

Ms. Cantley Welcomes you to Math Class!

Materials Needed

Pencils with Erasers

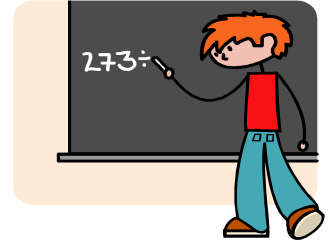
Pens (blue or black ink only)

Notebook (1" 3-ring binder with pockets)

Loose-leaf paper

Dividers (three labels: notes, homework, worksheets)

Casio fx 300MS Calculator {Why this calculator? It is a NYS mandate.}



Everyday Procedure

Copy the homework assignment down in provided agenda book.

Copy down the "Aim" and begin working on the "Do Now" problem(s).

Have your homework assignment out on your desk so that it can be checked.

How to Pass this Class!

Bringing ~ all required math materials (pencil, pen, & binder) to each class.

Choosing ~ to get extra help before/after school as needed.

Doing ~ required assignments completely when assigned.

Studying ~ for all types of quizzes and tests.

Respecting ~ all adults and students in the classroom.

Managing ~ time wisely in the classroom, all tests and quizzes must be completed within the time given.

Class Room Policy and Procedures

Be prompt

Be prepared

Be polite

Be a participant

Be in your assigned seat ready to begin when the bell rings.

Raise your hand to speak or leave your seat.

Respect yourself and others

Listen to whoever is speaking

Tolerate the questions and opinions of others

Display courtesy to ALL who enter our classroom

Accept responsibility for your learning and behavior

TRY your very best

Consequences

First time ~ receive a warning.

Second time ~ Lunch detention

Third Time ~ Parental Contact & Student will stay after school for detention.



Grading Policy



Tests, Quizzes, & Homework

Each student will receive a 100 homework average at the start of each quarter. Any missed or incomplete homework will reduce that average by 5 points. The final grade will be calculated by taking the **total** amount of points received on tests, quizzes, and homework, and then divided by the **total possible** points that could have been received and calculated into a percent out of 100.

Homework Details

☆ **Tests & Quizzes:** - At the end of each math section, there will be a cumulative test covering the chapter studied. Quizzes will be used to monitor progress. In addition, there may be some questions from previous chapters. Tests will not be returned until all students have had the opportunity to take the test. If you are absent on the day of a review, you will take the test with the class. If you miss the test day, it is YOUR responsibility to schedule a time with me to make it up.



☆ **Math Homework:** Expect homework every night. It is to be completed prior to the next class period unless otherwise instructed. **YOU MUST SHOW ALL OF YOUR WORK!!!** If work is not shown, it will result in a Zero. **LATE WORK IS NOT ACCEPTABLE!!!** Assignments that are not completed prior to the start of class will result in grade of zero and you will not be permitted to make it up. For every three missed homework assignments detention will be given and the missing assignments will be completed. Students who are absent may turn in the missing work the day after they return. It is the STUDENT'S responsibility to get missing homework and schedule make-up tests and quizzes. Assignments are posted weekly at www.cantleymathclass.com.

Absences: STUDENTS, it is **your responsibility** to make sure you get the assignment(s) or schedule a test/quiz that you missed. Excused absences will be given full credit if they are turned in the day after you return. There will be a one-day grace period to make up tests. If you are absent for the review day before a test, you will be required to take the test with the class.

Extra help: Extra help will be given on request this includes before or after school or at a common lunch period.

I am looking forward to a productive and enjoyable year!



Student Signature _____

Date _____

I have read this welcome letter:

Parent Signature _____

Date _____