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Math Units

- Statistics
- Number Systems- rational numbers
- Ratio & Proportional Reasoning
- Expressions & Equations
- Algebraic reasoning (embedded)
- Geometry (embedded)

Science Units

Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS)

- Life science: cells, traits, body systems, genes & heredity.
- Earth science: atmosphere & energy, weather & climate, human impact on the earth.

6th Grade Math and Science



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Please check my web page from the
GMS website.

Extra! Extra! Read All About It!

Materials:

You need to come to class prepared daily with a **composition books or lined paper**, pencils, eraser, highlighter, colored pencils, glue stick, scissors, a red pen, and pencil sharpener, if you do not want to use shared items.



Math Grade Weights:

- 60% Course Assessments
- 35% Class practice/Task Performances
- 5% District Assessments
- 0% Homework-it's practice for proficiency

Science Grade Weights:

- 40% TCI Assignments + Labs
- 20% TCI Reading + Response
- 30% Formative Assessments
- 10% Summative assessments

HOMework: "Must we really?" Yes, homework is a vital skill that develops your independent proficiency and a work ethic. Some assignments become homework due to misuse of class time or due to the extra time some individuals take to acquire new skills.

Online Class Etiquette

Policies and Rules:

- Be on time, prepared, with all materials & electronic devices;
- Presentable dress code: dress for school & weather;
- Enter classroom respectfully & quietly;
- Participate in order to improve your retention of content;
- ~~Chat responsibly using school appropriate conversation.~~ Follow social norms of behavior respecting property & persons.



Late Work/Absent Work

*Incomplete or missing work will impact grade and hinder your participation in classroom discussions and affects work habits grade and class grade.

Project scores are lowered a full grade for each day late.

*If you have an excusable reason for late work, you submit work with an explanation. Acceptance is up to the teacher.

It's preferable if you can let me know in advance if you will be absent for more than two days!

*If absent, YOU are responsible to make up any missed work/tests. The longer you wait the more

Discipline Plan:

- 1st: Verbal & Nonverbal warning
- 2nd – 4th: Conduct Reflection fill out and sent home for parent's signature.
- 5th: Call home or parent conference request & referral (based upon behavior).