

Mt. Edgecumbe High School Geometry A Syllabus

Hello! My name is Breanne Flanagan and I'm excited to be here at Mt. Edgecumbe and getting to know you.

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Course Description:

Geometry is the second course in the standard math sequence at MEHS math sequence. Geometry A covers the following topics: Points, Lines, & Planes, Midpoints, Angles, Transformations, 2D and 3D figures, Parallel lines and Transversals, Logical Arguments (proofs), Rigid transformations and Symmetry, Triangles and Congruence, and Relationships in Triangles. There is a Google Classroom for this class where I will post materials including homework that you can look at.

Required Materials:

Laptop, notebook or paper, binder or folder, pencil or pen.

Grading:

Your grade is weighted as follows. The standard A, B, C, and NC grading scale applies in this class.

- **Practice Work:** 20% of total grade.
 - You can expect a short assignment that corresponds to each day's lesson, these will be due every couple of days.
 - Late assignments are accepted for 70% of the possible points until the day of the Chapter test.
- **Quizzes:** 30% of total grade.
 - We will have quizzes 1-2 times each chapter.
 - You are allowed both sides of a 5"x7" notecard on quizzes.
 - If you are absent on the day of the quiz, then you are responsible for making up quizzes on your own time.
 - Students can complete a quiz critique to earn back half of the points missed on the quiz. A quiz critique not only requires students to resolve missed problems, but also to explain in words where their mistake occurred.
- **Tests:** 50% of total grade.
 - Tests may not be retaken, you have only one shot at it, so study!
 - You are allowed the front side of an 8.5"x11" piece of paper for notes.
 - If a test score is entered in the gradebook and you have not yet taken the test, then a 0% will be entered until the test is made up. Tests must be made up on your own time.
- Show your work! Answers without work will result in a zero. Answers that are incorrect but show the work **can** earn partial credit.

Sports/school activity travel: It is up to students to check Google Classroom for work and to complete the assignments to keep up with class. Students will be allowed to turn in late assignments the day after they return from school sports/school activity travel.

Excused Absences: Check Google Classroom and stay caught up. The student handbook says students will receive one class day for each day of absence to get caught up, not to exceed 10 class days.

Unexcused Absences: Check Google Classroom and try to stay caught up. Students will be allowed to turn in assignments the day they return to class unless otherwise arranged with the principal.

Class Rules:

1. Be prepared and ready to learn.
2. Show respect to everyone in our classroom.
3. Share thoughts and ideas with others.
4. No cell phones or headphones during class time. If I see any I will be taking them.
5. If you are not in the classroom when the bell stops ringing, you are tardy.

Cheating will not be tolerated in this class. While I encourage you to work together and collaborate on assignments, everyone is responsible for their own work - solving problems together is fine but copying another student's work is not.

This syllabus must be reviewed by the student. Signing below acknowledges that you have read and understood class expectations and rules for Mrs. Flanagan's class.

Student Name (Please Print): _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____