

## WHEELER HIGH SCHOOL COURSE EXPECTATIONS

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1. *Course Overview:*

This is a communications course that focuses on design. Design rules and principles are used with an understanding of audience to create effective media. Students use Adobe productivity tools, such as InDesign and Illustrator, to create products for the class, the district, and themselves.

2. *Overall Course Objectives:*

See State Standards attached

3. *Material Required:*

Nearly all of the classroom materials will be provided. Students are however, responsible for bringing to class a pencil or pen.

4. *Class/Behavior Expectations:*

Students are required to follow all school rules as stated in the Student Handbook at all times. In addition, behavior expectations specific to this course must also be followed:

1. All safety rules are followed at all times
2. Students respect each other and the classroom
3. Students do not handle materials that are not theirs
4. Students comply with situation specific rules given by the teacher

5. *Attendance Policy stated in handbook:*

6. *Grading Policy:*

Projects – 90%  
Class work/Lab work – 10%

7. *Teacher Availability for Extra Help:*

Availability for additional work time should be worked out with the teacher at least one day in advance.

8. *Wheeler High School Academic Expectation:*

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