

Independent Study Project Deadlines
English 11

Deadline	Assignment	Point Value
February 16th	Three possible topics Include supporting preliminary research and annotated descriptive paragraph.	20
February 22nd	Final topic choice (concise, innovative, researchable, personally significant). Include brief, typewritten synopsis describing your compliance with the above criteria. Must be signed off by parent/guardian.	15
March 6th	Four of the seven (minimum) required 3x5 source cards and Source Analysis. Print neatly as described by classroom instruction and examples.	20
March 17th	Preliminary Outline and Information Synthesis. Use only complete sentences and follow format as described by classroom instruction.	35
March 22nd	Note Cards Print neatly on 4x6 cards. Follow in-class instruction and examples. Use five colored or tabbed dividers to separate sub-theses. Include source cards.	30
April 6th	Thesis and Final Outline (expand preliminary outline with research content).	30
April 11-13	Oral Reports	50
April 27th	Preliminary Draft Two copies required for peer editing. Include parenthetical documentation and works cited. CLASSROOM ATTENDANCE IS MANDATORY for full credit.	30
May 4th	Final Draft: Include speech rubric, final outline, edited preliminary draft, preliminary outline, note cards, and source cards. The final must be submitted to Turnitin.com to receive full credit.	200
	Total Possible	430

A deadline is just that. **Late work will be downgraded one full letter grade per calendar day.** In case of illness, assignments may be sent in with a classmate or placed in the teacher's mailbox prior to the start of the period. With the exception of source and note cards, all assignments will be neatly typed. Each step must be completed to minimum standards before the following step will be accepted. The above dates, assignment content, and point values are subject to minor changes.