

Dear Families and Guardians,

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Welcome to StudySync! This letter provides you with an

overview of McGraw Hill Education's innovative English Language Arts program, StudySync[®]. You can also learn more by visiting <u>www.studysync.com</u>.

What is StudySync?

StudySync is a comprehensive English Language Arts curriculum designed for today's high school students. StudySync combines print books with a digital platform for reading and writing. Your teenager will have their own online digital binder where they will receive their assignments, store their writing, and receive teacher and peer reviews.

Like your local library, StudySync offers your student access to a digital library with thousands of texts. New texts are added monthly to keep up with trends in popular literature and are completely accessible for your student for on-demand reading.

Learning with StudySync

Lessons within StudySync are designed to build your students' ability to work both collaboratively and independently. Multimedia such as the StudySync® TV episodes model for your student how to participate in a critical discussion of literature, how to support their viewpoint with text evidence, and how to skillfully use academic vocabulary – all while collaborating with their peers.

StudySync's digital platform ensures equitable access for all students. Lessons can be customized for each learner's needs. Students are supported each step of the way with a variety of scaffolds, with passages in supplemental languages, audio of each text with highlighting to follow along, and slide-in sentence frames to support written responses. StudySync is also designed to support students with disabilities, providing a high-contrast interface, screen-reader support, and use of the product without a mouse.

Please feel free to reach out to me directly for more information about StudySync.

Sincerely,

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