

Kaleidoscope 7

Ms. Martino

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**Materials Needed:** 1 folder with some loose-leaf paper in it for notes, pen/pencil

**Course Topics:** Our Culture: Recent Teen Immigrants, Current Social Issues, Ways to Promote Kindness and Tolerance, Civil Rights, History of Intolerance in America, Bullying, Cyber-bullying, Peer Relationships, and so much more!

**Expectations:** Come in on time and take your seat. Take out the materials needed for class. Be prepared to take notes and jot down your thoughts as we go through the lesson that day. Ask questions! Be respectful.

**Grading:** Total Points Earned/ Total Points Possible

This is a 10 week course. You will receive a letter grade. Your assignments are weighted accordingly. Students are informed of the points possible and the due date at the start of each individual assignment.

Late assignments: -5points per school day

Make-up Work: If you are out of school, you will have two school days to complete the missed assignment.

**Class Participation:** Your participation is vital to the success of this course. We must all respect each other's opinions and talk one at a time. Constant disruptions will lead to a phone call home. Your cell phone and/or iPod are not to be out at any time during class. As stated in your planner, cell phones and other devices will be taken away.

You must be on time for class. Three unexcused latenesses will equal a detention. You must have a pass from your previous teacher stating where you were.

There is no food allowed in the classroom. You may have a bottle of water with you.

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