

Exam portfolio

English 11

In accordance with Michigan Standards and to help students achieve proficient standards for the MME, all junior level students have had the opportunity to rewrite key assignments.

English 12 students will not be allowed to rewrite materials unless they have IEP or other special needs.

Students have had from December –February to write papers and papers. Extra credit may be revoked or points reduced for students who reflected any of the following problems in research papers this trimester:

- Extremely poor grammar or mechanics
- Confusing sections that make little sense
- Poor organizational problems
- Confusing, missing or misquoted materials
- Other major problems that reduced communication
- Plagiarized small segments (large amounts = zero score)

Rewritten papers may be redone to pass at a score of

125/200

Rewritten papers also may be redone to achieve a higher score depending on the student or student’s individual needs. Rewrites were not intended to punish students, but for remediation and to help them earn a higher exam score (and hopefully higher MME scores).

Students who did not submit a paper or cheated on it were not permitted to rewrite.

Rewrites are due 1 week from date of return. Anything later than this is at discretion of the instructor. Research paper grades or any other grading is not negotiable with administration or other teachers. Grading is a reflection of the assignment and not on the student him or herself.

Final paper score

Portfolio score (used for exam)

_____ 30 pts.

Exam score portfolio scoring

0-119

0 points toward exam

120-159

30 pts.

Any rewritten paper

+5 points (used for students who passed or higher)

160-200+

+10 points (for students who score a B- or higher)