

# Grammar Rocks

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<b>Grades:</b>	3 <sup>rd</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Day of Week:</b>	Wednesday
<b>Time of Class:</b>	11:00 am - 12:30 pm ET
<b>Length of Class:</b>	10 weeks
<b>Semester:</b>	Fall 2023
<b>Tuition:</b>	\$250.00

## **Class Dates:**

**Week 1: Week of September 11**

**Week 2: Week of September 18**

***No classes from September 25 – October 6, 2023 – Jewish Holidays***

**Week 3: Week of October 9**

**Week 4: Week of October 16**

**Week 5: Week of October 23**

**Week 6: Week of October 30**

**Week 7: Week of November 6**

**Week 8: Week of November 13**

***No classes from November 20 – 24 – Thanksgiving Holidays***

**Week 9: Week of November 27**

**Week 10: Week of December 4**

***Make-Up Days: Week of December 11***

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## Description of Class:

In this weekly adventure, we will have plenty of time to explore a broad range of grammar concepts. Some topics to be included are sentence structure, subject-verb agreement, contractions, synonyms, antonyms, homophones, punctuation, spelling help, verb tenses, possessive pronouns, capitalization, compound words, and so much more.

## Class Approach:

This grammar course will provide an introduction into the basics of English grammar. We'll cover many relevant topics, including sentence structure, writing basics, as well as review basic English structure in the form of nouns, verbs, prepositions, adjectives and adverbs.

## Additional Supplies/Resources Needed:

- Headset and microphone for class discussions
- Hard back journal
- Pencils / pens
- Colored pencils

## Evaluation:

Based on participation in class discussions, experiments and any homework, individualized feedback will be provided.

## Anticipated Weekly Course Schedule:

Week	Topic
<b>Week 1</b>	Sentence Types, Subjects and Predicates, Complete Sentences, Fragments, and Run-ons
<b>Week 2</b>	Capitalization, Comma rules, Common and Proper Nouns
<b>Week 3</b>	Synonyms and Antonyms, Homophones
<b>Week 4</b>	Contractions, Contractions with Pronouns
<b>Week 5</b>	Singular and Plural Nouns, Irregular Plural Nouns, Possessive Nouns
<b>Week 6</b>	Action, Helping, and Linking Verbs, Conjunctions

<b>Week</b>	<b>Topic</b>
<b>Week 7</b>	Simple Verb Tenses, Irregular Past Tense Verbs
<b>Week 8</b>	Working with Adjectives, Compound Words
<b>Week 9</b>	Fun with Adverbs, Prepositions and Prepositional Phrases
<b>Week 10</b>	Student led Culminating activity