# Intermediate Algebra Syllabus 2021-2022

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Office Hours: Before and after school, Monday-Friday except for Thursday mornings

**Materials:** The following materials need to be brought to class each day:

- School-Provided Laptops (charged) and the charging cord.
- Stylist (can be bought at Wal-Mart, Target, Dollar Tree, etc.)
- TI-84 Graphing Calculator (can be rented from school)
- Binder for Math only
- Filler lined paper
- Pencils
- Highlighters
- Ruler
- NO cell phones

# Grading Scale:

90% - 100% A 80% - 89% B 70% - 79% C 60% - 69% D 0% - 59% F

#### MY SCHEDULE

1st Hour: Meetings/Plan 2nd Hour: Meetings/Plan

3rd Hour: AVID

4th Hour: Intermediate

Algebra

5<sup>th</sup> Hour: Applied Geometry

6<sup>th</sup> Hour: Applied Geometry 7<sup>th</sup> Hour: Intermediate

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**Room:** 1103

<u>Grading Policies:</u> Semester grades are comprised of the following categories and their corresponding weights. See detailed information below.

Assignments: 30% Quizzes: 30% Tests: 40%

#### **Assignments:**

- Assignments are usually assigned each class period and will be due the following class meeting unless notified otherwise.
- All assignments from the unit must be turned in <u>prior</u> to the unit test to receive credit.
- Most assignments are worth 10 points.

#### **MAKE UP & LATE WORK**

NOTIFY ME OF AN ABSENCE whenever possible. For excused absences, you will have two days for every day missed to complete your assignments for full credit. Partial credit will be given at the teacher's discretion if:

- The assignment is turned in before the unit test.
- The assignment is totally complete/attempted.
- You meet with me to grade the assignment and make corrections.
- Most make up assignments and copies of lost assignments can be found on Google Classroom.

#### **Quizzes:**

- Quizzes will be given frequently. The format of quizzes will vary but will be a check for understanding of the topic(s) covered in each unit.
- No Retakes!

#### Tests:

- Tests will be given at the conclusion of each unit of study. Tests dates are announced in class and posted on Google Classroom.
- If a student is absent on a test day, it is expected that he/she will make arrangements with the teacher to make it up.
- Students may retake a test (which will replace the score of the first test regardless of results) if the following criteria are met:
  - All homework must be turned in and completed prior to the original test teacher discretion.
  - o Completion of an alternate assignment will be under teacher discretion.
  - o Retake tests must be completed within 7 school days from the original test.
  - o ALL retakes will be done outside of class hours. Please set up a time with me.

#### **Semester Final:**

A comprehensive final exam will be given at the end of each semester (no retakes).

### Student Support:

I will be available during Academic Intervention, before school, and after school to answer any questions, you may have. I'm in meetings many times before school on Thursdays. If I am elsewhere, like the library, I will leave a sign to let you know.

### **ELECTRONICS:**

These devices are **ABSOLUTELY NOT** to be used during class unless otherwise stated. If I see it during a time that has not been deemed appropriate, you will be instructed to put it away until class is over. If it is a reoccurring problem, it will be taken up to the office for you to pick up at the end of the day and a parent will be contacted. Ear buds/headphones/etc. are also not to be used during class.

#### **Academic Integrity:**

All students are expected to complete all assignments, quizzes, projects, and tests with academic integrity. Students should complete assignments without the use of apps or website, such as Photo Math, and should never attempt to use apps or websites to complete quizzes or tests. Any breach of academic integrity will result in a zero in the assignment, plus contacting of parents and administrators, which could result in dismissal from some extracurricular activities.

## **In-Class and Online Class Expectations**

# **BE PROMPT**

- Wake up early enough to get ready
- Log in a few minutes early

## **BE PREPARED**

- Be in a quiet location with no distractions
- Have your materials ready.

# **BE PRODUCTIVE**

- Participate
- Add to the discussions
- Ask questions



## **BE POSITIVE**

- Have a can do attitude
- NO negativity
- Control your body language.



can control
- Stay on topic

## **BE POLITE**

- Mute yourself if teacher or another student is talking
- Raise hand to speak



# Remind App

3<sup>rd</sup> Hour

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4th Hour

• gg6b77

5<sup>th</sup> Hour

• eb7kkc

6<sup>th</sup> Hour

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7<sup>th</sup> Hour

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Advisory

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