

# Rivera Early College High School

## 2019-2020 Course Syllabus

Course: Principles of Hospitality and Tourism

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**Course Description:** The hospitality and tourism industry encompasses lodging; travel and tourism; recreation, amusements, attractions, and resorts; and restaurants and food beverage service. The hospitality and tourism industry maintains the largest national employment base in the private sector. Students use knowledge and skills that meet industry standards to function effectively in various positions within this multifaceted industry. Students are encouraged to participate in extended learning experiences such as career and technical student organizations and other leadership or extracurricular organizations.

### Examples of Course Activities:

**Group work:** Analyzing, Comparing, Collaborating, sharing and reflecting, gathering data, preparing arguments with evidence from multiple sources

**Reading:** Current Events, Primary Sources, Instructions or How To documents, Novels, Essays, Speeches, Poetry

**Writing:** Multiple page papers, analytical papers, instructional papers, reflective papers, informational papers, persuasive papers, research papers

**Questioning and researching:** extending topics in class by creating questions, answering questions, researching applications and additional related topics so they can be shared with others

### Assessments:

Daily work

Six week exams constructed from information and skills you have used in class

Presentations

Multiple page writing tasks derived from incremental assignments

Report Presentations from reading assignments

Problem-based learning assignments

Projects showing your ability to extend or apply what you have learned

Supplies needed for this course: \*1 two inch 3 ring binder \*USD \*1 ream copy paper \*Writing paper \*Pens/Pencils

**Deadlines: Daily assignments** are due at the end of the class period. Due dates for Projects will be on the 6th day after the initiation of the Project. For instance, if we start a project on Monday, September 11<sup>th</sup> it is due on Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. Late work is defined as any work completed and turned in after a designated due date.

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