WELCOME!

ELA, Mrs. Foster/Burke, W101

Instruction for Week of September 28, 2015

Monday, September 28,2015

Learning Goal

I can master a main idea and supporting details assessment with a score of 80%+

What is a SLO? Why Am I Taking It?

- 1. SLO Student Learning Objective (Main Idea and Supporting Details)
- 2. School-wide focus for both 7th and 8th grades
- 3. Data is used to set individual growth targets
- 4. Allows teachers to stretch students who are performing at mastery
- 5. Allows teachers to focus instruction for those students who are not performing at mastery.
- 6. All students' data will be displayed to ELA teachers, JJH administrators, and the Superintendent.

SLO Test IDs

1st: 270448

2nd: 342139

3rd: 326149

4th: 381406

Tuesday, September 29,2015

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Do Now

Create and label a T-Chart. List five positive and five negative character traits you possess.

3rd Hour Do Now

Person in Position 2, create a T-chart like the one shown. Sit in the cut. As a table group, complete the chart. Be ready to share with the entire class.

Learning Objective

- 1. I can identify character traits.
- I can provide evidence to support my thinking.

- 1. Compare literature and informational text.
- 2. Character traits in literature.
- 3. Audio version Huckelberry Finn, Chapter 1- Actively Learn
- 4. Respond to questions Huckelberry Finn, Chapter 1 Actively Learn

Exploring Texts



Wednesday, September 30, 2015

Please sit in your reading groups today.

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Character Traits - Grapes of Wrath

Create a graphic organizer to show character traits of the two male characters in Chapter 2. For example:

Character 1	Character 2
Nosy	Private

Thursday, October 1, 2015

It's a good day!!

Do Now

Homework Review

Learning Objective

I can identify and support with evidence character traits.

Agenda

- 1. Belief Statement
- 2. Do Now Homework Review
- 3. Audio Read Huckleberry Finn
- 4. Answer Questions Actively Learn

Character Traits

1. Who is Huckleberry Finn? What are his character traits? What evidence supports what you say?

Character Traits - Huckleberry Finn

Create a graphic organizer to show character traits about Huckleberry Finn.

