Mr. Cunha

7th Grade Science (Laptop)

First and fore most Welcome to the7th grade!!!!!!!!! If you choose to make it a good year we will have a lot of fun and learn a lot of really cool and interesting things about the world we live in.

**Class Website**

The web address is [mrcunhascience.weebly.com](http://sites.google.com/site/cunhasplace) Here you will find everything that you need in order to be successful in your science class. We will go into detail how you can use the site and what is expected of you in the coming weeks.

**Classroom Expectations:**

* In your seat with materials out and ready when the bell rings.
* Respect everybody in the room. (Teachers, Aides, Admin., and animals)
* When instructed to do something…DO IT the FIRST TIME!

**Grading:**

Quarterly grades will be based on the following scale.

A = 90+

B = 80 - 89.9

C = 65 – 79.9

D = 50 – 69.9

F = 49.9 or less

**Citizenship grade:**

Students will receive an N for citizenship if at any point they are referred to the office and or parents need to be contacted due to disruptions in the classroom learning environment. Students who are repeatedly tardy (more than 3 in a quarter) will also receive a citizenship grade of N.

**Makeup/Late work and absences Policy:**

* Students will have equal amount of time make up work for an **excused** absence. For example, if an assignment was given on Monday and due on Tuesday, but the student was absent Monday and returns Tuesday they will have until Wednesday to turn in the work with no penalty.
* Work is late if it is not turned in at the beginning of the period of the day it was due.
* Late work will receive a grade of no better than 50%. After 2 day’s late work will not be accepted and the grade will remain a zero.
* Student Notebooks will be collected approximately every 2-3 weeks. Late notebooks will lose 10% every day they are late
* Tests will be made up the day you return from an absence.
* Students who miss class due to school business (sports, musical performances, field trip, etc.) must come in and get any work they will be missing BEFORE they participate in the school event. If a student does not and asks for the work the next day then that work is considered late and will then follow the late work policy.
* If you need to meet with me I am available in the morning and after school and at lunch by appointment only.

**Required class materials:**

* Laptop
* Colored pencils
* Minimum of two pencils. NO PEN. Work done in pen will receive no better than 50% credit.

**Laptop Storage:**

* Laptops can be stored at any time during the school day in room 55.
* If you are going to store your laptop you are to come into class and immediately go to the storage room leave your laptop and exit class. DO NOT hang out in the back room chatting or bring your non laptop friends with you. If you abuse the process you will not be allowed to store your laptop in room 55
* Tardy passes will not be written because you were to slow while storing your laptop.

If you have any questions about the above information or if you have any additional questions please feel free to contact me at school or by email.

Looking forward to a great year.

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