

Mr. Schulls
Classroom Policies and Expectations
Pre Algebra

Expectations:

- Students are expected to bring their materials to class every day.
 - Book, Note book, Pen and/or pencils.
 - Scientific calculators are recommended but are not required.
- Students are expected to behave in safe, respectful and responsible manner.
 - Actions that take into consideration the safety of self and others.
 - Respectful of the learning environment, people, and their property.
 - Responsible for being in class and participating.

Policies:

- Tardies:
 - Student's who are not in the classroom when the bell rings are tardy.
 - On the Third tardy students will be assigned a detention. Each tardy there after will result in a detention.
- Electronic devices:
 - Cell Phones are prohibited (School Wide Policy)
 - All music playing devices are prohibited during class time.
 - Calculators are to be used for the mathematical operations only.
- Food and Drinks:
 - Food is not allowed in class at any time.
 - Drinks are OK if they are in a container with a lid.

Grading Scale:

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| 90-100 | A |
| 80-89 | B |
| 70-79 | C |
| 60-69 | D |
| Below 60 | F |

Assignments:

| | Points | Quarter Grade | Semester Grade |
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| Participation | 10 Points | 10 % | 1 st . and 2 nd quarter Average 90% |
| Assignments | 20 Points | 40 % | |
| Tests | 50 Points | 50 % | |
| Final Exams | 100 Points | | 10% |

- Participation and Assignments cannot be made up for unexcused absences.
- Assignments are due at the end of class unless it is specified otherwise.
- Tests must be made up before the next test is given unless the absence is unexcused then the test will be made up the next day student is in class.
- Students can redo one test for a maximum of 80% per 9 week quarter
- Final Exam is mandatory and must be taken during the scheduled exam time unless prior arrangements have been made.

Hall Passes:

Each student will receive Five hall passes per 9 week quarter to use as needed i.e. restroom, locker. Any additional hall pass usage will result in a loss of participation points. Hall passes are the responsibility of the student. If they are lost or stolen they cannot be replaced. Any left over hall passes can be turned in at the end of each quarter for 20 extra credit homework points.

Absences:

Students are responsible for making up all assignments missed due to absences. Students will have one week from the day of their return to school to make up assignments. Any assignment not made up will count as a zero score. Homework cannot be made up for unexcused absences or absences exceeding the 5 allowed per quarter per school attendance policy. Therefore, it is very important for students to bring their admit slips to class.

Extra Credit:

I do not give extra credit assignments. I do give extra credit problems on tests and on occasion some homework assignments. Students can also get extra credit points for their unused hall passes and homework extension passes.

Course Information:

This course covers Number Operations w/ Whole Numbers, Fractions, Integers and Rational Numbers. It also covers Solving Equations, Geometry, Statistics, and Probability. The recommended math course to take after successful completion of this course is Algebra 1.

Discipline policy:

It is my responsibility to ensure that the classroom environment is positive for learning. Students who disrupt that environment will be given one chance to correct their behavior. On the second incident of disruptive behavior I will send the student out of the room with an alternative assignment if necessary. Further disruptions will result in a referral and/or parent conference.

Contact information:

I can be reached at school at 744-4700. Office hours are 7:30 to 8:00 am and from 3:15 to 4:00 pm. I can also be reached by email at dschull@sps.lane.edu