**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.