

Mrs. Myers's Science Classroom Expectations:

In order for each class to run smoothly, I ask that every student follow 3 simple rules:

- **Be respectful:** This rule includes respect of all school rules, school/individual property and, most importantly, respect for others. Students will be working in collaborative pairs and sometimes groups during class, so this rule is of particular importance. Every student should expect respect in our classroom and be willing to give respect in return.
- **Be organized:** Students are responsible for coming to class prepared. Required daily materials are as follows:

Chromebook

Science Binder - with looseleaf and handouts

Pencil (Sharpen pencils before class)/Blue or Black Pen

Red Pen for grading

Colored pencils and glue stick

Highlighter

- **Be punctual:** In order to make the most out of every class period, students are expected to walk in the room and immediately be in their assigned seats and ready to start class.

Science Homework:

- In the event of an assignment, it will be assigned in class. It may be an assignment that must be accessed through Google Classroom or a hardcopy handed out in class. Daily assignments will be posted on the Google Classroom "stream" for absent students.
- In the event of an absence, students will be given 1 day for every day they are absent to make-up the assignments. (e.g. If a student is absent on Monday and returns Tuesday he/she has until Wednesday to turn it in.)

***The student will be required to stay caught up on all homework assignments once they have returned. Students will be notified of any tests or quizzes in advance, so students are expected to take the test on the day it is given, even if they were absent the day before. ***

- Late homework assignments will be accepted, but will receive a reduction in

points for everyday it is late.

Science Tests

- Tests may consist of multiple choice, short answer, true/false, and/or fill in the blank.

Students are responsible for any tests they miss during an absence, it is the student's responsibility to come to me to make up missed tests. Missed tests will be given to students upon their return, students should come to class prepared to complete the test.

Science Labs

- Labs may not be required for every unit covered, however I plan to incorporate some sort of hands-on activity(ies) during each unit.
- Students are expected to abide by the Science Class Safety Contract. A copy of this contract will be posted on my bulletin board on Fast Direct, Google Classroom, and a signed copy in each students' binder.

Extra Help

- If you are having trouble with your work, please see me as soon as possible for extra help.

Extra credit work is NOT given in science.

Leaving the Classroom

- Students **will not** be allowed to leave the room during tests or quizzes, unless there is an emergency.
- All other times are at the discretion of the teacher.

Contact Information

- School Email: smyers@olparish.org
- FastDirect
- I will not check email or phone messages after 5pm on weekdays
- Email and phone messages are not checked over weekends until Sunday evenings.