

Class rules

- Obey ALL school rules
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- No food OR drink allowed on lab days
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- Come prepared to class
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- RESPECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS.
- YOU MUST FOLLOW THE POLICIES OF THE CLASS AS EXPLAINED TO YOU BELOW AND THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.
- ABSOLUTELY NO PHYSICAL CONTACT!!!
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- ALL DIRECTIONS MUST BE FOLLOWED
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- DO NOT TOUCH ANY MATERIALS UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO!!!!

No hats!!

PRE-LABS

- WHEN A PRELAB IS ASSIGNED, YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COMPLETE THE LAB WITHOUT COMPLETING THE PRELAB.
- THAT MEANS A ZERO FOR THE LAB REPORT!!!

Chromebooks

Your chromebook must come with you each day, charged and usable.

If your battery does not last, bring your charger.

You will lose three participation points if you come to class without a charged chromebook when we are using them (most days)

Assigned Materials

- You are responsible for any and all materials provided to you. If you find that the material has been broken or is missing, please see me immediately so you will not be held responsible.
(your science number dictates what materials you use)

LAB DAYS

When performing a lab, all backpacks, pocketbooks, sweatshirts must be placed ON TOP of the tables. Any material left on the floor or in the aisle will be confiscated. It is dangerous when you are carrying hot liquids or sharp objects.

You will get a lunch detention if I find your materials on the floor during a lab.

NO CELL PHONES!!!

- No cell phones!! If you are using it during class you will be forced to put it at the front of the room and you can pick it up at the end of the day. Multiple offenses will result in disciplinary action.
- Charging can be done at the charging station at the front of the room ONLY.
- Anyone who uses a lab outlet to charge their phone will have the phone turned in to the office for the rest of the day and a disciplinary referral.

Cheating

- No cheating!! If you are caught cheating (copying anything that is not your own) you will be written up.
- That means that copying homework, plagiarizing material for projects or using materials while taking a test is considered cheating.

Missed work

YOU are responsible for making up any work. If you miss a lab, you must arrange to make up the lab (after school) or get the data from your lab partner.

If you miss a test, you can come after school Tuesday or Thursday, or wait until the date of the next test. If you chose to take it during the next test day, you will only have the period to take two tests

Homework

The homework is posted on the front board, on the homework website, on the calendar and a sheet will be posted Monday outside the door for you to take with the week's activities and homework. If work requires access to a computer, it is your responsibility to arrange that in order to meet the due date. Technology failures are not an acceptable excuse for missing assignments. **PLAN AHEAD!!!**

Fire drill

- Line up silently in single file waiting at the door and down the interior lab table aisle. No running, pushing or shoving.
- . Exit the classroom at my signal- NOT BEFORE!
- Stay in a single file while exiting classroom. Turn right and exit out side door maintaining a single file and in silence.

Outside Activities

- You will exit the classroom and follow me **SINGLE FILE** through the halls **IN SILENCE**. Other classes are working. Failure to maintain silence in the halls will result in immediate return to the classroom and an alternate assignment. There will be no warnings given. This is a luxury, not a requirement; treat it as such.

Cleaning up

- Return all equipment to its original position and in the condition you found it- clean, closed and off.
- plug in your chromebook and put it in the correct slot.
- Failure to return items in the correct area and in the correct condition will result in a lunch detention.

TEST REMEDIATION SHEETS

After each test, you will be provided a test remediation sheet. In order to schedule a retake, these must be completed fully.

LAB REPORTS

- All lab reports must be submitted via Google classroom
- If handing in a lab report with your lab partner, BOTH names must be on the top of the doc. Failure to do so will result in only one person getting credit for the lab.
You must use the template.
- YOU are responsible for the lab report. If your partner is supposed to, but does not complete the lab, there is no recourse. You are always welcome to hand a lab report in individually if your lab partner is unreliable.

Bathroom

Please use the bathroom at the beginning of class before we start.

In order to go to the bathroom during class, you must sign out, take the pass for the appropriate bathroom, and leave your phone in the phone box by the door.

Abuse of bathroom visits will result in not being able to leave during class.

Microscopes

We will learn how to use, care for and return the microscopes. You are only to use your assigned number microscope.

If you get your microscope and it has not been stored properly, please tell me the number of the microscope and what was wrong with it. The person who used it before you will receive a lunch detention.

Homework passes

Homework passes will be given for outstanding answers, exceptional work or insight and most importantly when you are supportive of other students.

Homework passes are good for any one section homework. They can NOT be used for test remediation sheets, labs or chapter reviews.

They can also be used at the end of the marking period towards the grade (.1 per pass)

