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Student Name _____

Parent Signature _____

GEOMETRY COURSE SYLLABUS

TEACHER: Mr. Schiewe
Room 130

DESCRIPTION:

We will build on the basics of Algebra I. We will practice right triangle geometry, sequences, finding area, circles, constructions, along with other fundamentals. We will also solve problems to help prepare for state math test and work on components of the solutions required by the state dept. of education. Students are expected to participate in class discussions.

HOMEWORK:

Homework is an important aspect of learning. In order to learn the student must practice. I will use homework to review the previous day's lesson. If one does not prepare himself/herself, then he/she will probably not gain a knowledgeable grasp of the topic.

GRADING:

100 – 90 =	A
89 – 80 =	B
79 – 70 =	C
69 – 60 =	D
59 and below	F

- Tests and quizzes will equal 60% of the grade earned. There will be a quiz and/or a test approximately every week. A calculator will not be allowed on some tests.
- 30% of the grade will be from homework.
- 10% will be from in-class participation.

KEYS TO SUCCESS:

To be successful in Geometry, a student should choose to...

- come to class prepared with completed homework, pencil, paper, calculator, and book.
- Concentrate on difficult problems and practice different methods to solve a problem.
- Leave cell phones on quiet mode and not operate them in class. If Mr. Schiewe sees a phone being operated, he will give it to the principal for the rest of the day.
- leave mp3 players, iphones, tablets and ipods and other listening devices at home, they will be confiscated by Mr. Schiewe. There are apps that can do math for you.
- Please, ask your parents to not text you during class.
- stay out of the instructor's area unless he/she has permission to go there.
- take notes when given the opportunity.
- use the text book as a reference.
- leave food/drink out of the classroom. – If a student brings food or drink to the classroom, it will be confiscated and thrown away.

If a student chooses to not take the above positions, he/she may be removed from class – resulting in an unexcused absence and/or that day's assignment not being given credit. Loss of participation points will also be the result. If a student is truant, no credit will be given for that day's work, quiz, or test.

PLEASE, DO NOT TEXT YOUR STUDENTS DURING GEOMETRY. IT COMPROMISES MY POLICY, THANK YOU.