

# **Algebra 2 Grading Plan**

Hello everyone! I understand that there is a lot of stress around grading and schooling right now. The Algebra 2 team has been working hard to come up with a plan that aligns with what students are used to in class and also makes grading fair for students during online learning. For a weekly schedule please see the document attached on this email. The goal is for students to spend 25 minutes per day on math. For grading we are going to keep the same categories in the grade book as the rest of the year.

## **Practice 15 %**

This category will be made up of the class work points already in the grade book as well as some homework check ins throughout the rest of the year. These check ins will be planned and stated in advance.

## **Quizzes 20%**

There will be weekly quizzes that are worth 15 points each. These will be posted weekly on the notes section of my website on Thursdays and then will be due by Sunday at 5PM. My hope is that students will complete these quizzes either Thursday or Friday but I am trying to be flexible with their schedules and allowing for a weekend turn in as well. These quizzes will be in different formats depending on the week; they could be multiple choice or short answer but I will always be very clear with my expectations for the quizzes. One change from the in class policies is that we will not be allowing quiz points back for these quizzes.

## **Tests 55%**

There will be two tests during online learning. These tests will be 0.25% of what they would have been in class so out of 25 points instead of 100 points. Tests will be scheduled in advance.

## **Final 10%**

We have not decided on a plan for finals yet but the plan will be made and communicated later on in the semester.

## **Office Hours**

I will be available over email throughout the week but on Tuesday and Thursday from 12PM-1PM I will be sitting at my email ready to answer questions immediately.

## **In Class Make Ups/Retakes/Points Back**

Students will be allowed to retake/make up the chapter 11 test. Students need to email me if they are interested in retaking the test and I will email them back a copy of the test. They will then have 3 days to complete this test and email it back to me. Students will get the HIGHER score between the original test and retake. They can email pictures of their work and answers or using scanning

applications to send me a PDF. Students have until May 8<sup>th</sup> to decide if they would like to retake ch 11.

Student can get ch 11 quiz points back by emailing me pictures of their quiz and test as well as describing which questions match for points back. Students can get ch 5 quiz points back as well. We *will not* be having a ch 5 test but I still want students to have the option for quiz points back. If students would like to get quiz points back they need to email me and I will send them a new quiz for them to take. They will have 3 days to take the quiz and send their work and answers back to me. Students will get the MOST RECENT score for each quiz. Students have until May 8<sup>th</sup> to decide if they would like to retake either/both quizzes or not.

### **Test/Quiz Expectations**

Students will be taking their tests and quizzes using the honor system. The expectation is that they are doing their own work without the aid of tutors, peers or family members. Please remember that yes grades are important, but the goal of learning is to make sure you learn and understand the material yourself in preparation for future classes.