**CROCKETT COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL**

**SYLLABUS**

# DRIVER’S EDUCATION LYLE LaRUE

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# **COURSE DESCRIPTION**:

# The mission of the Driver’s Education program at Crockett County High School is to promote safe, knowledgeable, and competent drivers in the State of Tennessee. Topics discussed will focus on 1) defensive driving techniques; 2) parking; 3) smooth stopping, starting, and turning; and 4) road laws and conditions. To ensure success in this course, each student is advised to keep up with course readings, complete all assignments, attend class, and practice their driving skills.

**SUPPLIES:** Binder or folder

 Paper

 Pencil or non-red pen

**CLASSROOM POLICIES:**

 All Student Handbook policies apply in this classroom

 Do not use computers without permission

 Stay in your seat

 You may leave the room 2 times a semester for nurse visits, emergency bathroom trips, etc.

 You must be in the classroom when the bell rings or you will receive a tardy

 Keep this classroom spotless

 No talking when: 1) Working on a classroom assignment; 2) Coach LaRue has the floor; 3) The intercom is on; or 4) We have visitors in the room.

 Act appropriately and be respectful

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# **CCHS OFFICIAL GRADING SCALE** GRADING CATEGORIES:

# 93-100 = A

# 85-92 = B 25% - *DAILY CLASS WORK*

# 75-84 = C 50% - *TEST GRADES*

# 70-74 = D 25% - *EXAM GRADE*

# 69-0 = F

Portfolio Grading System -

→ All assignments are numbered

→ Each assignment is worth 100 points

→ Important assignments counted twice

**MAJOR UNITS AND PROJECTS**

WEEK ONE: INTRO, CLASS PROCEDURES, DRIVING PROCEDURES … SIGNS, SIGNALS, ROAD MARKINGS

WEEK TWO: SMOOTH STARTS, STOPS, and TURNS

WEEK THREE: PARKING

WEEK FOUR: BACKING … FUEL PROJECT and DEBATE

WEEK FIVE: DEFENSIVE DRIVING

WEEK SIX: DUIs, TEXTING and DRIVING, DISTRACTIONS

WEEK SEVEN: LAWS

WEEK EIGHT: MAINTENANCE … DREAM CAR PROJECT/CAR BUYING DEMO

WEEK NINE: REVIEW and EXAM

**TESTING DATES: WE WILL TAKE A PRACTICE DRIVER’S LICENSE KNOWLEDGE TEST AS OUR FINAL**

**PROJECT DUE DATES: DREAM CAR project, FUEL debate, and CAR BUYING demo due dates are TBA**

**PARENT RESOURES:**

[**http://crocketthigh.ccschools.net/**](http://crocketthigh.ccschools.net/)

[**http://www.tn.gov/safety/section/dlmain**](http://crocketthigh.ccschools.net/)

I have read over the syllabus and I have noted that classroom behavior and student responsibility are significant factors in determining the final grade. I also have read and understand the class policies. I also understand that I can contact the teacher at lyle.larue@crockettschools.net or call CCHS at 731-696-4525 to set-up a meeting with the teacher.

Student name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Student signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Parent signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_