

# Course Expectations Planning Guide

English

## 118 Shakespeare

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Please Note: All listed information is intended to provide a general guideline for students in planning their course load. All information provided will vary according to the individual study needs and academic motivation. Events and responsibilities may vary year-to-year.

### Weekly Time Commitment

*Calculated by surveying students to identify an approximate amount of time spent outside of the school day in order to be successful in this course*

2-3 hours

### Standard Responsibilities

*Successful students may have the following responsibilities in order to be successful in this course:*

**This is an engaging class where students will become more familiar with Shakespeare's work by experiencing it how Shakespeare intended: out loud and acted out! (Note: Although we act, play, and have fun with language in this course on a regular basis, students are not graded on "acting ability.") Students will be expected to read a number of Shakespeare's comedies, tragedies, and histories, both in class and outside of class. Students will be expected to participate in performance-based activities and take part in class discussions. Students will also respond to Shakespeare's texts in written form. Ultimately, students will be offered many ways to show their knowledge and learning in this course.**

### Significant Events

*Students may expect some significant events that may be a part of this class.*

*Not Applicable*