



## *Introduction to Computer Science*

*Mr. Freeman*

### Introduction

Introduction to Computer Science is designed to introduce students to the breadth of the field of computer science through an exploration of engaging and accessible topics. Students will learn how to code using the Python programming language.

### Educational Materials

To ensure success in this class, every student is required to bring the following materials to class every day:

- ☐ Notebook                      ☐ Lined notebook paper                      ☐ Blue or black pen

### Classwork & Homework Policy

Unless directed otherwise in class, all classwork is due at the end of the period on the day it is assigned. All homework is due at the beginning of class on the following school day. **No late work is accepted.** Students who miss class due to an excused absence will have two days after their return to turn in any missed assignments. For absences on consecutive days, please make arrangements with Mr. Freeman to work out makeup time.

Grades: Points will be given for activities, quizzes and tests. Students earn grades according to the total number of points they accumulate as follows:

#### Percentage of Points Earned

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| A | = | 90% – 100%  |
| B | = | 80% – 89.9% |
| C | = | 70% – 79.9% |
| D | = | 60% – 69.9% |
| F | = | 0% – 59.9%  |

### Conference Period

Mr. Freeman's conference period is period 4 from 12:22 to 1:17 pm (phone 714-999-3677).

### Class Rules & Assertive Discipline Plan

- ★ Unless permission is given, computers are not to be used for purposes other than classwork while class is in session.
- ★ All students must remain seated until the bell rings at the end of the period.
- ★ A student is tardy if they are not in their seat and ready to participate when the tardy bell rings.
- ★ **No gum, food, water, or other liquids are allowed in class.**

All students must show respect to teachers and to one another. Engaging in the following unacceptable behavior will result in disciplinary action: profanity, vulgarity or obscene gestures, drug references, references of a demeaning nature, open ridicule, disruptions. Cell phones and earbuds must be kept inside pockets, packs, or purses at all times. They should not be visible or plugged in at any time. **No gum, food, water, or other liquids are allowed in class.**

Disciplinary actions may include the following actions:

- 1) Oral warning 2) student-teacher conference 3) Phone call home 4) Detention 5) Referral to assistant principal.

**PARENTS & STUDENTS! Please Sign and Return the Bottom Portion.**

I have read and understand the curriculum paper for Introduction to Computer Science with Mr. Freeman.

**Print Student Name**

**Student Signature**

Parent Signature

Date