**Group Math- 8th Red**

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**My Rules**

* Be RESPECTFUL
  + To others
  + To yourself Image taken from mymathuniverse.com
  + To school property
* Be RESPONSIBLE
  + Come to class prepared and ready to learn.
  + Have your work done.
* Always TRY!
  + Ask questions if you do not understand.

**What to Bring to Class**

* Math NOTEBOOK (or loose leaf paper in a binder)
* Math folder or binder
* Student Companion Workbook
* PENCIL
* Calculator
* Headsets (have available in your locker if needed)

**Calculator Check-Out Policy**

* Can use a calculator on all homework assignments and tests/quizzes. (Unless otherwise noted)
* Can use a school calculator in the classroom without checking it out.
* If you ever take a school calculator out of the room, you must check it out (during SI).

**Signing Out**

* Need to fill in your planner, and get my initials.
* Need to also write your name and where you are going on the board.

**Fire/Tornado/Lockdown Procedure**

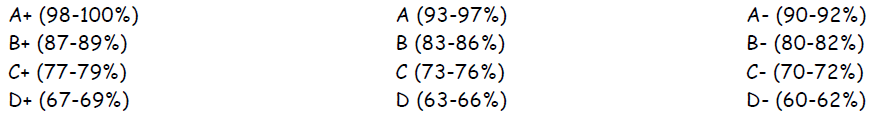
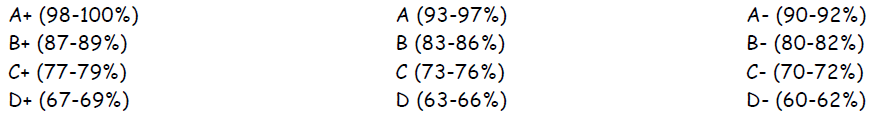
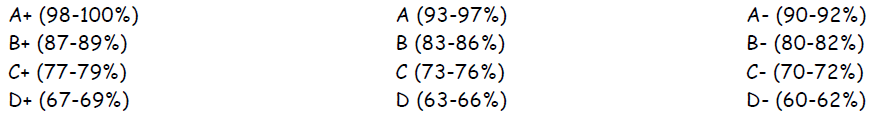
* Know the procedure!

**Digits Curriculum**

* Student Companion
  + This is your note-taking guide for you to follow along with each lesson.
  + MUST take notes every day.
  + MUST bring this to class every day.
  + $10 replacement cost
* Homework and Practice Books
  + This is a back-up homework book in case you do not have access to the internet.
  + Two volumes
  + $25 replacement cost
* MyMathUniverse.com
  + See instructions on pages vi-vii in your Student Companion (fill in log-in information)
  + This is where you log-in to do your daily homework.
  + Can watch the lesson again online for extra help at home.
* Troubleshooting Digits
  + If you cannot get your homework done due to internet problems at home, you MUST bring a signed parent/guardian note to me the next day explaining the situation.

**Grading**

* MMS Grading Scale

* **Quarter Grade**
  + Daily Lessons Homework (20%)
    - You will be assigned homework almost every day
    - Homework submitted online
      * If you do not have internet access at home, there are options.
    - MUST be submitted each day before 8:00am
  + Quizzes/Tests (80%)
    - Will be given throughout the units.
    - Will be taken online in class.

**Laptop Check-Out Policy**

* The laptops are to be used for Digits math homework (Group Math) only.
* The laptops do NOT leave the math classroom.
* You will be assigned a computer number that you must use every time.
* IF you would have to use a different computer, it MUST be “checked-out”.
* Students without internet access at home will have first chance to use the laptops during SI.

**Homework Help**

* Use your Student Companion and MyMathUniverse.com as a resource.
* I am available for you to ask questions before school (need planner signed), during SI, and after school. Please ask for help if you don’t understand!

**Late Work**

* ICU List/ASP

**Make-Up Work**

* School procedure

**Math Group**

* May be determined at the beginning of each unit based on Readiness Assessment scores.