

## Algebra 1 and Intensive Math Syllabus

2019 - 2020

Instructor Information

### General Information

#### Instructor

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### Description

The purpose of the courses in Algebra 1 and Intensive Math is to extend students' experiences from the middle grades. Students explore more complex situations and deepen their concepts of algebra, moving towards formal mathematical arguments.

### Goals and Expectations

Students are expected to follow all district and school rules. They are expected to keep their work areas clean and organized. The classroom is intended to be a safe environment, where we respect each other regardless of race, ethnicity, gender expression, sexual orientation, socio-economic background, age, religion and ability. Students are encouraged to speak to the instructor or administrators if they feel disrespected or unsafe anywhere at MBSH.

### Course Materials

### Required Materials -everyday

Internet Access - access to the textbook is available through your portal (physical books will be provided as well).

### Calculator

NOTETAKING: Pencil / Paper / Binder / Journal / Notebook / Electronic Device

(Any combination of the above is allowed, as long as you are able to show your notes every 2 weeks for grading!)

### Grades

#### Criteria:

40%: Quizzes

30%: District Topic Tests

30%: Home Learning and Class work

(IMPORTANT: Class work includes participation, notebook, and projects)

#### Grading Scale:

o A = 90% - 100%

o B = 80% - 89%

o C = 70% - 79%

o D = 60% - 69%

o F ≤ 59%

### EOC Math

At the closing of this course, students will be required to take the state mandated end of course exam (EOC). More information about the EOC exam can be found on the Florida Department of Education's website ([fldoe.org](http://fldoe.org)).

### Additional Information and Resources

Makeup Work

If absent, it is the student's responsibility to make up any missing work. Upon returning to school, the student has 3 days to get an admit from the attendance office. Only then make up work will be provided. The student will have a week to submit/complete and submit all make-up work.

Parental Contact

Parents are welcome to contact instructor should they have any questions, comments or concerns. Additionally, a progress report will be sent out four times a year (mid-way through a semester) and a report card will follow at the end of each semester. It is the student's responsibility to present you with these documents.

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Acknowledgement

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To the student and their parent(s)/guardian(s): I am excited about this new school year, and I will do everything I can to make this a productive and enjoyable year together of learning Math! With that goal in mind, I have created the preceding syllabus and classroom policies/expectations to help keep everything running smoothly. I believe if we are all on the "same page" and work together, we can make this the best possible learning experience for everyone.

Please sign below to acknowledge that you have read the Algebra 1 / Intensive Algebra Syllabus and understand the classroom policies and expectations for this class.

Student:

Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian:

Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Information: If you would like me to be able to contact you, please provide a telephone number or e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_