

Course Outline

Mr. Frees

Welcome to Mr. Frees' class. To help you achieve success in mathematics, I will require the following of you on a daily basis:

1. Be in class and on time (in your seat when the bell rings). Do not "line up" at the door before the end of the period.
2. Bring your text, a pencil, a graphing calculator, and a math only notebook.
3. Respect your fellow classmates and your teacher.
4. Ask question when they occur and please raise your hand.
5. If your class falls during announcements, please be quiet and attentive during the announcements.
6. Seek extra help when needed. I will be in 204 before and after school.

Homework will be checked for completeness and effort. If you are absent, you must make up the work as soon as possible. I will have assignment guides, but it is your responsibility to find out what you missed.

Being absent the day before a test does not excuse you from taking the test when you come back. Generally, if you are absent for X days, you have X days to make up the work. Tests must be made up within 1 week. If they are not made up in one week, it will be counted as a zero. If you are absent on the day of a test, you will be expected to make it up upon your return.

Your grade will be determined by tests, quizzes, projects, homework, and positive interaction with peers and teacher. Your grade will be comprised of the following percentages:

Homework: 20% (this includes any projects or participation)

Quizzes: 30%

Tests: 50%

Grade scale (percents):

A: 100-90

B: 89-80

C: 79-70

D: 69-60

F: 59-0

The student handbook will be followed in cases of discipline. However, to avoid confusion, nothing that will disrupt the learning process will be allowed in class.

Examples are ipods, food, drink (water is allowed), scents (like spraying perfume or heavily scented hand lotion), dress code violations, cell phones, etc. We will all respect each other and we will have a great year learning math together.

See: www.mrfrees.com