English Skills

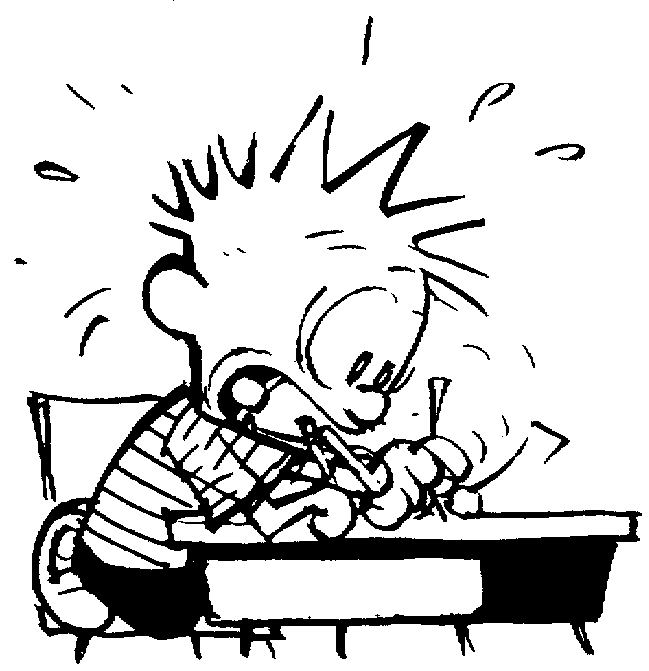
Year project

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**Introduction and Explanation**

During the whole school year, you will be getting English assignments to do at home. These assignments will centre around the four language skills: reading, writing, listening(&watching) and speaking. You have to do two assignments per period. One obligatory skill you all have to do and one skill you can choose yourself.

**What is the goal of the Year Project Skills?**The goal of this year project is twofold. First, it is aimed at supporting and practicing your English language development and skills on your own outside the classroom. Second, it is aimed at preparing you for the school examinations and tests. You will find out for yourself what you are good at and which skills needs some more practice.

It is also important for me that you are able to choose most of your own material; So in the English classroom you can find materials which you can use to do the assignments. But you can also do your own thing and use your creativity. Pick something that you’re interested in!

**Objectives**

* Learners will develop their listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills by exposing themselves to a wide variety of assignments
* Learners will prepare themselves for the school examinations and tests by completing special assignments.
* Learners will work individually outside the classroom .

**How does it work?**

You have to do two assignments per period. If the skill has a red colour you have to do an assignment for this skill. The green assignments is your own personal choice. You will find everything you need in your English Classroom if you need materials for your assignment or you can be creative and choose your own materials. If you have any questions about an assignment talk to me. You are going to use padlet ( see explanation below)

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Assignment | Reading | Listening/ watching | Writing | Speaking |
| period 1  1 red/ 1 green |  |  |  |  |
| period 2  1 red/ 1 green |  |  |  |  |
| period 3  1 red/ 1 green |  |  |  |  |
| period 4  1 red/ 1 green |  |  |  |  |
| period 5  2 green |  |  |  |  |

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**Language**As this is a language project, you will do all of your assignments in **ENGLISH**! I don’t want to read a word of Dutch or any other language in there.   
**Deadlines**  
With each assignment, there is a deadline. It is important for you to make your own planning. **USE YOUR WEEKLY PLANNERS**. I know you get these kinds of assignments for many of your other subjects, but if I give you the deadlines at the beginning of the school year, there should be no excuses for delays! You should be able to plan accordingly. If you can’t make a deadline for a very good reason come and talk to me.

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| ASSIGNMENTS | DEADLINES |
| 1. PERIOD 2 ASSIGNMENTS  2. PERIOD 2 ASSIGNMENTS | **19 OCTOBER**  **21 DECEMBER** |
| 3. PERIOD 2 ASSIGNMENTS | **15 FEBRUARY** |
| 4. PERIOD 2 ASSIGNMENTS | **26 APRIL** |
| 5. PERIOD 2 ASSIGNMENTS | **28 JUNI** |
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| TOTAL 10 ASSIGNMENTS |  |

**Padlet Portfolio ( how to hand in )**You will make your own PADLET YEAR PAGE. Use the programme padlet ( <https://nl.padlet.com> ).Share all your assignments in the padlet and share the link of your padlet in **SOM**. This is the only way so **DO NOT** use my email. I will not accept any assignment handed in by mail. You can hand in your assignment from the beginning of the term until the deadline.  
  
***USE YOUR OWN WORDS or sources***  
Plagiarism is something very attractive to students, especially if they only start on an assignment very late. The definition of plagiarism according to Oxford Dictionary is: “The practice of taking someone else's work or ideas and passing them off as one's own.”  
Note that if I notice you’ve copied something from the Internet or from anywhere else, you will get a zero POINTS immediately.   
You are allowed to use sources. However, if you do this, you are obligated to mention your source and exactly which part comes from the source and which you’ve thought of yourself. If you have any more questions about this, contact me and I will gladly help you

**ANY QUESTIONS ASK YOUR TEACHER!!**