## **GATEWAY TO TECHNOLOGY**

### **Course Syllabus**

Mr. Adams

### **Dear Parents and Students,**

I want to welcome you to my class! This will be an exciting year as we continue to develop student's technology skills. Students will not only achieve understanding of the computer goals, but will develop skills in critical thinking, communication, collaboration, and creativity. I am eager to support every student in mastering these concepts. It will be an exciting year! Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have.

Sincerely,

Mr. Chris Adams

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### **Class Objectives and Goals:**

This gateway to technology course is based on the California State Standards. All lessons, activities, and assessments are intended to support students in mastering these standards.

The main objectives covered in this class are: Advanced word processing, Sway, power point, Google docs, and Google slides. Also, we will touch on the basics of Electronics, Coding, and Designing.



### Technology

All electronics devices; such as cell phones, AirPods, earbuds, etc., must be secured in your backpack and silenced or turned off. Otherwise, the device will be taken to the office as directed by the school policy.



#### **Daily Attendance**

It's important to be in class everyday!

Students will be marked tardy if they are not in their seat and ready to learn when the bell rings. It is the responsibility of the student to make sure to make up all homework and/or assessments when absent

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### **Classroom Expectations**

- Come to class on time
- Have all materials and books
- Always do your best work
- Show respect to everyone in class
- Have a positive attitude and participate!

## GRADING

Percent	Grade
100	A+
94-99	A
91-93	A-
88-90	B+
84-87	В
81-83	B-
78-80	C+

Percent	Grade
74-77	С
71-73	C-
68-70	D+
64-67	D
61-63	D-
60-below	F

# Distribution

- 60% Assessments (quizzes, projects, and tests)
- 40% Practice Work (homework and classwork)

## Homework

Homework is assigned as needed. Almost all work is classwork but there will be times when it is necessary to assign homework.





## **Daily Materials**

- Chromebook
- Sharpened pencils
- Safety scissors
- Colored pencils or markers
- Highlighter
- Ruler
- Glue stick
- Agenda/homework planner

## Assessments

Assessments includes all quizzes, projects, tests, and performance tasks. Tests will be given at the conclusion of each section; so start studying early!

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