Mr. Grams' 8th Grade Math Syllabus

CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS

Respect yourself and others.
- Raise hand and wait to be recognized before speaking in class.
- Speak to others in a positive manner.
- Keep a positive attitude and believe in yourself.

Respect for property.
- Ask permission before touching another's property.
- Use equipment correctly and at appropriate times.

Respect the safety of others and yourself.
- Always walk in the classroom – sit in your chair in a safe manner.
- One person excused to the restroom at a time.
- Notify the teacher before you leave the room.

Come to class prepared.
- Be in your seat when the bell rings.
- Have the required materials with you and on your desk.
- Have all completed assignments with you.

Gum, food or drinks of any kind, electronic equipment and hats are not allowed in class.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR CLASS

- 3-ring binder
- Pencils, pens, highlighter
- Graph paper

GRADING POLICY

40% Homework
60% Tests & Quizzes

GRADING SCALE

100-90 A
89-80 B
79-70 C
69-60 D
59-0 F

HOMEWORK

Homework will be assigned most nights. Students are expected to attempt each problem so that they may participate in the following days discussion. Students are expected to make corrections to their homework when the assignment is reviewed in class. Each Monday (or the first day back) students will have a homework quiz. The homework quiz will cover a few questions from the weeks homework. Students may use their homework papers for this homework quiz. All the weeks assignments and the homework quiz will be stapled and handed in weekly for a homework grade. All assignments need to be completed in pencil, pen will receive no credit.

ABSENCES

If you are absent it is your responsibility to come and get your missing assignments before or after school. You only get one extra day for each day that you are absent to turn in missing work.

PARENTAL EXPECTATIONS

Provide a daily study time and encourage students to:

- Complete daily assignments and projects.
- Review students Binder Reminder and talk about upcoming tests/quizzes.
- Review homework assignments with your student.

Support and encourage your child to do his/her best.

MATH RESOURCES

For additional help with the math concepts please visit my website at www.gramsmath.com Here you will find math videos, practice tests and other useful links.

Please return this form with your student; the other documents are to be kept in your student's math binder.

Please verify that you and your student have received and read Classroom Expectations and Grading Policy by signing this form and returning it to me with your student. If you have any questions about the class, please contact me at gramsl@wvsd208.org
Thank You!

Lee Grams

STUDENT (PRINT NAME) _____

STUDENT (SIGNATURE) _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN (PRINT NAME) _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN (SIGNATURE) _____

HOME AND/OR WORK NUMBER _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

DATE _____