

Supplies:

- Digits Student Companion Workbook
- Math Folder
- #2 Pencils
- Calculator (TI-30 Recommended)
- Notebook/Loose-leaf paper (for notes)

Grades (are weighted):

- 20% Homework
- 30% Classwork
- 50% Tests and Quizzes

Homework (20%):

- Homework is generally assigned every night and will be due the following class.
- Students must show all their work for all problems to receive full credit. Students may write their work on a loose-leaf sheet of paper or a work mat that I will have in the classroom.
- Homework assignments are a completion grade. In order to receive a 100% completion grade, the following must be met:
 - Assignment was turned in on time.
 - Work was shown for all homework problems.
 - At least a 70% or higher is earned for any online Digits assignment. If you earn lower than a 70%, you will need to redo the assignment by the due date to receive full credit.
- Homework assignments and important dates, like test dates, will be communicated to the class and posted in the classroom and on my teacher webpage.
- **Late homework:** If an online assignment is submitted after the due date, you **MUST** complete a Late Slip if you want to earn credit. Your assignment is not officially turned in unless you complete this Late Slip. Mr. Van Dyke will have no way of knowing that you have submitted an assignment after the due date, unless you tell him by handing in a Late Slip.
- Absent work is the student's responsibility. Students will have one day for each day absent to make up work for full credit. Students can also attend Morning Math to understand missed curriculum.
- Credit will **NOT** be given for any homework assignment that is handed in after the test date.

Classwork:

- This category includes all other graded in-class assignments. Material will only be graded over content that has been taught, covered and practiced in class.
- Please note that graded in-class assignments may **NOT** be redone/retaken.

Tests & Quizzes:

- Quizzes may be given throughout the chapter and will cover a couple of lessons (anywhere from 2-4 lessons).
- Tests are given at the end of each Topic (Chapter) and Unit.
- Students may retake any quiz or test, within one week after receiving their final grade on the assessment, **BUT ONLY IF THE STUDENT HAS COMPLETED ALL THE HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE CHAPTER/UNIT AND THE TEST RE-TAKE FORM IS COMPLETED WITH A PARENT SIGNATURE.**

Morning Math:

- Morning Math provides students with an opportunity to come in for help on a specific homework assignment or problem, ask questions on their current math topic, and make-up or retake quizzes and tests. It is offered every morning before school 7:30 – 8:20am.

PowerSchool/Grades:

- Parents and students should check grade updates weekly.

Contact Info:

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