

Leavenworth High School

Syllabus

Mission Statement

“Our mission is to use challenging academic standards to prepare our students to be successful in our culturally diverse and technologically changing society.”

*“Would you tell me, please, which way I ought to go from here?”
“That depends a good deal on where you want to get to.”...
(Alice in Wonderland, Chapter VI, p.64; Carroll, 1960)*

Teacher:

Contact Information:

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Plan Time: 3rd Hour

Seminar Room: 184

Best time for meetings: LTC Black Mon or Wed, 0730-0900, or after 2:15
MSG Day ó Same as above
SFC Lewis ó Same as above
SFC Loewen ó Same as above

Course Name: Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps

**Textbook: Army JROTC Leadership Education and Training Textbook (LET 1-4)
Leavenworth High School Army JROTC Study Guide**

Course Description: JROTC is open to all physically fit students. The purpose is to motivate young people to be better citizens. JROTC is an Army supported program. Students do not incur any obligation to serve in the military. The student is required to participate in physical fitness training, drill & ceremonies, and community service. JROTC cadets are invited to participate in special activities such as; honor guards (drill teams), color guard, marksmanship team, drum, fife, and bugle corps, cadet raiders, cadet chorus, and the junior guard program, but, are not required to do so. Cadets are provided government issued uniforms at no cost. The uniform must be worn one day each week and on selected special occasions. Uniforms are required to be returned immediately upon dis-enrollment, or the student incurs the cost of the uniform. Students and parents incur responsibility and accountability for all equipment issued to cadets. Fund raisers activities are completely voluntary and do not effect student grades. As a general overview, JROTC instruction includes Citizenship, Leadership, American History, Communication techniques, First Aid, Drug Awareness, Physical Fitness, and Career Planning Opportunities.

Classroom Expectations:

Attendance: Students are expected to be in class as scheduled unless excused by school authorities.

Tardies: Students are expected to be at their assigned desk when the tardy bell rings.

Missing/late work: Students have until the end of the grading period to make-up any missed academic work (tests, quiz, or exams). Students must make-up any missed uniform days prior to the next scheduled uniform day of the following week. Extended absences will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

Lab Safety: All reasonable safety provisions will be enforced and an instructor will be present to oversee all student activities.

Grading Criteria: The grading system in JROTC is divided into four parts as stated below. Each area is worth 100 points/grading period. 40% of the student grade is academics (tests, quiz, and exams). A minimum of two tests or exams are given each grading period. 30% of the student's grade is based on the results of their uniform inspection scores when they wear the uniform. 20% of the grade is based upon student participation. This includes classroom participation, participation in special events, and community service. All students are expected to perform a minimum of 3 hours of community service per grading period. Three hours of community service equals 60 points of a possible 100. Each additional hour of community service earns 5 points; hence, 11 hours are required for a grade of 100 points. 10% of the grade is based upon instructor evaluation. Evaluations are accomplished in ten different areas. (Evaluation sheets are available upon request).

Grading Scale:	A	90-100
	B	80-89
	C	70-79
	D	60-69
	F	59 and below

Student Signature_____

Parent Signature_____