Classroom Expectations

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I. Grades

Unit Test 30% Quizzes 30% (covering subtopics within the unit) Homework/Classwork 40% Grades are updated weekly in Power School. Each student has an assigned username and password. Parents may also receive a username and password from the school's main office.

II. Supplies

 $1\frac{1}{2}$ " to 2" 3-Ring Binder

Loose-leaf paper and Graph Paper

Pencil - All work must be done in pencil.

Scientific Calculator and Graphing Calculator (Students can check out graphing calculators from the media center) Index Cards/Colored Pencils for vocabulary

III. 3 - Ring Binder/Notebook

Notes - Labeled with date and section (Notes include all vocabulary and examples) Homework - Labeled with date, section and page numbers Quizzes and returned work

IV. Homework

Homework will be checked on a daily basis in class together. Students should ask questions about problems they do not understand or worked incorrectly. Students should also review their corrections to help better prepare them for tests and quizzes. Classwork/Homework will be collected as determined necessary. Answers only will not be accepted.

V. Expectations

Wear your mask at ALL times while in class, covering your nose and mouth.

Wait and sit 6 feet apart.

Wash your hands, use hand sanitizer, and clean your area as needed.

Be in your seat ready and have your pencils sharpened before the tardy bell rings.

You will NOT be allowed to share calculators during a guiz or test.

You are NOT allowed to have food, drink or gum in the classroom, with the exception of water.

Bathroom visits should be for emergencies only, please sign out in the Microsoft teams app.

NO cell phones, earbuds, etc are allowed in class.

Please raise your hand to be excused from your seat or if you have a question.

VI. Consequences

Students will be dealt with on an individual basis.

Students will be called down in class.

Parents will be contacted as necessary.

Discipline referrals will be written as necessary.

VII. Attendance

If you are absent it is your responsibility to make up the work you missed in the allotted amount of time and be sure your notebook is up to date with all notes you missed. Information can be found in Canvas or on the announcement board in the classroom. Also feel free to ask the teacher what you missed while absent. The class videos will be posted each day for you to watch if you are absent. Students will receive a "1" in power school for work missed due to being absent until the makeup work is submitted. Students will be expected to turn in assignments/take quizzes or tests on the day they return if they were present when they were assigned. It is the student's responsibility to communicate with the teacher if they have any question or concern about when items must be turned in due to being absent.

VIII. Technology

Computers and our online learning platform, Canvas will be used as a tool to aid in classroom instruction. We will use Microsoft Teams to meet virtually each day. However, much of the math will be done with paper, pencil and calculator. Therefore there will be times where it is necessary to put computers away and do mathematical computations to comprehend the topic.

IX. Exams

SEMESTER EXAMS

First and second semester exams are given to all students in grades 9-12 on designated days in the school calendar. Scores on these exams count 25% of the final semester grade.

Exam Exemption Policy

High School students will not be required to take a **teacher-made final exam** in a course in the following situations:

- The student has an average of 90 or above the week prior to the administration of the exam and has no more than 2 unexcused absences in the class; or
- The student has an average of 80 or above the week prior to the administration of the exam and has no more than 1 unexcused absence in the class.

Teacher made tests are defined as tests designed and graded by a UCPS teacher of record for the purpose of assigning an exam grade to a student. Exam exemptions only apply to teacher made tests and are not available in courses which require the administration of an End of Course or state mandated final exams. Students enrolled in AP courses will still be required to take the AP exam. Students are expected to take all other assessments given at the school.

X. Virtual Learning Expectations

Students are expected to participate in online instructional activities for 90 minutes each day (Monday - Thursday) during their designated class period. Attendance will be taken each day during the designated class period. Friday expectations for instruction and attendance will be communicated to students each week and students are expected to fulfill those requirements on time.

Students must have access to a computer and high-speed internet. Students are to contact the school if they need assistance. It is expected that your camera and microphone be in working order at all times. Students can apply to receive a hot spot for access to high-speed internet.

Students are expected to have a designated space for instruction that is conducive to learning and free of distractions.

Students are expected to participate in online instruction and interact with teacher and students when asked to do so during a class period.

Students are expected to turn in assignments on or before their due dates.

Students are expected to complete assignments, tests, and quizzes independently and without the use of unapproved support.