

Happy April,
CCR 12!

Hello, April.
Surprise me.



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Thursday, April 4 & Friday, April 5

This week's target...



We will **explore characteristics** that **employers** look for when **hiring teenagers** and connect those qualities to **who we are as students.**

What do you already know?

- With a partner or in your groups, discuss:
 - What are some of the things that you think employers will look for when hiring a new person?
 - How could you demonstrate these qualities or skills?
 - What did you put on your résumé that would be a desirable skill?

- **SHARE OUT**





College is beyond just learning college means finding your self as an adult out your independence

AP class courses @ Mark

College differs from high school in many ways. It is not surprising that moving from high school to college is one of the most difficult transitions that many people experience during their entire lives.

Because college is genuinely different from high school, college readiness is fundamentally different than high school competence. Detailed analyses of college courses reveal that although a college course may share the same name as a high school course, college instructors pace their courses more rapidly, emphasize different aspects of material taught, and have very different goals for their courses than do high school instructors (Conley, Aspengren, Stout, & Veach 2006). Students fresh out of high school may assume a college course will be very much like a similarly named high school class they have taken only to find that expectations are fundamentally different. College instructors are more likely to emphasize a series of key thinking skills that students typically do not develop extensively in high school. They expect students to make inferences, interpret results, analyze conflicting explanations of phenomena, support arguments with evidence, solve complex problems that have no obvious

going away help

How can we make college be not so different from high school?

* going away from home
* creating own life
* building new relationships
* what's next?

What should we expect college?

we have to do a lot of new homework

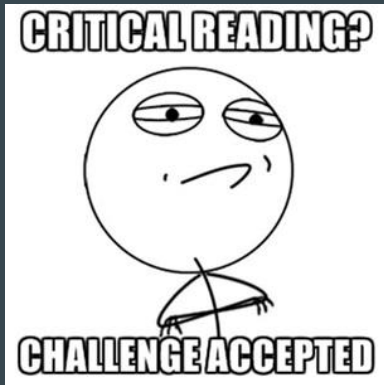
What happens like that more from home may does that experience?

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Put observations and personal connections in your margin notes

Highlighting or underlining important ideas and key points

Extend the reading by writing 2 or 3 open-ended questions about the article



Think about this...

While you're reading, think about how this article connects with what is expected of you at school. Can you make some connections?

Extend the reading...QUICK WRITE!

1. How do these qualities correlate with behaviors that are expected from students in school?
2. How often do you see students exhibit all 10 qualities at school?
3. How often do YOU exhibit these qualities at school?
4. What qualities do you frequently see at school that employers would NOT find desirable in an applicant?

EXIT TICKET:

Write down 1 or 2 of your open-ended questions from the article on a post-it or notecard & give to your CCR teacher. We will use these for our discussion next week.