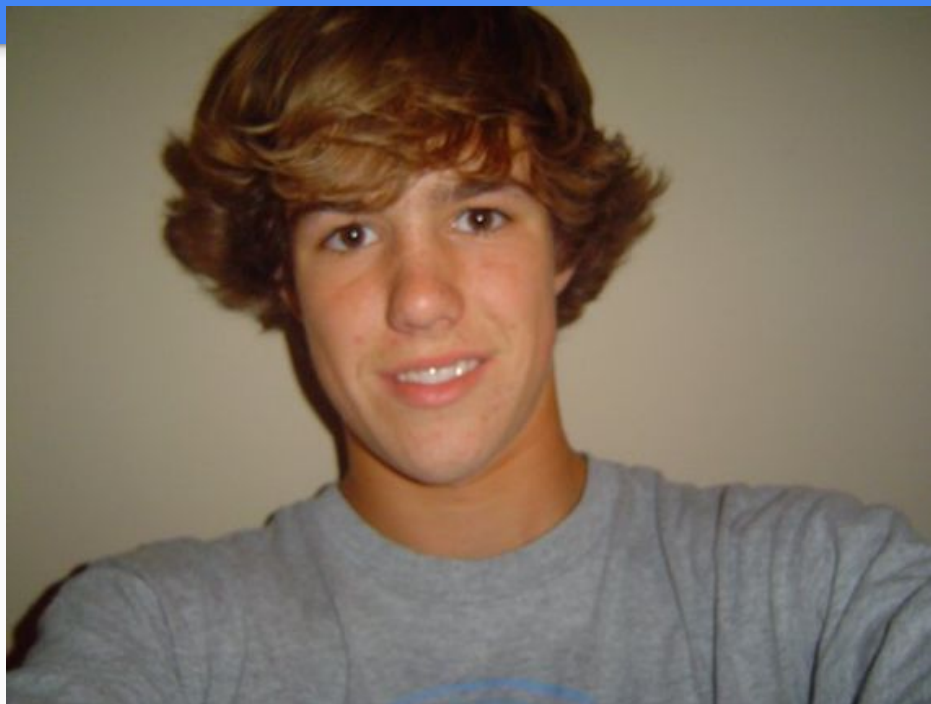
Google Classroom



End of Class

- ❖ Pick up all trash
- ❖ Scoot desks back to correct place

Who is this guy?

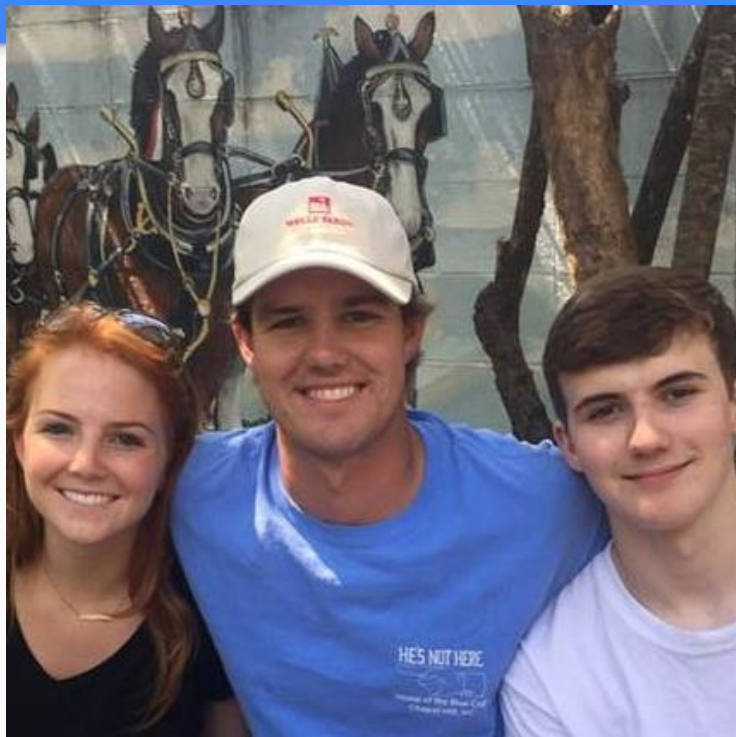


Teacher Profile:

- ❖ Hometown: Greensboro
- ❖ DOB: 3/26/1994
- ❖ Education:
 - UNC-Chapel Hill
 - BA in History and Economics from UNC-Chapel Hill (2016)
 - Master of Arts in Teaching (2017)
- ❖ But who am I really?



FAMILY



No I don't live at school, through i do feel like it sometimes.



Which is the lie??

- ❖ I scored a perfect score on the SAT in 11th grade.
- ❖ I was the Valedictorian of my high school.
- ❖ I finished college with a 4.0 GPA.

My favorite type of movie is:

1. Rom-Com or Comedy
2. Sci-fi or SuperHero
3. Horror or Thriller
4. Drama or Adventure

My favorite season is:

1. Winter
2. Spring
3. Summer
4. Fall