Welcome to **English 10 Composition** in room 110

This is a one semester course focusing on more advanced skills needed for effective, scholarly writing. Students will study more complex grammatical construction and language usage, furthering their skills of organization and focus in written expression and developing their own distinctive voice and style in writing that commands attention and shows ownership of thought and expression. Building upon writing skills from the previous year, students will create and draft papers in expository, creative and technical genres of writing. Students will be instructed in the techniques of formal research and will be required to write a formal research paper.

Grading Scale

Classwork 30%

Research Paper 40%

Tests/Projects 30%

Supplies:

Notebook

Folder which is used only for this class

Pencils

Highlighter

30 index cards

Helpful Class Supplies:

Hand sanitizer

Kleenex

* **Most assignments are to be complete in class.**
* **Late assignments will have reduced grades.**
* **Class time is for working or reading. Sleeping or “saving work for home” is not acceptable and will result in consequences.**
* **Students who are absent are responsible for getting their missed assignments and submitting in a timely manner. Students have one day per absence to make up work. After that, assignments are late and may result in not being accepted.**