

Mathematics Class Overview & Expectations

Ms. Barnard 2012/2013 School Year

Materials - (These must come to class with you EVERY day!)

#2 Pencils
Correcting pens
Folder
Spiral Notebook
Jumbo book cover **ON** math textbook

Mathematics -

We will be studying Pre-Algebraic and Algebraic Concepts during this school year. Emphasis will be placed upon mastery of the State Standards for Mathematics. These standards are rigorous and demand a great deal of time and study. Since we have limited time in the classroom, I expect you to arrive on time and be prepared to learn. Your success in math will be reflected in your effort and participation.

Math Homework -

Class work and homework, including Cornell Notes, are given to support concepts taught during class and to promote skills that need improvement. **Homework is assigned almost every school day!** If you are absent, it is your responsibility to get the assignment you missed and to make up the missed work. There is a binder in the classroom that lists all assignments.

Grading in Mathematics -

Each student's grade is determined by the accumulation of total points earned. Students will be graded on assignments, quizzes, tests, and their math binder. Tests and Quizzes are worth 50%, Homework & All other Assignments is the remaining 50% of their grades. The main goal is to have ALL students learn. This means we will ALL be courteous of everyone in our classrooms. We will also limit any destructive distractions.

Math Binder / Textbook -

Each student is responsible for maintaining their math notebook, textbook, and homework book. If for some reason any are lost or damaged, each student will be responsible for the cost of \$66 (Text Book) & \$20 (Homework Book.) They will have periodic checks of their binders throughout each quarter.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

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Please sign and return this to acknowledge that you have received and understood the expectations for Ms. Barnard's classes.

Student's signature _____ Date _____

Parent's/Guardian's signature _____ Date _____