Pre-Algebra

Course Guide & Information

2012-2013

Mrs. Wisniewski

Welcome back to school for your final year at BMS! I am looking forward to a wonderful year together! A successful classroom is built upon a foundation of mutual respect. With your cooperation, we will be learning a lot this year and have some fun along the way!

You may contact me at: jwisniewski@bps.k12.ok.us or visit my website www.mrswiz.weebly.com

I expect that you will…

* Arrive to class on time, ready to work with a pencil, notebook and paper.
* Have homework assignments completed before entering the classroom (in pencil).
* Wait until you are dismissed to pack up and leave the classroom.
* Treat everything and everyone in the classroom with respect.
* Be sure to ask me if you have any questions about the lesson. I will do my best to help!

Should you choose not to meet these expectations…

Choosing to disrupt the class or not abide by the classroom policies will result in a warning, parent contact, lunch detention or an office referral.

What you need for class

* Interactive Student Notebook
* 3 ring binder with loose leaf paper
* Pencil, colored pen for grading

Grading Policy

50% Quizzes/Tests/Projects: Students will be given quizzes/knowledge checkups throughout the year as well as a comprehensive test at the end of each chapter. Students are expected to study for these at home.

35% Homework/Daily Grades: Students will have homework most evenings. This is to be completed and turned in *at the beginning* of the next class period. Some assignments will be for a completion grade while others will be worth 100 points. If the assignment is a completion grade, you will receive full credit ONLY if it is completed and turned in on time, neat and readable, and ALL WORK is shown! This is a must! Most homework assignments will be graded in class to provide immediate feedback on the skill we have just learned. Every three missed homework assignments will result in a lunch detention.

15% Semester Test: Students who are not exempt will be expected to take a comprehensive test at the end of each semester.

Absences: If you are absent, it is YOUR responsibility to obtain the work missed from the assignment folders. If you miss a test or quiz, you will need to see me about a time to make it up.