

Welcome to Statistics and Probability

- Teacher:** Mr. Edwards
- Office Hours:** You may contact me at (714) 999-3677. Additionally, I am reachable through e-mail at Edwards_h@auhsd.us.
- Tutoring:** I am generally available for tutoring before and after school and at other times by prior arrangement.
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Like anything else we learn, math takes practice and patience. With the help of the instructor and the willingness of the student, learning can be a fulfilling and rewarding process.

What I expect from my students:

1. Attend class prepared and on time each day.
2. Do all assignments on time.
3. Be active in class (Ask questions, help others, share insights).
4. Participate in tutoring sessions whenever possible.
5. Maintain good conduct.

What my students can expect from me:

1. Assignments and exams will be graded in a timely manner.
2. A smile and willingness to help.
3. Respect.
4. The student's status in the class at any given time.

Requirements for the class:

1. 3-ring binder and adequate paper
2. Graph paper
3. Pencil and eraser (**NO PENS**)
4. A graphing calculator is recommended for those in algebra II and above.

Grading Policy:

All assignments will be graded on a strict **90% (A)**, **80% (B)**, **70% (C)**, and **60% (D)** scale. The following is a breakdown of assignment values toward each six-week grade:

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| 1. Classwork (warm-ups) | 10% | |
| 2. Homework | 20% | (assigned and checked daily) |
| 3. Chapter tests (final exam = 3 chpt. tests) | 60% | |
| 4. Quizzes | 10% | |

The semester grade is cumulative with each quarter grade.

Make-ups:

It is the student's responsibility to obtain any assignments they may have missed due to an excused absence. These assignments are due two days after the student returns. Exams are due the day that the student returns. As a general rule, extra credit is not given.

Class Rules

1. No food (gum, candy, etc.) or drink.
2. Show respect to all (no talking during lecture; raise hand to ask questions).
3. Begin warm-up as soon as the bell rings and have homework out.
4. Cell phones are to be put away and are subject to confiscation.
5. Be productive.

Consequences

First offense	-	Verbal warning
Second offense	-	30 minute detention
Third offense	-	60 minute detention and notify parent
Fourth offense	-	referral to office and notify parent

Severity Clause: Some offenses may warrant immediate referral to office.

Curriculum

This class is for those students planning to attend college. It is a rigorous class covering statistics and probability concepts such as graphs, measures of central tendency, standard deviation, and real world applications. To ensure student success, it is strongly recommended that students attend tutoring as outlined above. Students will be assigned homework, Monday through Thursday, from the book as well as alternative assignments. Quizzes and exams will generally be given each Friday.