

Camdenon R-III
Request for Course Addition

Course Number: _____

Course Title: Journalism and Creative Writing

District Department: Elective

Graduation Department: n/a

Request Effective Date: 6/4/14

(Complete any of the following that apply)

(Circle appropriate choice)

Abbreviated Title (20 character max)

Subject Type: Reg

Creative Writing

Subject Term Type: Semester

.5 Credits per Semester

Weight: Reg Adv Hnrs

7-8 Grade Level for Curriculum

Honors: No

30 Preferred Class Size

Grade Level 7 To 8

yes Used for Grading

____ Used for Core GPA

____ Used for Core Scheduling

____ Used for HS Transcript

yes Used for Marking Attendance

State Reporting:

054805 State Code

____ State Type Code

____ State Program Code

____ State Sequence Code

____ State Testing Method

____ Career-Ed Code

____ State Delivery Method

____ State Minutes Per Week

Course Description:

This course will provide the opportunity to express creativity in writing through the genres of poetry, short stories, and journalism. Writing skills will be refined in the use of word choice, vocabulary, and figurative language to make writing come alive. Students will be exposed to an array of mentor writing pieces and readings to help them develop their own voice and writing style using 6+1 writing traits.

Signatures:

Pat McWhorter

Counselor

Date

Dr. Paula Brown

Principal

6/4/14

Date

R. T. M.

Superintendent

6-17-14

Date

Board Approval

Date