

MATH 7

Mr. Harrison

Room F123

Dear Math Families,

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you and your child to Math 7. The following is what you can expect from the class:

****NOTE: The district adopted math book is: BIG IDEAS MATH-COURSE 2**
Our book has lots of online support (more information to come)!

Classroom Guidelines

1. Do your **BEST** at ALL times and show **INTEGRITY** in ALL you do.
2. Demonstrate **RESPECT** for **EVERYONE**, including yourself.
3. Be quiet and ready to **WORK** at the start of every class period.
4. Bring your own supplies to class (computer w/charger) - **DAILY**.
5. No food, drinks, or **GUM** allowed in the classroom.
6. No **ELECTRONIC** devices – except for lap top computer (no cell phones, iPods, etc.)

Materials - Recommended

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| * <u>Pencils</u> (NO PEN ALLOWED)! | *Agenda | *Calculator |
| *Lined paper – for HW | *Ruler/Protractor | *Stapler (small) |
| *Spiral notebook
(for math notes only - 180 or more sheets) | *Math folder | *Colored pencils |

Structure of Class

1. Opening Activity-Review
2. Homework questions
3. Lesson
4. Independent practice

Grading System

Tests/quizzes = 70% Homework = 30%

100%-90% = A, 89%-80% = B, 79%-70% = C, 69%-60% = D, 59% and below = F

***Work habit grade** (O, S, N, U) will be affected by **missing assignments**

***Citizenship grade** (O, S, N, U) will be **determined** by behavior in class

Tests/Quizzes

1. **Tests** and/or **Quizzes** will be given each chapter.
2. In the event the student is absent on a test or quiz day, it is the **student's responsibility** to make up the missed test or quiz within a week of the absence or receive a zero.
Make-ups are given after school ONLY.

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Homework

1. Homework is assigned **daily**. **All homework assignments are posted online!** **No late work is accepted**, unless a student is absent. If a student is absent they have one day for every day they were absent to make up their work.
2. Students are **expected** to keep all assignments and math notes in a binder/notebook.
3. Homework is considered **complete** when:
 - a. It is done in **pencil**. (NO PEN ALLOWED ON ASSIGNMENTS)
 - b. Homework paper is labeled **properly**.
 - c. **Class review is finished** and the work is shown.
 - d. All homework problems are finished and the **work is shown**.
4. Students are **encouraged** to ask questions about problems they get incorrect or do not understand.
5. I am **available for math help**. Days and times to be determined due to our new start times. Students will also have access to **IXL (a fantastic math site with unlimited practice questions covering all of the 7th grade standards)**.

Agenda/Grade Check

Students are **expected** to daily fill out their Agenda. Do not tear out or fold any pages in the Agenda.

Additional Information

Phone # 909-923-3455 or dave_harrison@chino.k12.ca.us

Website: **www.chino.k12.ca.us/harrison**

Website contains: Homework assignments, class announcements, and class links

GRADES WILL BE POSTED ON AERIES PARENT PORTAL! A GREAT WAY TO KEEP UP TO DATE WITH HOW YOUR CHILD IS DOING AND AVOID ANY SURPRISES!! Please set up your account as soon as possible. Call the school office if you need any help.

I'm looking forward to a spectacular year with these fantastic students! Thanks in advance for your support and for all you do to help your child succeed. You are truly the key to your child's success.

Thank you,


Dave Harrison

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STUDENT NAME (print clearly) _____

Both student and parent/guardian need to sign below stating they have read and understood our class expectations. If you have any questions do not hesitate to call me.

Student signature	Date	Period
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Parent/Guardian signature	Date
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In the event that I need to contact you during the day please indicate the telephone # at which you can most conveniently be reached:

Telephone # _____ **Name** _____

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My 1st trimester goal for Mr. Harrison's Math 7 class is to earn a(n) _____.

I will achieve this goal by doing the following: **(USE COMPLETE SENTENCES & BE SPECIFIC)**

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

Student signature _____ Parent signature _____