



Mountain Range High School
Teacher Information and Expectations
Voyager Math
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Student Help:

I am generally available to help students during my planning periods, Periods 2 and 7. I am also available after school on most days. Please allow time make an appointment with me before you need help so I can plan appropriately.

Types of Assessments:

Assessments: Assessments will be integrated throughout the course content and may include a range of formats including, but not limited to, traditional written quizzes and tests, games, applied projects and oral assessments in the form of classroom dialogue. The format of the tests will vary with the material that is covered.

Homework: Homework will be assigned on a regular basis throughout the course. Homework is ten percent (10%) of the overall grade and is an important step to improve student comprehension and mastery of the course content. Homework may be assigned for a variety of reasons including, but not limited to: 1) exposing students to new concepts and background information prior to discussion and application in class, 2) opportunity to practice using new skills or vocabulary, 3) review of prior information that is relevant to current topics in class, and 4) remediation of important science content or skills.

Teacher Expectations and Procedures:

Classroom Expectations: In support of the PBS program at Mountain Range, I expect students to follow the guidelines for all academic areas (see below).

	Mature	Respectful	Honest	Safe
<p>The Academic Zone(s)</p> <p>(Classrooms, Media Center, Computer Labs, Auditorium, offices, any area during class)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be on time to class every day. • Be responsible for own learning. • Bring materials to class every day. • Use class time wisely. • Keep track of your own grades, attendance, and progress. • Help your classmates stay focused. • Clean up after yourself. • Consume food and beverages in the cafeteria. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listen to and follow directions. • Treat others as you want to be treated. • Stand up for others and for what is right. • Listen and respect others. • Use polite words and appropriate tone of voice. • Turn off and put away cell phones and other electronic devices. • Positively contribute to group activities. • Respect school property and equipment. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tell the truth. • Take credit for your own work, not the work of others. • Own and be responsible for your actions. • Speak up when you see bullying or name calling. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be aware of emergency procedures. • Report unsafe conditions or behaviors. • Take concerns to adults. • Practice self control. – Keep hands and feet to yourself.

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Absences and Tardies: I will follow the Mountain Range attendance policy as it is specified in the Student Planner and the Parent/Guardian Handbook.

Food and Drink: The goal of the food and drink policy is to maintain a clean school. Students may have food or drink, but it must not be a distraction to learning process and students must clean up after themselves. Water is permitted in the classroom, as long as it is in a *clear closed container*. Food and drink may also be consumed in the classroom in conjunction with an academic lesson activity. Food and drink are *never* allowed in the Library or computer labs.

Late Work: Assignments that are not turned in on the specified due date are considered late. Late work will only be accepted if it is submitted prior to the end of the unit in question and if the student submits a written explanation discussing why the assignment was late, how he or she can avoid this situation in the future and how this could affect his or her grade.

Materials: Please bring a **Spiral or Composition Notebook** and a pencil to class each day.

Cell Phones: In order to maintain academic integrity and a focused class, cell phones will not be permitted in the classroom. Cellphones and other electronics can only be used when specifically instructed by the teacher for classroom learning and in class assignments. Students may not listen to music or use cellphones during whole or small group instruction. During these times, cell phones and iPods should be turned off (or silent) and put away in your backpack (not on desk, not in lap). Earbuds/headphones are not in ears or being worn around the neck and put away as well. Devices will be held for the class period if a violation occurs. If the use of any device (when not previously approved) continues, the device will be confiscated and taken to Student Relations and a phone call made to home. Cell phones cannot be charged during class.

Course Grading

Course Grade Scale	
A	89.5-100
B	79.5-89.4
C	69.5-79.4
D	59.5-69.4
F	0-59.4

Assessment/Practice Proficiency Levels	
4	Advanced Understanding of the Standard
3	Meets the Standard
2	Approaches the Standard
1	Does not Meet the Standard
M	Missing or not enough content knowledge has been demonstrate to reach a 1-4 score
I	Incomplete
U	Unsatisfactory or incomplete
S	Satisfactory work completed

Grade Reporting Criteria/Weights	
Assessments	70%
Class Participation	30%
Grades are based on achievement of Content Standards and Grade Level Expectations. *Weekly progress grades are posted at https://ic.adasm12.org/campus/portal/adams12.isp	