

6th Grade Math

12:45- 2:15 MWF, 12:45- 1:30 T Th

Welcome to Middle School Math!

I am happy to get to know you in and out of the classroom this year!

This is my second year teaching 6th grade Math, but have been at HPCA on and off since 2000. I love and believe in the awesome work God is doing here so much that my three children are also students at HPCA. The goal in our class this year will be to adopt and practice the habit for how to approach problems systematically, by breaking them down, noticing any clues, and using tools and knowledge to build the solution.

Middle school itself is demanding. It will push us to have HIGH EXPECTATIONS both for work and maturity in your class community. You'll find out quickly that the best way to succeed here will be to keep a strong and positive team around you who will help you be a better student, friend, and family. You'll also find out how rewarding Middle School, and math also, can be when you activate this approach. I will do my best to be that kind of teacher for you; please let me know any concerns or resources you can share to make this 6th grade year a success. Mrs. Shin Lin

Materials Needed Each Class:

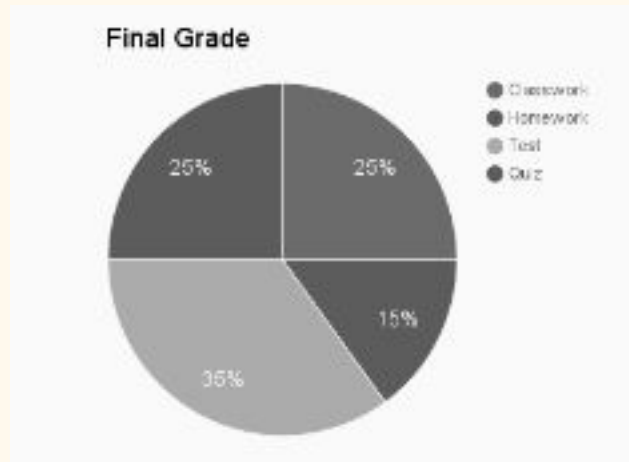
- Math Notebook (daily notes/study material)
- Math Folder (Study Guides/HW)
- 12 Pencils/Eraser/sharpener
- Pen, Highlighter, Color Pencils

Math Class Rules and Procedures:

- Before entering- Bathroom/water during lunch; check uniform, supplies, and HW
- Enter- on time, politely, check board for turning in HW, and get Warm Up point
- Work-in pencil, show all work and corrections; copy HW assignment before leaving class
- Water bottles allowed, No leaving class during class except for emergency
- Homework DAILY including weekends
- Quiz/Test EVERY WEEK; Progress Report emailed weekly.
 - The Quiz grade can be improved with CORRECTIONS and PARENT SIGN by the next Friday. The Test grade cannot be improved after the test.

Grading

- Test 35%
- Quiz 25%
- Classwork 25%
- Homework 15%



Absence/Incomplete Work

- Absent HW/CW will be given full credit with a PARENT SIGNATURE until that Friday.
- LATE/REDO HW will be only be accepted until that Friday with a PARENT SIGNATURE to receive valid reduced grade.
- MISSING or INCOMPLETE CW/HW will be drop to F after a week by the next Progress Report.

Expectations/Consequences

- Attendance; On time; Already went to bathroom and water during lunch; Prepared to work.
- Polite and professional tone and language; disruptive and discouraging talk or behavior is unacceptable.
- Follow directions promptly without complaint; for valid complaints or concerns use the proper Appeal process outside instruction time.
- Best Effort and Strategies for success: You must work the hardest for your own success.
- Classwork and HW completed fully for a grade. All work is labeled correctly for a grade.
- Get guardian signatures for incomplete or late work for a grade.
- Consequences for not meeting the expectations will directly affect your grade daily, mandatory HW Tutoring time, and immediate calls home on the record, and unable to participate in other school activities/trips.

Please check off each checkbox as you go over each item you are responsible for

I have read and understood the syllabus for Math class for 6th grade.

Student Print _____ Student Sign _____

Student email/phone _____

Parent Print _____ Parent Sign _____

Parent email/phone _____