

SYCAMORE CANYON  
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Math 7CP and Geometry H SYLLABUS  
2019-2020

**RECOMMENDED SUPPLIES**

- Five-subject spiral notebook (Geometry will also need a one-subject spiral to be used as a GeoPH)  
Try to get the spirals with the **folders** separating the sections (also with a plastic cover); the folders will be used to hold on to assignments, tests/quizzes, handouts and chapter assignment sheets. The three sections will be used for **1)** warm-ups/classwork, **2)** notes (2 sections) and **3)** HW (2 sections)
- Pencils, red-correcting pens, highlighters, glue sticks, ruler, protractor, and graph paper  
Optional: if you do purchase a calculator, TI-30XIIS is recommended as it is used in the high schools.  
Instruction on use of calculators will be given in class.

**IN ORDER TO RECEIVE FULL CREDIT AND BENEFIT FROM YOUR WORK**

- Use the **chapter assignment page** or check your teacher's website: so you know the exact assignment to complete that day: [www.MathMovesU.weebly.com](http://www.MathMovesU.weebly.com)
- **Always use pencil** for homework assignments - no pens, not even the erasable type!
- Use **graph paper** to work on problems during the **graphing units**.
- **Write out the problem** as stated in the book (unless it is a word problem, then copy important information).
- **SHOW ALL YOUR WORK! NO WORK, NO CREDIT! THIS INCLUDES HW/TESTS/QUIZZES!**
- At home, **correct odd questions** by using the back, **correct even questions** by using the key posted on the class Weebly website, and **show all corrections using red pen**.
- Use correct heading Ex) **Assign #24 Page 213, #1- 27 odd** and **highlight** all titles.  
(top, middle of paper)

**BEFORE THE BELL RINGS EACH DAY**

- Begin warm-up, writing the problems and solutions in your spiral.  
This is also the time to show your teacher any make-up work and homework corrections.
- Be ready – class begins when the bell rings!  
Once the bell rings and class has started, your citizenship grade will be affected and you will be marked TARDY if you are not following the above instructions.

**NOTE TAKING**

Notes will be taken for each lesson. Your notebook will be a valuable resource to you when you are stuck on a homework problem or if you are studying for a test/quiz. Notebooks will be checked and graded after each chapter test.

**ACADEMIC HONESTY POLICY**

Cheating of any kind: on tests, quizzes or homework will result in zero credit for all parties involved. No make-up will be offered. Please see district handbook regarding policies and procedures:

<http://www.conejousd.org/Portals/0/pdfs/Discipline%20Policy%20Proc%2018-19%20English.pdf?ver=2018-08-22-131532-070>

**HOMEWORK POLICY**

Homework is a way for you to learn more by extending the work that was started during class time. It could also be a review of material previously covered, an introduction to new ideas for later follow-up in class, or a chance to reflect on ideas discussed in class. You will have approximately 30 minutes of homework, Monday through Friday each week. Homework should be done each evening and is worth 5 points per assignment.

**LATE WORK WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR FULL CREDIT ONLY BEFORE THE END OF EACH CHAPTER.**

**Corrections will be done on every test/quiz to correct all missed problems.**

**ASSIGNMENT SHEETS**

An assignment sheet will be given at the beginning of each chapter and will be posted on the teacher's website. IF YOU ARE ABSENT, TRY TO DO THE NEXT ASSIGNMENT ON THE SHEET. We do one assignment daily. If you have questions about the assignment, see your teacher before school on the day you return, ask your parents, or call a friend in class to get help with your questions. All absent assignments should be completed within the same number of days as the length of the absence. It is YOUR responsibility to turn in the make-up work so that you can receive credit. Changes to the assignment sheet will be posted on the class Weebly website.

### **EXTRA HELP**

Lunchtime help is available every day, in the classroom. Additionally, a list of wonderful internet resources has been posted on the class Weebly website.

### **GRADES**

**Homework** will be stamped each day by the teacher and will be graded based on accuracy by you. You will give yourself an accuracy grade based on the number of problems you solved correctly. Then it will be your responsibility to show the teacher your corrections in red pen for each missed homework problem. In this way, you may earn 100% on each homework assignment. You will keep track of these points on the assignment sheet, and the teacher will update these points after each set of corrections are completed. Your parents will sign this "Portfolio" at the end of each chapter before you turn it in. The day after the chapter test, this homework portfolio will be collected and used for the homework grade for that chapter. **Notes** and **Warm-Ups** will also be graded the day after each chapter test.

**Quizzes** are given about halfway into a chapter, or when needed. **Tests** are given at the conclusion of every chapter. **Trimester benchmarks** are given by the district and will be counted as a test grade. Projects will be assigned with an equivalent value of a test. The grades for the class are cumulative for each trimester.

The grades are earned as follows:

100% & ↑	A+	88-89%	B+	78-79%	C+	68-69%	D+	
93-99%	A	83-87%	B	73-77%	C	63-67%	D	
90-92%	A-	80-82%	B-	70-72%	C-	60-62%	D-	BELOW 60% = F

Grades determined by: 85% assessments, 15% HW assignments and projects/classroom/technology activities.

**CITIZENSHIP:** Letter grade determined as outlined in the Sycamore Canyon Handbook.

**WORK HABITS:** Letter grade determined by percentage earned in homework category as follows:

90% & ↑ E    89-75% S    74-60%    N    59% ↓ U

### **"Q"**

Please note: It is the parent's and student's responsibility to check "Q" regularly in order to monitor the class grade, missing assignments, and infractions received. It is the responsibility of the child to contact their teacher to make up all missed or incomplete assignments.

### **BATHROOM USE**

- You must sign in/out on the classroom bathroom log.
- Students should use the restroom prior to beginning all assessments. Once an assessment has begun, the student will be required to finish the entire exam before being allowed to leave the room.

### **UPDATED SYCAMORE CANYON PHONE POLICY 2019-2020**

- From 8:45–3:08 cell phones, electronic devices, air pods, and earbuds must be **off/in students' backpacks**.
- Cell phones may be used before school and after school only, in the lunch shelter
  - 1<sup>st</sup> offense - Phone will be turned into the office for student to pick up at the end of the day
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> offense - Phone will be turned into the office for parent to pick up. Detention also assigned.
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> offense - Loss of phone for one trimester. Detention also assigned.
- Texting or use of Social Media during school hours will immediately result in the loss of cell phone privileges on campus for a minimum of one full trimester.

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### **Math Department Information – DUE FRIDAY 8/23/19**

Student Name (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Email(s): \_\_\_\_\_

*By signing these guidelines I am stating that I have read and understood all of the expectations set forth:*

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_