

CP ALGEBRA 1

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Welcome! This is going to be a great year for you and I and I am excited to be your teacher. This course will be fun & challenging; I know you all will succeed. I believe in each and every one of you.

Materials Needed

Everyday you are expected to bring the following items to class:

1. Math Notebook (Three ring binder divided into three sections; Notes, Assignments, Quizzes/Tests)
2. Paper
3. Sharpened Pencils or Pens
4. Scientific Calculator (TI-30X or TI-30X IIS are appropriate for this course)

Grading Procedure

I will be following the school grading policy set by the school board. A 60 or higher is considered passing.

Quarterly grades are a compilation of the following:

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| Tests/Projects | 40% |
| Quizzes | 30% |
| Assignments | 20% |
| In-Class/Online Participation | 10% |

ABSENCES/TARDY POLICY

Excused Absences: When you return you will pick up your missing work and it will be due the **next class** unless arrangements are made with Ms. Fields. You will have **1 week** to make-up assessments.

Unexcused Absences & Tardies: I will adhere to the school policy. Please see your school handbook.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Cellphones: Cellphone are not to be used in the classroom. You will receive **one** warning and after that the phone will be taken away until the end of the school day.

Music Devices: Initially music devices will not be allowed. It is a privilege that needs to be earned. After 5 consecutive minutes of work, music devices will be allowed.

Food and Drink: Food will be allowed initially. Students are expected to pick up after themselves. If this privilege is abused it will be revoked.

Leaving the Classroom: Students will **not** be allowed to leave during instructional time.

EXTRA HELP

Extra help is always available. It is your responsibility to ask for help when you do not understand the material. Please check with me before coming in for extra help so that I can make sure I am available.

QUESTIONS? Please do not hesitate to visit me in room 137 or call me at 443-8250 ext. 1137 or e-mail at mfields@rsul.org during any point in the year. It is going to be a great year.