

Novi Middle School

Honor's Geometry

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Class Expectations

- Have a positive attitude
- Be on time and prepared. If you are delayed by a staff member, please obtain a pass.
- Respect your classmates, the teacher, and the classroom.
- Give 100%: participate in classroom activities, do your homework every day, and attempt all assessment questions
- No food or drinks other than a water bottle are permitted in the classroom.

Attendance

- It is critical to success in Geometry to attend class every day. Upon returning from an absence, it is the student's responsibility to check with the teacher for missed assignments and any handouts. The class website is very useful in this instance!
- If you know that you will be absent, get your assignments **before** you leave. If a student misses instruction or a review before a quiz or test, he or she will be expected to take the assessment on the scheduled day with the rest of the class.
- The class weebly is your best friend in the event of an absence. Utilize it.

Cheating and Plagiarism

An essential part of education is developing a sense of academic honesty and integrity. There is **zero tolerance** in regards to cheating/plagiarism. If a student cheats or plagiarizes on any class work or assessment, that student will receive a zero and their parent/guardian will be notified. In addition, any student who assists another student in the act of cheating/plagiarizing will experience the same consequences.

In-Class/At-Home Practice

Practice work should be completed when assigned and checked on the Weebly page <http://chapmannovi.weebly.com/>. Try every problem then correct your mistakes by redoing the problem. Practice assignments are worth 5 points. Late assignments will be accepted up to one week late for a 1-point deduction. Assignments will not earn credit if they are more than one week late. Homework is to be completed in **pencil**.

Assessments (Tests/Quizzes/Projects)

- Tests and quizzes must be completed in pencil. All assessments must be completed during the class period they are given; **no extended time is given**. Work must be shown on tests to get full credit!
- **Per the Mathematics Department policy, all graded tests are to remain in the classroom at all times. If a parent wishes to see a child's test, they need to schedule an appointment time with the counseling office to view the test. No notes about or pictures of the test are allowed to be taken. **

Extra Credit

- There will be no extra credit opportunities in this class.

Grading System

Cumulative Semester Calculation:

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| • Assessments (Tests/Quizzes/Projects) | 80% |
| • In-Class/At-Home Practice | 20% |

Final Semester Grade Calculation:

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| • Cumulative Semester (4 marking periods combined) | 85% |
| • Midterm Exam | 7.5% |
| • Final Exam | 7.5% |

Grading Scale

Students will receive credit for tests, quizzes and practice as follows (lower limit):

A+ (99)	A (93)	A- (90)
B+ (88)	B (83)	B- (80)
C+ (78)	C (73)	C- (70)
D+ (68)	D (63)	D- (60)

Internet Resources

- chapmannovi.weebly.com
 - daily homework solutions, completed notes and occasional extra resources
- www.classzone.com
 - Online version of textbook (Geometry 2007)
 - Username: nmsclasszone
 - Password: wildcat2014
- khanacademy.org
 - find instructional videos on most math topics

This is going to be a great year! I cannot wait to challenge and support you in your math education! Please do not hesitate to email me or come to see me during Academic 20 if you have any questions or need any help.