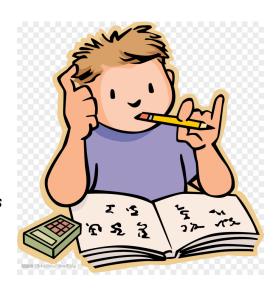
Daily Math Homework in Mr. Wagner's class

Your mathematical goal is to be able to understand and apply the math we learn in class. This will require you to be engaged in class and to practice outside of class. You won't be able to learn the material without struggling and making mistakes.

What are we doing in class today?

Each day there will be class work that we do. You will generally be working in a group or with a partner on this classwork. Usually it will be an investigation in one of the CMP books, for example, Investigation 1.2 in the Stretching and Shrinking book. Sometimes the class work is a paper handout, and sometimes it is a document that can be accessed on Google Classroom. Occasionally it will be something that you need to turn in to be assessed.



So what's the homework today?

In order to meet your goal of understanding and applying the math we learn in class, you will need to work outside class on practicing the material.

Every day except Friday I will post the math homework. It is posted in 3 places:

- On my Google Calendar
- On the Google Classroom stream for that day
- On my agenda whiteboard in school

After you complete the homework, you should check the answer key for that assignment. Answer keys for most homework assignments are posted in the Classwork section of Google Classroom. Look for the post that has the name of the current investigation. If you click on that post, you will see a link to a document called "H&C" for that investigation (for example, "H&C Comparing and Scaling 1").

How long should I spend on math homework?

You should plan on spending, on average, between 20 and 25 minutes a night working on math. Some nights you will spend less time, but some nights you may need to spend more time.

What if the daily math homework is too easy?

• DO CHALLENGES: If you understood the classwork so well that it would not be useful for you to do practice problems then you should work on challenge problems (available on Google Classroom). These are NOT optional if you are not doing the daily math homework.

Is the daily math homework graded?

It is not part of your grade, but it is critical that you spend that time learning the material in order to well in this class. For that reason I will be checking to see what you have done at the beginning of most classes and will be reporting on whether you have consistently completed homework in your quarterly report.

I will also be checking regularly that you have the appropriate supplies, including a pencil, calculator, and paper.



What if I can't do it one day?

Everyone has days that are abnormally busy. If you can't do the daily math homework one day, you should spend more time on math on a different day. It is then your responsibility to email me telling me what you did that day.

Will there be other homework?

Yes. Occasionally there will be assignments or projects that you need to turn in. Assignments that you turn in are often part of your assessment for the class. These assignments will be posted on Google Classroom.