Youth Issues 9-12 Trimester 1 Fall 2015

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Course Description:

Youth Issues in a one-term course. This course will provide students with knowledge with and overview of the process of effective communication, conflict resolution, as well as information on issues that teens confront daily.

Texts and required readings include but are not limited to the following:

The 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens by Sean Covey

Materials: Each student must bring to class EVERYDAY: Textbook (7 Habits) Pen and/or pencil Spiral notebook that is used only for Youth Issues Folder to keep all additional activities and readings

Class expectations: Students will be considerate of others at all times. They will be prepared and contribute positively to the common good of the class. Grading is a composite of assignments, projects, participation as total points and Room Book Final equaling 10% of their final grade.

****Note**** NO extra credit

Homework:

Students are responsible for all assignments. It is expected that all students hand in their work on the due date given when homework is assigned. Late work will be required to be completed for up to 50% credit. Be sure you give your all on every assignment!

Makeup Work:

Students are responsible for obtaining all assignments and notes missed during a period of absence from school. I am available to give assignments before or after school **NOT** during class time. Students are welcome and encouraged to ask a friend/classmate for assignments. A missed presentation during a period of absence from school must be made up before or after school no later than the day following the students return to school.

Plagiarism Policy:

BE ORIGINAL! Everything you hand in should be your own work. If you have any questions refer to the CRHS student handbook or come ask me.

Grading Policy:

100 – 94%	A	85 - 83%	В	75 – 73%	С	65 - 63%	D
93 – 90%	A-	82 - 80%	B-	72 - 70%	C-	62 - 60%	D-
89 - 86%	B+	79 – 76%	C+	69 - 66%	D+	Under 60%	Γ

*If you are not using A-H Connect to check your child's grades and are interested please fill out the attached form and have your student return it to me.

Classroom Rules:

- ✤ RESPECT!
- ✤ Be in class on time!
- ✤ Be prepared to work. Bring supplies to class every day.
- Be prepared to learn.
- No coats
- ✤ No Electronics unless given permission.

Mrs. Scalia has explained the above information to me.

Student Signature_____

I have read the above information and I am aware of what is expected of my child.

Parent/Guardian Signature_____

If you would like to be contacted through email please provide email address that you would prefer information going to during the working day.

Email 1: _____

Email 2: _____