

PreCalculus Classroom Expectations

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I. Grades

Unit Test 50% Quizzes 30% (covering subtopics within the unit) Homework/Classwork 20%

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

1½" 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. Homework will be collected as determined necessary. Answers only will not be accepted.

V. Tutoring

Tutoring will be available in the mornings. Exact days will be posted in the classroom.

VI. Expectations

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 quiz 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 and sign back in on the clipboard provided.

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

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

VII. 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.

VIII. 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.

IX. Technology

Computers and our online learning platform, Canvas will be used as a tool to aid in classroom instruction. However, much of PreCalculus 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.