

## CHS English III Syllabus 2026-2027: Cal Arrott

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- **Conference, Carlyle 101:** 6th period
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**Bobcat Block 10:06 - 10:42**

### Course Description

This course embodies the interconnected nature of listening, speaking, reading, writing, and thinking through the seven integrated strands of developing and sustaining foundational language skills; comprehension; response; multiple genres; author's purpose and craft; composition; and inquiry and research. The strands focus on academic oracy (proficiency in oral expression and comprehension), authentic reading, and reflective writing to ensure a literate Texas. The strands are integrated and progressive with students continuing to develop knowledge and skills with increased complexity and nuance in order to think critically and adapt to the ever-evolving nature of language and literacy. Students in English III will read and analyze American literature across literary periods. [English III TEKS](#)

### Classroom Expectations

- Be on time, on-task, and prepared to learn every day. Bring your Chromebook.
- Follow SAISD phone/electronic device policy.
- Be responsible for your own learning.
- Respect the teacher, the classroom, and other students.
- Please follow the CHS dress code.
- Clean up after yourself. Trash goes in the trash can.
- Check email daily. Access email at [webmail.saisd.org](mailto:webmail@saisd.org)

### Rules/Procedures/Non-Negotiables

#### CHS Admin Non-negotiables

- ★ **DISMISSAL:** Students must wait until the bell rings to get up from their desks and exit the classroom.
- ★ **PASSES: e-hallpass (now Securly Pass)** must be used for all passes out of the classroom.
- ★ **TARDIES**
  - 1st tardy = warning. 2nd tardy = teacher detention. 3rd tardy = referral.
  - Being tardy 10+ minutes is equivalent to an absence.
- ★ **[SAISD ELECTRONIC DEVICE POLICY](#)**

#### District Grading Guidelines

- ➔ **Grading:** The CHS English Department maintains a 60/40 policy for English III. Major grades count 60%, while the remaining 40% will be from minor grades. [District Grading Guidelines](#) are posted on the SAISD website.
- ➔ **Absences / Make-Up Work:** Students have the number of days absent *plus* one day to complete and turn in make-up work. It is the student's responsibility to pick up his/her make-up work from the make-up work folders and check for assignments posted to Schoology.
- ➔ **Late Work:** Work will be accepted up to 3 days late with the following deductions:
  - 1 day = minus 10 points

- 2 days = minus 20 points
- 3 days = minus 30 points

### **Required Supplies**

- ☐ Composition Notebook
- ☐ 3-prong folder with pockets or 3-ring binder
- ☐ Pens, pencils, highlighters
- ☐ District-issued Chromebook
- ☐ Tissues &/or paper towels are requested but not required.
- ☐ *Springboard* English III textbook