

1. **Students in Algebra 1 and higher are required to have their own graphing calculator (TI-83 and up or similar).**
2. **Students who have trouble obtaining a calculator should speak with the teacher or Dr. Goffe for the possibility that the school will lend them a calculator to sign out for the school year.**
3. **Students are required to bring the appropriate calculator to class every day. If he or she does not bring it, the penalty is at the teacher's discretion, though punishments should only appropriately impact the student's preparedness or class participation grades.**
4. **Students are required to have their calculators for tests and quizzes. If a student does not have a calculator during an exam, he or she may either attempt the test or quiz without a calculator for no penalty, or choose to borrow a calculator from the teacher for a five percent deduction.**

Please note that the penalties for class calculator rules may not apply to students who have specifications about calculators in their IEP. The rules set forth in a student's IEP supersede our department policy