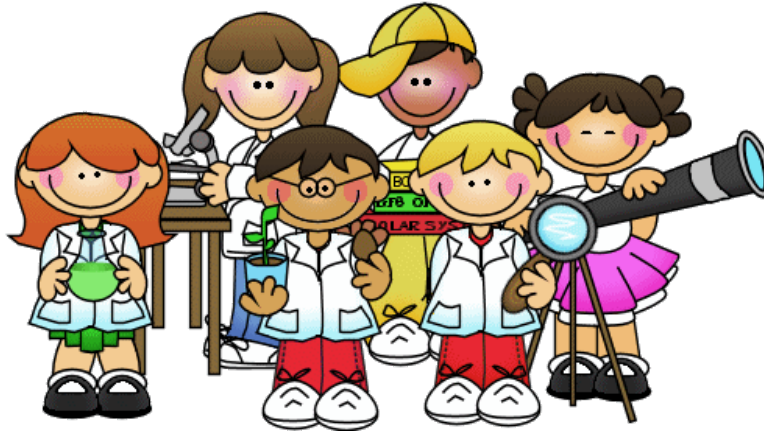




**Mrs. Ibrahim
Science 7-Integrated**

Welcome to Science 7-Integrated! The course covers life, earth, and physical science. I am excited to share the love of science with our 6th graders. I hold a BS in Medical Technology and have twelve years experience teaching science. I have been married for seventeen years and have one 6th grade girl at Dana and one 2nd grade boy in elementary school.

We will be using the CPO Science materials and other resources. CPO is lab and activity oriented. There are 2 labs or activities for every chapter in the book.

We will be covering the following topics:

1. Living and nonliving things are made of atoms.
2. Matter cycles and energy flows in systems of all scales within the Earth system
3. Natural processes and human activities have shaped Earth's resources and ecosystems.
4. Human activities help sustain biodiversity and ecosystem services in a changing world.

FAQs

1. What do we do in class?

A: Our typical day is as follows: Warm-up, lab experiment or group activity, class discussion and wrap-up.

2. What's the grading policy?

- 100%= A+
 - 90-99= A
 - 80-89= B
 - 70-79= C
 - 60-69= D
 - 59 and below= F
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- Tests= 50%
 - Projects= 25%
 - Classwork= 25%

3. What should I bring to class?

A: One spiral notebook for warm-ups and one for cornell notes. A tab for your binder labeled, "Labs or Activities". Students are to bring his/her chromebook everyday. Please make sure it is charged.

4. What should I do if I am absent?

A: If a student is absent, it is his/her responsibility to check to see what is missing and make up the work. You can contact a friend in class, myself (ribrahim@ausd.net), or check on my website (see the Dana website) under weekly agendas.

5. Is there homework?

A: There's homework if the work isn't finished in class or if we are starting a new project. Also, review the class material at home daily for 15 minutes. This will help prepare you for a future test.

6. What are the class rules?

A: Be on time and ready to work. Be a good role model and refrain from distracting behavior (cell phones should be off, no gum, no fidget finners, no slim, ANYTHING that can distract another person, etc.). Be respectful of others and property. Failure to do so could result in a warning and parent contact/consequences.

