# **INTEGRATED MATH 3**

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## **CLASS EXPECTATIONS AND GRADING POLICY**

This course is California Common Core State Standards based. Standards for this course have been set forth by The Department of Education, State of California. Students will be responsible for mathematical content and standards in prerequisite courses and/or previous semesters. All students and parents are responsible to ensure that the prerequisite courses were taken and passed. A long-term goal of this course is to prepare students for AP Calculus, AP Statistics and for math and science-based careers.

It is critical that each student is a self-directed learner; does all homework problems and reviews notes every night.

## 1. MATERIALS

The following items are required for class daily:

- 1. Graph Paper / Notebook
- 2. Writing utensils
- 3. Graphing Calculator (or Scientific)

## 2. UNIT NOTEBOOK (Graph Paper)

At the end of every grading period your notebook will be collected. Notes will be taken in class daily and will be given a point value when turned in. Each day needs to be titled, dated, and highlighted with the objective.

## 3. HOMEWORK & CLASSWORK

Homework will be assigned daily and turned in (in person) at the beginning of the next class period. All homework assignments will be posted online in Google Classroom. Homework will be checked for completeness and placed in a tray in class where it can be picked up. Assignments must be labeled with assignment numbers; problems must be written out and all work shown. No work = No credit! Incomplete assignments will be returned to students and will not earn credit but can be completed and submitted late for half credit, up until the day of the unit test. Late work can also be submitted for half credit up until the day of the unit exam. Classwork assignments will be given periodically throughout the unit and turned in the day they are assigned. If a student is absent, it is their responsibility to look at Google Classroom and check in with their classmates to find out and make up what they missed. Homework, classwork, and notes will together comprise 30% of the overall grade.

## 4. ASSESSMENT

At the end of each unit there will be a comprehensive test on all material covered. After the assessment has been graded, it will be returned to the student to review in class. Once a graded assessment has left the classroom, no adjustments to the grade will be allowed. It is in the student's best interest to be present on the day of the assessment. If a student is absent on the day of the assessment, a make-up assessment will be taken on the day the student returns to school. It is the student's responsibility to request the make-up assessment upon their return to class. If a student fails to take a make-up assessment, a score of zero will be recorded for that assessment. Assessments will comprise 70% of the overall grade. If a student is absent on the day an assessment is passed back and reviewed, it is their responsibility to request the assessment and ask any questions when they return.

Students can retake any test *within* one *week* of my returning the original. It is required that a student who wants to do a retake meets with me before or after school for a short review. The maximum score on the retake exam is 80%.

## 5. PARTICIPATION

Active participation in class is a requirement and will be assessed in citizenship grades. To be an active participant in class, students will be asked to answer questions, demonstrate knowledge, and work in groups. Students must also have all supplies in class and demonstrate good citizenship by following all class and school rules.

## 6. ACADEMIC HONESTY

Academic cheating will result in a score of ZERO on the assignment, or assessment. Any talking or communicating during an assessment will be considered cheating. Also, having any unauthorized materials out or present during an assessment will be considered cheating. This includes but is not limited to all personal electronic devices.

## 7. CLASSROOM RULES

It is the right of each student to be provided with an atmosphere in which they may learn. It is expected that students will obey all class and school rules. This includes not eating or drinking in class (other than water). To assure a proper learning environment all electronic devices must be turned off and put away before entering the classroom (if I see it I will confiscate it and turn it in to the office). All students will be expected to follow school and district rules along with the following classroom specific rules:

- 1. Treat everyone and the classroom supplies/environment with respect.
- 2. No inappropriate language or innuendo.
- 3. Be ready/prepared to learn.

## 8. DISCIPLINE POLICY

A variety of corrective measures will be used to maintain a successful learning environment. Inappropriate behavior will result in one or more of the following.

- 1. Speak with the teacher after class.
- 2. Home contact and detention
- 3. Referral to the office

### 9. EXTRA HELP

I am usually available every day before school from 7:30am to 8:30am for extra help. Lunch tutoring and after school arrangements need to be made in advance since I am not always available.

## 10. ORGANIZATION AND CLEANLINESS OF THE CLASSROOM

Students will be expected to take proper care of supplies loaned to them/available to them. Students will also be expected to pick up after themselves.

### 11. RESTROOM POLICY

Students can use the restroom as needed one at a time. You must sign in before leaving. Be back within 6 minutes.

### 12. GRADING SCALE

| The following percentage grading scale applies. |    |             |    |
|---|----|-------------|----|
| 90%-100%  | Α  | 80-89.4%    | В  |
| 89.5% - 89.9%                                   | A- | 79.5%-79.9% | B- |
| 70-79.4%  | С  | 60-69.4%    | D  |
| 69.5%-69.9%                                     | C- | 59.5%-59.9% | D- |

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#### 13. ONLINE GRADE POSTING

Grades will be posted and updated on Aeries about once in two weeks.

#### 14. COMMUNICATION

To contact Mrs. K at any time please send an email and a response will be given within 48 business hours.

\*\*SYLLABUS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT TEACHER'S DISCRETION\*\*