

Algebra 1: Centaurus High School

Classroom Procedures and Expectations

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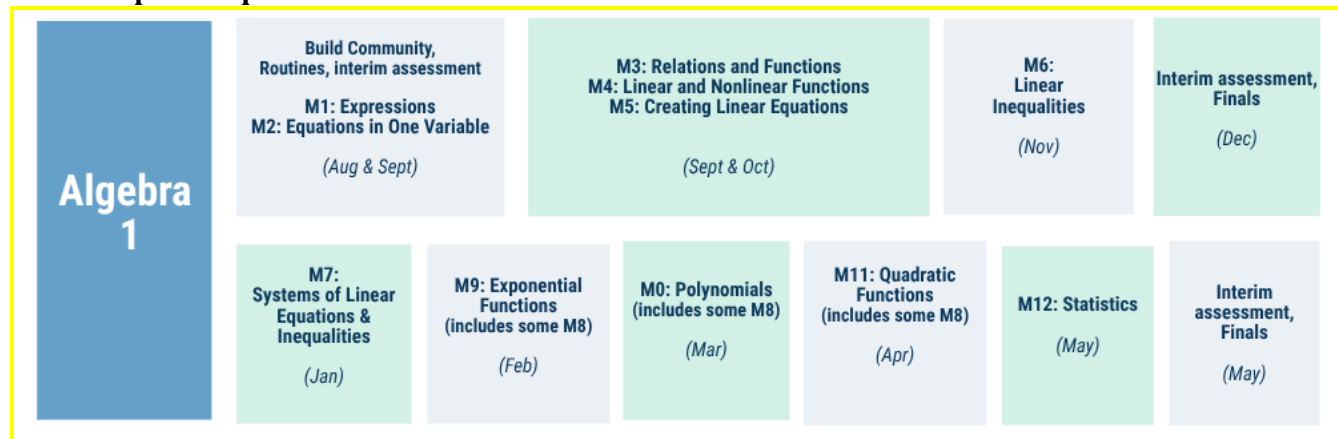
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Welcome to Algebra 1! We look forward to working with you this year as you learn the most important building blocks of mathematics. Please read over this information with your parent or guardian and return the paper to your teacher with the indicated signatures on the back.

BVSD Scope & Sequence:



Student Support: Math Table

Your teachers are here to partner with you to ensure your success in Algebra 1. Math Table is offered to students for support, including reteaching, homework help, make-up time for absences, and retakes.

- Check with your teacher for availability on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays.
- Every Wednesday and Thursday (2:37 - 3:15) during Academic Time. This is a block of time during the school day (last period of the day) that is designed for you to get support from your teachers.

Please do not schedule recurring appointments or work commitments during this time!

Grade Calculation

Summative: Tests & Projects	Quizzes	HW, Aleks Classwork	Sem Exam
45%	25%	15%	15%

Module Tests

Tests will occur at the end of each module. Because learning is the most important aspect, and we want to ensure that all students are mastering the material taught in class, students are expected to achieve a 70% level of proficiency for preparation for both the next module and future math courses. Extra help and corrections will be required before students can retake a test.

Quizzes

Quizzes are used to help students assess their current understanding of material during the module. Students are expected to attain 70% on each quiz. Corrections are required before retaking quizzes. Retakes must be completed by the end of the next set of block days.

Homework

Homework or classwork will be assigned daily and will be graded the following day based on completion. Do your homework in your notebook and don't tear it out! This makes it easy to find it.

2 = complete 1 = partially complete, no work shown or late 0 or M = missing or mostly incomplete

Students who want help on their homework are encouraged to attend Academic Time. **No late homework will be accepted beyond the Assessment.** Homework is intended to take about 20 minutes. Please let your teacher know if it is regularly taking you more than 20-30 minutes.

ALEKS

Students will be required to complete ALEKS each week. It will be scored as homework. This is a "smart" software program that helps students fill in holes in their skills and build fluency.

Required Materials (please bring every day)

- Scientific Calculator ([Texas Instruments TI-30XIIS](#) preferred). (Quiz grade!!)
- Charged Chromebook
- Notebook
- pencils, erasers & grading pen
- Highlighter
- Optional Class Gift: box(es) of tissue or tape

Cell Phone Policy

No cell phone use is permitted in class without specific teacher permission. Students will be required to have their phones and other devices in their backpacks. **Do not expect to respond to anyone during class time, including parents and guardians.** District policy will be followed if a student is using their phone during class. Parents may call the CHS office to contact their student in the event of an emergency.

Tardy Policy

Students are expected to be on time for class. The day's objective and lesson are introduced at the beginning of class, and you need to be present. Students who get to class late, but less than 5 minutes, will be marked tardy. BVSD policy is that if you are more than 5 minutes late, you will be marked "partially absent." If you leave the room to use the restroom etc., and are gone for more than 5 minutes, you will also be marked partially absent. Five partial absences = 1 unexcused absence.

Absences

If you are not in class, you are missing the learning. Please plan on being in class every day. If you know in advance that you will be absent, let your teacher know.

- Look online to see what you are missing during an absence and do your best to complete the work before returning. Email your teacher with questions if necessary.
- If you miss a quiz or test due to a one day absence or an appointment, expect to take the quiz or test during the **next day** you are in class.
- For excused absences, you generally have two days after you return to make up and turn in any work you missed on the day(s) you were absent. Any graded material not made up within the allotted time frame will be considered late.
- For extended absences due to unforeseen circumstances, please email your teacher.



Parent or Guardian: My student and I have read and discussed the Algebra I class information.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student: Please bring this signed copy back to school for your homework credit.