

# 6th Grade Language Arts

Mrs. Oros

## GUIDELINES AND EXPECTATIONS

**TEXTS:** *Writer's Choice Grammar and Composition* (Glencoe)

*Vocabulary Workshop* (Sadlier-Oxford)

### **REQUIRED MATERIALS:**

- ✓ Blue or black pen
- ✓ Colored grading pen
- ✓ Textbook
- ✓ Notebook
- ✓ Loose leaf paper
- ✓ Assignment notebook

**PLEASE BE PREPARED AND BRING YOUR MATERIALS DAILY!**

## COURSE OUTLINE

### **GRAMMAR, MECHANICS, AND USAGE**

- ✓ Daily Oral Language
- ✓ The Sentence
- ✓ Parts of Speech
- ✓ Usage
- ✓ Capitalization
- ✓ Punctuation
- ✓ Agreement

### **SPELLING AND VOCABULARY**

- ✓ 2 weeks will be spent on each vocabulary unit.
- ✓ Class time will be provided to work on vocabulary.
- ✓ Vocabulary exercises will NOT be accepted after due date
- ✓ If a student loses his/her vocabulary book, a fee must be paid in order to replace it.
- ✓ [www.vocabularyworkshop.com](http://www.vocabularyworkshop.com) is a great resource for reviewing vocabulary units. Sixth grade uses Level A.

## WRITTEN COMPOSITION

- ✓ Personal Writing
- ✓ Narrative Writing
- ✓ The Writing Process
- ✓ Persuasive Writing
- ✓ Descriptive Writing
- ✓ Expository Writing



## STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Follow the rules according to the student handbook.
2. Bring proper materials to class daily.
3. Be on time! You must be in your seat, quiet, and ready to work when the bell rings.
4. Be respectful! Help your classmates and yourself by respecting the rights of all students to learn.
5. Conduct yourself so that your honesty will never be questioned.

## MAKE-UP WORK

If the student is absent from class, it is his/her responsibility to obtain missed assignments. The work should take approximately the same time as the time missed from class. All make-up work should be in by the end of the grading period. **It is the responsibility of the student to make up work missed.**

If the student has a planned absence it is his/her responsibility to notify me prior to the absence and request the homework assignments. All pre-assigned work will be due on the day the student returns to school.

**I look forward to having a great school year!**

