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This entire document can be accessed at http://www.chesterufsd.org/webpages/mdoucette/.

Class Expectations

- 1. Be in your seats and ready to work when the bell rings. If you are going to be late, get a pass. Your first late is free. Arriving late to class after your first warning will result in a detention after school.
- 2. Be prepared! You will need the following supplies for EVERY class.
 - 1. Two inch, three ring binder.
 - 2. Graph paper (three hole punched).
 - 3. Loose-leaf paper (three hole punch, no notebooks unless it has a perforated edge).
 - 4. Pencils and pens (highlighter is optional).
 - 5. Fully charged Chromebook.
- 3. Come to class!!! Math is sequential. Each lesson builds off the previous lessons. Every time you are absent from class you have to make up the previous work to fully understand the new lesson. Work missed due to an excused absence is due on the date set by the student handbook. I will accept tests and quizzes missed due to excused absences until the end of that marking period. It is the responsibility of the **STUDENT** to ask for any missed work. This includes missing class for band lessons, field trips, games, etc. I will not chase you down for missed work.

The lessons for this course are completely online. They are taken from the New York State Common Core Curriculum. If there are lesson notes for that day, the outline can be found online at engageny.org. Students have the opportunity to catch up on missed lessons before they return to class from an absence.

There will be a folder for each student on the counter in my classroom. Missed work will be placed in that folder for the student to complete when they return to class. Tests and quizzes will be in a separate folder on my desk. Students will be required to schedule a time to meet with me to make up a test or quiz. This can be during a study hall, lunch, or after school.

4. Respect yourself and others. Always keep your hands, feet, and objects to yourself. Any disruption of the learning environment will subject the student to the procedures outlined in the student code of conduct.

Grading:

Tests (40%): There will be no retakes unless the absence is excused.

Quizzes (25%): May be announced or unannounced.

Homework (10%): Late assignments will not be accepted. Each homework assignment is graded on a five point scale. HW is to be completed on a separate sheet of paper in your notes, not on the handout. No credit will be given for HW not completed on separate paper.

Online Review Assignments (15%): No extensions will be given on deadlines for online assignments. Students must be aware that asking questions is vital to their success and are strongly encouraged to do so as often as they feel they need to. Notebooks may be collected at any time for a grade.

Daily Do Now (10%): There will be daily problem for students as they arrive to class. It will be graded daily on a five point scale.

Final grades are calculated on the following formula:

Marking Periods (20% x 4):	80%
Mid Term:	10%
Final Exam:	10%
Final Grade	100%

Website:

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Passes:

Passes will not be given unless there is an emergency.

Mid Term:

Each student will be required to take a mid-term. There will be no exemptions.

Final Exam:

Each student will be required to take the final exam. There will be no exemptions.

State Exam:

Each student will be expected to take the NYS Common Core 8th Grade Math Exam.

Email is the most efficient way to reach me. I will usually respond with one day.

Good luck this school year!

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