

# MATH 101:

## Get to Know the Policies and Procedures in Mr. Dauphinee's Math Class

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**Homework:** Students copy their assigned homework during the first few minutes of class. The teacher will verify that the assignment was written correctly by stamping. Students' homework grades are based on completion not accuracy. Incomplete or missing homework will be reported in the student's planner. Students will earn  $\frac{1}{2}$  credit on assignments turned in 1 day late. Most homework assignments will be entered in PowerSchool.

**Warm Up:** Students will work on a daily "warm up" after writing the assigned homework in the planner. The "warmup" could be review of a previously taught skill, practice of a new skill, or the Initial Activity in the Illustrative Math workbook.

**Units:** Generally speaking each unit of study is about one months. Unit 1 is Area and Surface Area, Unit 2 Ratios, Unit 3 Rates and Percentages, Unit 4 Dividing Fractions, Unit 5 Arithmetic in Base Ten, Unit 6 Expressions and Equations, Unit 7 Rational Numbers, Unit 8 Data Sets and Distributions

**Grading:** Students' grades are composed of tests (35%), quizzes/tasks (55%), and homework (10%). Students are able to Retake Quizzes if they score less than 70%. However, a "Retake Form" must be completed and signed by a parent/guardian. Students are encouraged to keep Graded Papers in a safe place (binder) to review before Tests. If a student is absent and misses a quiz or test, it needs to be completed during class or CCR as soon as possible. Also, there are mail slots in Math class that have Teacher Notes, Classwork, and Homework for students to pick-up the next day if they are absent. **It is highly recommended that parents sign up for PowerSchool Parent so that you can monitor your child's completed assignments and grades.** If you were able to attend the 8/24/22 Orientation, you may have already received an Access ID to sign up online. If not, you will need to stop in the office to receive it as you're required to show an ID.

**Interactive Notebook:** Students will utilize a section of their binder for taking notes, keeping track of vocabulary, and solving math problems. This will be very helpful for students and parents/guardians.

**Books/Online resource:** Our curriculum utilizes Illustrative Math as an online resource and a published consumable workbook that students will be writing in. Students will receive the 3 books one at a time starting with Units 1-3, then 4-6 and lastly 7-9. Access to the book on-line is available at <https://im.kendallhunt.com/>. The website provides the IM lessons, and many resources for extra help. Note: if the book is lost or destroyed, there may be a replacement cost of \$15.

**Google Classroom:** We will use an online Google Classroom for also posting assignments and links to other websites like EdPuzzle.com, Edulastic.com, and Aleks.com. Besides the Planner, Google Classroom will be a location for students and parents to view assignments or postings.