Integrated Math II

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Welcome to Integrated Math II! We are very excited about starting another year here at Riverdale High School. We are looking forward to getting to know each of you and getting the opportunity to help you explore the world of mathematics.

 We are very committed to the success of all our students. We will be doing many different activities and methods throughout the year to motivate and encourage you to be successful with this subject matter. What ***you*** must do to be successful is be an active participant in your own learning. You are expected to take responsibility for your success in this class. These responsibilities include knowing your grade, asking for help, and participating in class in a mature manner. If you ever need anything from us outside of this class, please let us know. We are here to help you! Knowing the rules and expectations on this handout will help you to be successful. Get ready for a math-tastic year!

In addition to the rules in Riverdale’s Student Handbook, the following rules apply specifically in this classroom:

1. Be Respectful.
2. Participate responsibly in activities and discussions.
3. Be on time and prepared.
4. No food or drink during class. (except water)

# Be on Time for Class

Students are expected to be in the classroom *when the bell rings.* After 4 tardies in a semester, a pink slip will be issued.

Be Prepared to Work

**Materials for class:**

* **3-ring 1 ½ “ – 2” binder**
* **Composition Notebook**
* **loose-leaf notebook paper**
* **#2 pencils**
* **Glue Stick and scissors**
* **Graphing Calculator (TI-83 or TI-84)**

**Teacher Wish List:**

* **Tissues**
* **Index Cards**
* **Expo Markers**
* **Colored Paper**

**Classroom Etiquette**

Class will begin each day by students putting away their phones and headphones, being in their seats, and starting bell work before the bell rings. Whenever an announcement is made or a visitor enters the room, students **will** be quiet and respectful. Sleeping is never allowed. Students will remain in their seats at the end of class until the teacher dismisses them.

# **Grading**

Grades will be determined by a category percentage system. Tests and Projects 60%, Quizzes 20%, and Participation 20%. If a student or parent wishes to know a grade at any time, they can be checked online. Please understand it may take teachers some time to grade and post all assignments.

A = 100-93 B = 92-85 C = 84-75 D = 74-70 F = 69-0

**Benchmarks**

At the end of each quarter, students will be given a cumulative benchmark that will count as a test grade. This benchmark will also replace the lowest test grade during the quarter. This is your opportunity to improve your test category and overall grade. No other extra credit opportunities will be given.

**Cheating**

Cheating will not be tolerated in this class. If you cheat, you will be subjected to the consequences in the student agenda. This includes receiving a zero for said assignment/test and requires student to set up a time to come and redo/retake that assignment/assessment. **It is our expectation (and should be yours as well) that, as a high school student, you can do any assignment in this class without cheating.**

# **Make-Up Work**

Students are expected to attend class. However, make-up work can be found in the classroom black Assignments Crate. **Students are 100% responsible for make-up work** and can request missed material before or after class. Those who plan to attend field trips must get their class work before leaving. Missed work must be completed within five school days after a student returns to school. Once those five days have passed, work turned in will be counted as late.

**Class Contacts**

Whenever you are absent, contact one of your “class buddies” to get the information you missed in class.

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Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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# **Late Work**

Assignments should be turned in on the day they are due. Have assignments ready when class begins. Late work will only be accepted in the grading period.

**Bathroom Use**

Students may **ONLY** leave the class for bathroom use in case of **emergencies**. Restroom issues need to be addressed between classes or at lunch. Students must always receive permission from the teacher before leaving the classroom.

# **Electronics**

According to RHS rules, students are not to use *any kind of disruptive device* in class. This includes cell phones and music players when not used as a class activity. Faculty members will confiscate disruptive items from students and will be returned at the end of the day. Cell phones used at inappropriate times will be placed in your assigned number space in the cell phone storage unit until the end of class. On test days, all cell phones will be required to be put in their assigned wall pocket until the end of class.

**Open Communication**

Our doors are always open. We prefer that students come to us with problems or concerns at the end of the class period or the end of the school day. However, any emergency questions or situations can be addressed immediately, if necessary. You can always email us anytime or check our websites for important information. Following those procedures will guarantee a successful year in our classes, but the final piece is up to you. It is your ATTITUDE!!

Follow this link to complete the Parent Information survey: <http://rbjones.weebly.com/>