**Creative Writing**

**Materials:**

1. Folder
2. Composition journal
3. Highlighters
4. Laptop
5. Kleenex, germ X, disinfecting wipes ( always appreciated ☺ )

**Course Goals:**

1. To examine the points of inspiration in the creative writing process and distinguish creative writing styles across genres
2. Identify the appropriate voice , tone , and style appropriate to genre
3. Understand the necessity of identifying perspective and point of view
4. Illustrate the use of images and symbols to promote creative writing
5. Examine the purpose and structure of poetry
6. Differentiate the elements of voice and personality to develop character
7. Examine how setting , plot , and dialog are necessary elements in the creative writing process
8. Write narratives to develop real or imagined experiences or events using effective technique , well-chosen details , and well-structured event sequences

**Course Offering:**

1. Keeping journals
2. Finding voice , tone and style
3. Identifying perspective and point of view
4. Using detail , imagery , and symbolism
5. Developing figurative language
6. Setting
7. Plot
8. The rhythm of poetry
9. Character
10. Dialogue
11. Revision

**Grading:**

**Tests: 60%**

**Quizzes/ Projects: 30%**

**Daily / Homework: 10%**

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