

**South Jordan Middle School**

**2020-2021 College and Career Awareness (CCA)**

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**Course Description:**

This is a year-long course broken into 4 quarters, each taught by a different teacher. The course is designed to increase awareness of college and career pathways through simulations and project-based experiences. The College and Career Awareness course explores high school, college, and career options based on individual student interests, abilities, and skills. Students will investigate high-skill and/or in-demand jobs in the Utah labor market while developing workplace skills.

**Materials Needed:**

Headphones with an audio jack (no Bluetooth), lined paper, a folder and something to write with!

**Grading Procedures:**

- Assessments.....80% of total grade
- Practice.....20% of total grade

Students will have until mid-term to turn in any practice assignments or assessments from the first half of the quarter. They will then have until a week before the end of the quarter to turn in practice assignments or assessments from the second half of the quarter.

**Teacher Availability:**

Mrs. Sanders will be available to help students 30 minutes before school and 30 minutes after school as well as during the four sessions on Fridays (see SOJO’s website for the Friday schedule. Please schedule an appointment with me so I can plan accordingly.

**Class Rules and Procedures:**

No food, drink or gum will be allowed in the classroom with the exception of water bottles with sealed lids. Cell phones are to be put away unless specified otherwise. If a cell phone is seen out, the student will be given a verbal warning. If the problem persists, the cell phone will be sent to the attendance office and a parent or guardian will need pick it up.

**Citizenship:**

All students will start with a satisfactory (S) grade. Honors grades will be given to those students who go above and beyond in demonstrating the following PROWL attributes: Prepared, Respectful, On time, Winning Attitude, Listen and Learn. Rewards for following this code are personal integrity and messages to parents/guardians. Consequences for not following this code are:

1. A nonverbal warning
2. Verbal warning
3. Seat change
4. Send out to the hall and contact home
5. Send to office/refer to Administrators

Student attendance will be factored into their citizenship grade based on the table below:

**Snow Leopards on the P.R.O.W.L.**

	<b>H Honors</b>	<b>S Satisfactory</b>	<b>N Needs Improvement</b>	<b>U* Unsatisfactory</b>
<b><i>Prepared</i></b>	Comes to class with necessary books and materials	Generally comes to class with necessary books and materials	Has to be reminded frequently to bring necessary books and materials	Rarely comes to class with necessary books and materials
<b><i>Respectful</i></b>	Follows class rules without being reminded	Generally follows Class rules	Has to be reminded frequently about class rules	Does not follow class rules
<b><i>On Time</i></b>	0 - 1 Tardy	2 Tardies	3 - 4 Tardies	5 or more Tardies or a Sluff
<b><i>Winning Attitude</i></b>	Strives to do his/her best	Generally strives to do his/her best	Has to be reminded to stay on task	Rarely puts forth his/her best effort
<b><i>Listens and Learns</i></b>	Pays attention and actively participates in classroom discussion	Pays attention and talks when appropriate	Talks and does not follow what is supposed to be done in class	Continually interrupts and talks during class

\*Cheating and plagiarism may result in an automatic U.