



8th AB Syllabus and Expectations

Welcome to the 2024-2025 8th Grade School Year

All students will be required to follow expectations set out in the 2024-25 Student Handbook as well as the Essential Expectations in the Syllabus.

Attendance

- Students must come prepared for class, prepared to work, in dress code.

Technology Platforms

- Students must notify teachers when having technology issues.

Curriculum Instruction and Assessment

- 8th Grade Academic Block curriculum consists of Common Core State Standards for ELA and US History, Independence to Reconstruction.
- Students must have access to laptop/Chromebook and Internet for work completion (devices available through the school site).
- Students must stay on pace with daily assignments.
- Students must take assessments online as directed by teachers.
- Students must have daily interaction with teachers, support staff, and peers via online learning, email, google classroom etc.

Communication

- Students and parents/guardians can communicate with their teacher outside of class time via email, parent/student square

Grading

- Students will check grades weekly.
- Plagiarism/Cheating/Copying will not be tolerated.
 - Plagiarism is when phrases -more than three consecutive words- from a source are identical in structure and are not cited.
- All work turned in **must have capitalization and punctuation** to receive full credit otherwise it will receive 70%.

Grading Policy

- 90-100% = A, 80-89%= B, 70-79% = C, 60-69%=D, 59 and below = F
 - **Grades will not be rounded up**
- Grades will come from daily attendance and participation, daily work, quizzes, tests, projects, and reports.
- **No Extra Credit will be given.**

Make-up Work and Late Work

- You have the same number of days to complete work missed as days out for an **excused** absence.
- Late work will be accepted for diminished credit.



Have a great school year!