Geometry Course Information Sheet

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**Classroom Rules:**

1. There will be homework most nights and all students are expected to complete the assignment by the next class. If you should be absent, you are responsible for getting the assignment and completing it by the **next day**. A **zero** will be entered into the grade book and will be changed once the assignment is turned in. Work **will not be accepted** at the end of the marking period. You should get a copy of a classmate’s notes so you don’t fall behind.
2. Please arrive to class on time. If you are late for class more than two times, you will be asked to stay after school for detention. We have a lot of material to cover, in a short amount of time, so it is imperative that everyone arrives on time.
3. Students must complete tests and quizzes during the allotted class time, you are not given extra time after school to complete the assessments. If work is not shown on any graded assignments including tests, quizzes, classwork and homework you **will not receive credit for the work**. If anyone is caught cheating on a test or quiz you will receive a zero and will not be able to make up the assessment.
4. Please be prepared for class. Being prepared means have homework, text book, notebook, **pencils,** and any other materials that are necessary for class with you upon arrival. I consider this is your assignment every day and it is a part of your homework grade.
5. Please avoid private conversations during the class period since this is distracting to me and to other students. If this becomes an ongoing problem, it will result in detention.
6. We will all treat each other with respect and consideration. Any other behavior will not be tolerated.
7. Cell phones (and any other electronic equipment) are not permitted and will be confiscated, only to be released to a parent or guardian. Students will turn in their cell phones at the **beginning of each class**. If any student fails to do so and the phone is seen it will be turned into the office.
8. Extra help is available Monday, Wednesday and Thursday during the flex period. I encourage all students to take advantage of this.
9. Portal will be updated several days a week. Please make sure you log on to view your grade.

**Requirements:**

**-**Three ring binder (highly recommended over a notebook)

-Loose leaf

-PENCILS

-Scientific calculator ( preferably TI-30x IIS)

-Covered Textbook

**Grades**

Each marking period (3) is determined by your performance on test, quizzes, homework, and participation.

Tests………………………………….40%

Quizzes………………………………20%

Homework…………………………20%

Classwork/Participation……..20%

**The final semester grade**: Each marking period grade-28%

Final exam-16 %

The minimum grade for marking periods 1,2 ,4 and 5 will be a 45. **There is no longer a minimum grade for the final marking period or the final exam**. For example if the student gets a 30 on the final exam a 30 will be used to calculate the final average.

If you have a 93 or higher for **all three** marking periods you will be able to exempt the final exam.