

# Television Production 1

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Television Production requires Several Commitments from the students. Among them are: Responsibility for equipment, responsibility while working outside of the classroom, the meeting of deadlines, working in groups, and if you wish to continue to other TV Pro classes, the demonstrating initiative above and beyond the basic class requirements of this class.

## Class Fee:

There will be a \$20.00 fee for Television Production. This fee will cover the cost of the necessary media and maintenance cost for the equipment and computers. This may be paid in cash or a check made out to Nease High School.

## Syllabus:

This Years Classwork will include:

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| ⇒ The History and Development of Television | ⇒ Basic Audio and Scriptwriting |
| ⇒ Basic Camera Work                         | ⇒ Short Stories                 |
| ⇒ Editing (Premiere Pro)                    | ⇒ Advertising                   |
| ⇒ Storyboarding                             | ⇒ Sports Highlight Creation     |
| ⇒ Plot Development and Understanding        | ⇒ News Production               |

## Required Materials

A folder (devoted to this class) for handouts  
Paper; does not need to be a spiral, but paper that may be kept in the folder  
Pens or Pencils

## Grading

70% - Filmed Projects  
30% - Tests & Quizzes, Class Participation / Employability Skills

## Things to Remember

- ⇒ **NO Food, DRINKS or Gum**
- ⇒ Wear appropriate clothing and shoes, you will be doing a lot of walking when you are filming
- ⇒ Tardy policy is as it is covered in the student handbook
- ⇒ Respect your teacher, your classmates and all equipment used in class
- ⇒ The school policies found in the student handbook will be enforced during class.
- ⇒ You are not allowed to charge any device (phone, iPad, etc.) in the classroom.
- ⇒ Homework is not given every night. When it is, it must be completed in a timely manner.
  - Penalties for late work are as follows:
    - 1 Day late = -10%
    - 2 Days late = -20%
    - 3 Days late = 0% for the assignment
    - \*\*\* If you have an excused absence, your past deadline work can be turned in for full credit on the FIRST day you are back in class

## Movie Permission

There will be different times in the class we will be watching sections of television shows or movies. All material is carefully screened for educational merit and supports the curriculum guidelines. The movies will fall under a rating of G, PG or PG-13. At not time will an R rated movie be shown in class or movies that contain content that is not appropriate for the school setting. These films will be used to look at shot set-up, camera movements, story boarding comparison, and in the Movie Re-Creation project. A list of films will be available at a later date.

I hope you will enjoy the class. I will be fun and creative, but also requires discipline and dedication. Parents, if you have any questions, the fastest way to reach me is via the school email.