BD07205_Course Syllabus

Course: Honors Geometry

**Course Description**

This course is intended to develop the student’s numeric thinking skills and computational abilities. The course will include the district Geometry Power Standards, which include: reasoning and two column proofs; angle relationships; right triangles, Pythagorean Theorem and trigonometry; coordinate geometry; transformations of geometric shapes, measurement of two and three dimensional figures; proportional relationships of similar figures.

**Required Materials**

* **Books**: bring your books to class everyday unless otherwise instructed.
* Students may access the book online at **www.my.hrw.com**

Username: **kbraves** Password:  **password1**

* **Pencils**, **calculator, ruler/protractor, geometry notebook**
* **Other helpful useful material: dry erase marker, red pen, highlighter, text book cover**

Website: www.kamiakingeometry.weebly.com

##### GRADE SCALE

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A 93% - 100% C 73% - 76%

A - 90% - 92% C - 70% - 72%

B + 87% - 89% D + 67% - 69%

B 83% - 86% D 60% - 66%

B - 80% - 82% F 0% - 59%

**C + 77% - 79%**

**Electronics Policy:**

Electronics have become a growing distraction in the classroom. I am requesting that all electronic devices be turned off and put away during class time. This includes, but is not limited to: cell phones, iPods, mp3 players, Nintendo DS, etc.

**1st offense: I will take the device and keep it until the end of the day.**

**2nd offense: I will take it to the office where the student can pick it up at the administrator’s discretion.**

**🡪Due to the status of this class as an honors class, any student that fails to achieve a C- or better grade at each quarter will be moved to regular Geometry.**

Grading

**Daily Assignments (25% of grade)**

* Every assignment is worth 10 points unless announced otherwise.
* **ALL WORK MUST BE SHOWN TO RECEIVE CREDIT ON ASSIGNMENTS!!!**
* If your name is not on the assignment, you will receive a ZERO
* Keep all homework assignments until you see that it is recorded correctly on my computer printout and preferably until the end of the chapter.
* *Late assignments are due prior to the chapter test and will receive half credit.*
* *If you are late, your assignment is late, be here and be on time!*

**Tests, Quizzes and Projects (75% of grade)**

* **Quizzes** are given throughout the chapter (usually after every 2 to 4 sections).
* **Tests** come at the end of each chapter. You may retake **ONE** test throughout the semester.
* The **semester final exam** is comprehensive over work from the entire semester.
* **Projects** will be assigned periodically and usually completed over a week or two. They will require time outside of class. The amount of points a project is worth will vary.

**Grade Breakdown**

Q1 is 40%

Q2 is 40%

Semester final is 20%

**Make-up work (excused absence):**

**Assignments**—Make sure the page number is on the top of all make-up work as well as the words “**MAKE-UP**”. All completed make-up work must be received prior to the chapter test.

**Test/Quizzes**—Must be made-up **ON YOUR OWN TIME** within a week of the date the test/quiz was given in class. Make-up tests/quizzes can be taken before school, at lunch, or after school (I am usually in my room during these times, please check with me prior to coming).

**Cheating:**

If a student makes a choice to cheat on an assignment/quiz/test the student will receive a “0” for that activity.

This syllabus is an outline of classroom policies and procedures; however, it is not exhaustive.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email me!