

Integrated Math 1

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1. Course Description

Mathematics, rightly viewed, possesses not only truth, but supreme beauty.

- Bertrand Russell - British Philosopher/Mathematician

Welcome to this class. I hope this class will be interesting and enjoyable as I will do my best to make it so. Integrated Math is a way to learn many facets of mathematics integrated into one curriculum. You should see examples that include the sciences, engineering, medicine, economics and architecture to name just a few.

This class integrates Algebra topics along with Geometry in a way that makes sense. It will be expected that you participate in small group discussions, whole class discussions, and be focused for the entire time we are in this class. You will have some homework each day and it will be due the following day. I will provide some time for questions on the homework at the end of each class.

2. Tardy Policy

Healdsburg High School expects you to show up on time and be ready to work. We will follow the schoolwide tardy policy.

3. Classroom Expectations

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4. Grading Policy

1) 70% - Show what you know!

Includes:

35% - Unit Exams

15% - Quizzes

20% - In-class Tasks (being engaged in the tasks!!)

2) 30% - Show that you are responsible!

Includes:

20% - Ready Set Go Homework Assignments

10% - Participation

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| Grading scale | 98 - 100+ | A+ | 78 - 80 | C+ |
| | 92 - 98 | A | 70 - 78 | C |
| | 90 - 92 | A- | 68 - 70 | C- |
| | 88 - 90 | B+ | 60 - 68 | D |
| | 82 - 88 | B | <60 | F |
| | 80 - 82 | B- | | |

In addition, the Final Exam will account for 20% of your semester grade.

5. Classwork Requirements

All of your assignments should be done in pencil for full credit. I will be providing the assignments each week as copies.

Assignments Mathematics is learned through thinking and practice.

Mr. Sheehy and I will do our best to not have homework in our classes. We believe that we have the time to do all of our work in the school day. This does rely on you to be focused while in class so that all of your work in complete.

Notebook You will have a three-ring binder for this class that will be organized with notes, your in-class tasks, and your “Ready, Set, Go” assignments.

We will check these on occasion to make sure that you are keeping organized. After each unit, we will set the work aside so that we will never have too much to organized at one time.

Exams and Quizzes Expect one quiz each week and one exam each unit

6. Required Materials:

- 8 1/2 x 11 lined binder paper
- 8 1/2 x 11 graph paper
- Colored pen or pencil
- Scientific calculator

I have read this document and I understand the requirements of this class. Please sign this and have your parent/guardian sign it by Monday, August 28, 2017.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date