SENIOR OBLIGATIONS & GRADUATION PROJECT

Ms. Soto & Mr. Varnell

SENIOR DUES

- Senior Dues are $35 before Thanksgiving Break or $50 after
- Items Covered by dues
  - Diplomas & Diploma covers
  - Graduation Ceremony
  - Senior Breakfast
  - Senior Cookout
  - Commemorative Class of 2015 T-shirt
- May be paid to Ms. Soto ONLY
- Failure to pay dues = no graduation tickets for student's family

SENIOR EVENTS

- Graduation Day: Thursday, May 26th at 4:00pm

- Graduation Rehearsals

    May 25th, Required rehearsal @ SRHS (8:30 am)

    May 26th, Required rehearsal @ Memorial Auditorium (8:30 am)

- Senior Cookout May 25th after Graduation Practice
- Senior Breakfast April 8th

GRADUATION PROJECT: TWO OPTIONS

Traditional:

- Pairs with Junior research paper

- Requires a mentor

- Included a Portfolio

- Included a Product

- 15minute informational presentation

Service Learning:

- Good option for students without a well developed research paper

- Requires volunteer or job shadow hours

- Requires volunteer of shadow location

- Included Portfolio

- 15minute reflective presentation with student artifacts of time spent

PRODUCTS AND ARTIFACTS

Traditional:

- 15 hours of work that directly relates to student's research and development of product

- Product Examples:

- Tangible Products

- Fundraisers

- Research Seminars

Volunteer/ Job shadow

- 15 hours of volunteer time/ job shadow that directly relates to issue or job selection

- Student may complete an internship, community service, or job shadow

- Students must document experience: Video, Scrapbook, Lesson Plans, Interactive presentation with judges

GRADING PROCESS

Student will present their full presentation for a unit test grade in English IV

Student will present to a panel of faculty and guests for a pass/fail credit required for graduation

Pass = Student finished! Way to go!

Fail = Student will be assigned a faculty mentor who will advise student on necessary changes & improvements for representation

THINGS TO REMEMBER

Flash Drive

3 Ring Binder

Note Cards

Must wear professional attire to both English and final presentations

Student must attend all classes on Grad. Project Date Nov. 12th

Students' portfolios, presentation, and products are expected to be completed, polished and professional