

# Algebra 1 - Syllabus

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As a student in Ms. Prosocki's class, you are expected to learn Math:

- Maintain focus and participate - make sure you raise your hand before speaking.
- Attitude is important - make sure you have a good one.
- Tardiness is not acceptable - make sure you are punctual, ready to learn and with all necessary materials.
- Homework and assignments help you to be successful - make sure you complete them on time.

Other general policies:

- To progress to the next level, it is highly recommended that you earn at least a grade of "C" for each semester.
- Cheating earns you an automatic "0." No questions asked.
- When completing assignments/quizzes/tests:
  - Make sure your first and last name is at the top.
  - Make sure you show your work and circle your answer for credit.
- I will give detentions when I see fit. These will be served with me, either before or after school, as scheduled.
- No cell phones or airpods during class. If you're on them during class, I will take them and you will owe me a detention.
- Please don't use/take anything from my desk/cabinets without asking first.
  - I do have gray totes of items to be borrowed. If you need to borrow an item, you'll have to ask me first and then let me know when you return the item.
- You will not be able to leave class during the class period.
  - If you have to use the restroom, either use it before you get to class during the four minute passing period or you'll have to wait until after class.
  - If you have a water bottle, you'll have to fill it up before class or wait until after class to get more water.
- Make sure you show up to class on time. If you are tardy, you will have a week to bring me a Gatorade, a box of kleenex, or serve a 30 minute detention to make up for the missed time.
  - For example: If you are late to class on Tuesday, you'll have until the next Tuesday to bring me the item or serve the detention. If you forget, a 30 minute detention will be added each week.

Required materials:

- Please bring the following items to class each day:
  - 2" - 3" 3 ring binder (you will have to purchase on your own)
  - Notes/homework
  - Ipad
  - Writing utensil

### Missed assignments / Late work:

- If you have been absent, it is your responsibility to find out what assignments, quizzes, etc. you have missed and to make them up.
  - Assignments each day will be posted to google classroom with instructions on what to do, so check google classroom daily.
- Tests and quizzes will be made up at a time that is mutually agreed upon by both of us.
  - If you fail to show up for the rescheduled appointment, you earn a "0."
- An absent student will have one day plus the number of days missed to turn in assignments.
- If you are missing school due to an extracurricular activity, you are expected to:
  - Turn in assignments beforehand if they are due the day you will be absent.
  - Pick up missed assignments from when you will be absent and turn them in on time with the rest of the class.
- I will only accept assignments the first day it is late. Due to it being late, I will deduct 50% from that assignment.
  - For example, if you receive an 84% on an assignment, but it was one day late, you would receive a 42%.

\*I reserve the right to withhold credit for assignments, quizzes, etc. due to an unexcused absence.

### Help outside of class:

- I am available for help outside of class, and hope that you will utilize this time offered to you.
  - 7:45 – 8:00 a.m.
  - 3:25 – 3:45 p.m.
  - Plan period - 1st period
    - If these times are not sufficient, other times may be scheduled with me.

### Grading:

- Letter / Percentage:

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| A+ | 98-100 %   |
| A  | 93-97 %    |
| B+ | 90-92 %    |
| B  | 85-89 %    |
| C+ | 82-84 %    |
| C  | 77-81 %    |
| D+ | 74-76 %    |
| D  | 70-73 %    |
| F  | Below 70 % |
- Homework: 30%
- Unit Quizzes: 30%
- Module Tests: 40%
- Semester Exam: 10% of semester grade
  - Semester 1: Quarter 1 = 45% / Quarter 2 = 45% / 1st Semester Test = 10%
  - Semester 2: Quarter 3 = 45% / Quarter 4 = 45% / 2nd Semester Test = 10%

\*If you would like to speak to me about exceptions to these rules, please do so in private.

*\*I have read Ms. Prososki's class expectations and I understand what is expected of me.*

- Student Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_
- Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- Period: \_\_\_\_\_
- Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*I have read Ms. Prososki's class expectations and I understand what is expected of my student.*

- Parent/Guardian name(s) (Print): \_\_\_\_\_
- Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- Primary Language: \_\_\_\_\_
- Need an Interpreter?: YES / NO
- Parent Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_
- Best time to contact parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_
- Comments, questions, and/or concerns for Ms. Prososki:

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