

Ousley JH Math 8



Welcome!!! As 8th grade students, we are preparing to enter high school! You may notice some differences from your 7th grade math class. Most notably, homework will be a completion grade! Homework is ESSENTIAL practice so that learners are successful on quizzes and tests.

Grading:

15%	Practice	this is a completion grade: ALL or nothing
85%	Learning Checks	corrections may be completed to show mastery
	Tests	may be retaken after a tutoring session to receive additional help

Practice-

Practice in 8th grade math is graded upon completion. This means you have answered ALL questions and shown ALL of your work. Even if you have used a calculator to help you solve the problem it is important to write down what you type in. Students solving all problems and showing all work will receive a 100 and those who do not will receive a 0. This 0 cannot be corrected, replaced, or turned in late. At the beginning of each class answers will be shown so students can check their practice and see how they did so they can improve going forward.

What you need EVERY DAY:

Two journals- One for each semester
Two sharpened Pencils
Completed assignment
Wide-ruled notebook paper
Colored pens/pencils
Highlighter

Make sure you stays *ORGANIZED!*

Journal:
Table of Contents
Unit Checklists – use to track your success
C-Notes
Binder:
Keep math papers in the math section

Class Expectations:

Be Responsible

I use my planner daily.
I complete my assignments and turn them in on time.
I ask for help.

Be Respectful

I follow directions the first time given.
I do not argue when given instructions.

Be Ready

I am on time to every class.
I have my needed supplies every day in class.

Need Extra Help?

Tutoring occurs before and after school. Available days vary each week. A schedule will be posted online and in my room.

Communication is extremely important, so I have many ways we can connect:

My Webpage	Google Classroom	Remind	Email and Phone
<p>www.ojhmath8.weebly.com</p> <p>Check here for assignments, notes, and class calendar</p>	<p>www.classroom.google.com</p> <p>1st – cw9pyx 2nd – ctk1s5 3rd – bd542p4 4th – qujv6pf 8th – a953w2e</p>	<p>Remind is a free app and texting service used to communicate and send reminders to parents and students</p> <p>Text: @kaehfc to 81010</p> <p>Or download the app!</p>	<p>My email is edameron@aisd.net</p> <p>School Phone 682-867-5700</p>

Supplies:

We go through a lot of pencils, colored pencils, glue sticks, and tape. Please consider donating communal supplies for us to use throughout the year.

Thank you for taking your time to read this letter. Please check the website weekly for updated information. I look forward to working with my students and their parents to ensure an exciting and productive year!

With regards,

Ms. Lisa Dameron

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I have received and read Ms. Dameron's class letter which reviewed grading policies, supply list, class expectations, and communication information.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: X _____

Parent Signature: X _____