

Welcome to Academic Support with Ms. DeSolio

Contact Information

Email: rdelsolio@winthrop.k12.ma.us

Supplies

Choose between a 3 ring binder, accordion binder, or folders to keep materials from each of your classes organized.

Grading Policy

Classwork/
Participation
100%

Each day a student can earn up to 5 points.

3 points- staying on task and working on assignments

1 point- completing the daily warm up assignment

1 point- recording homework/ assignments in agenda, homework tracker, or computer/ cell phone app.

Course description

This class is designed to help students with their organization, time management, and study skills. Students will spend the class period completing assignments for their classes and preparing for upcoming tests/quizzes or projects.

Additional Help

I will be available before school from 7:30am-7:55am, and after school from 2:20-3:00 in my office located in the 2nd floor teachers room. Please contact me via email or check in with me during class if you would like additional help before/after school.



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Classwork Policy

It is important that all students use their time effectively during Academic Support.

Students must come to class prepared to work on assignments. Ms. DelSolio will help students organize themselves for their classes as well as assist them on homework when needed, and prepare for upcoming tests/quizzes. If students are not working on assignments and they are using the time unproductively, they will not earn full credit for participation that day.

Communication

The best way for parents and students to contact me is by email.

Important information for students will be posted on the Google Classroom page.

Cell Phone/ Technology Policy

It is important that Students give their full attention when completing assignments in Academic Support. Students are allowed to use their Chromebooks to complete homework assignments. Students are allowed to use their cell phones ONLY to listen to music when working on assignments, if needed. If a student is seen using their cell phone or Chromebook for other purposes (e.g. YouTube videos, games, etc.) then they will lose this privilege and have to turn in their device until the end of the period.



Welcome to 8th grade math with Mrs. Caldwell

Absences and Make-Up

Policy When a student is absent from class, it is his/her responsibility to get the notes and assignments from the teacher, the teacher website, or a reliable classmate. I believe that it is crucial for all students to be at school and maintain appropriate attendance and discipline. However, should a student miss class for any reason, it is important that the student make-up any missed work. Students can be given up to a 3 days to complete and submit assignments when absent; however, I will take into account individual circumstances regarding student absences. I will follow ECMS Grading Procedures for assignments turned in late. Professional discretion will be used when there are

Classroom Expectations

It is the students' responsibility to be prepared for class daily. All materials are required in class daily. Students are expected to be active participants in class by taking notes, completing all assignments, participating in class discussions, and collaborating with other students as necessary. Students are expected to show respect to the teacher, other students, and school property. It is expected that students will maintain a neat and organized math notebook. This notebook will be used like a reference for everything 8th grade math. All notes will be glued / taped in to refer back to at a later time, if needed. Failure to keep your notebook organized can have detrimental side-effects to your studying. All graded assignments will be filed in the classroom for secure keeping. Should a parent/guardian want to

Bring Your Own Technology

Students will occasionally be given the opportunity to use their personal device if they have turned in a BYOT form and it is documented in our system. Learning devices are not mandatory and they are only to be used with the permission of the teacher. Students will be responsible for their own devices, using them properly, and following the guidelines outlined on the BYOT form. Failure to follow the guidelines will result in the students' BYOT privilege being revoked.



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**** I reserve the right to make adjustments or changes to this syllabus in order to meet the needs of the students in the classroom. If you have any questions concerning anything addressed in the syllabus, please feel free to contact me at the email address provided.**

By signing below, as the parent/guardian, you acknowledge that you have read the syllabus and understand what it states.

Student Name

Parent / Guardian Signature

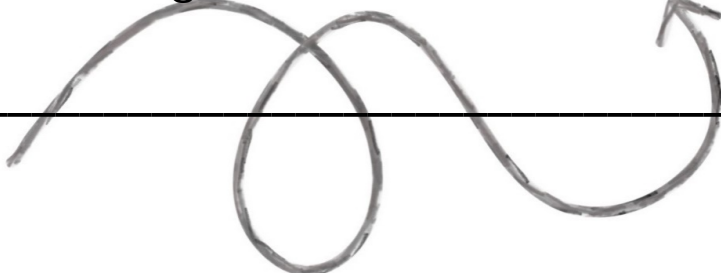
Date

Best Mode of Contact (cell phone, work phone, email, letter sent home with student) AND LIST THE NUMBER, EMAIL ADDRESS, etc...

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Student Signature

Date

A handwritten signature in dark ink, featuring a large loop and a long horizontal stroke, is written over a horizontal line.

