

**PARENTS & STUDENTS ARE TO READ, SIGN THIS FORM, AND RETURN IT TO MRS. HALEY BY FRIDAY, AUGUST 4
PLEASE KEEP THE SYLLABUS FOR YOUR RECORDS. ADDITIONAL COPIES CAN BE PRINTED FROM MY WEBSITE.**

Students: I would appreciate your acknowledgement of the syllabus and your attention to the following:

- 1) I will pay attention in class. I will participate in class activities. I will not talk unless it is at an appropriate time. I will take notes and keep them until the end of the semester. I will stay in my seat until the bell rings. I will bring my iPad charged and will use it appropriately.
- 2) I will complete my assignments on time. I will label them appropriately. I will keep them until the end of the 9-weeks. I will show my work and not just answers. I will not cheat by copying my assignments from another student.
- 3) I will check my answers/solutions in the back of the book or online before coming to class so I know which problems I have questions about. If you don't check then you may think you're on the right track but unfortunately could be terribly wrong.
- 4) I will seek extra help if needed either from Mrs. Haley, another student, the Homework Hotline, Khan Academy, the textbook's website, online videos, a tutor, or from Ivy Tech's Learning Lab (**Precal only**). But I must put forth good effort in class!
- 5) I will learn how to use my graphing calculator. I will bring it to class every day. I will not play games on my calculator when I should be doing something else. I will also have a scientific calculator.
- 6) I will make use of Mrs. Haley's website to keep track of upcoming assignments & assessments and for additional resources.
- 7) I will take care of my textbook (**IB Math only**) and will not write in it. I will also take care of my desk and my classroom.
- 8) I understand that I will be limited in my hall pass use. I will always sign out and use my planner.
- 9) (**Precal only**) I understand this is a Dual Credit class and that the pacing, daily work, and assessments will be rigorous.
- 10) I will remember that math needs extra practice just like sports, dance, or music.
- 11) I will adhere to the school rules involving food and drink in class as well as cell phone and iPad use.
- 12) I will do all assessments honestly, not looking at my neighbor, no writing on my desk, only using my calculator as intended, etc.
- 13) I understand that I need to sign up for Remind to receive text or app reminders, etc from Mrs. Haley.

Parents: I would appreciate your acknowledgement of the syllabus and your attention to the following:

- 1) I will periodically check for completed, neat assignments. The textbook should be used every evening, because there is an assignment every day. Exceptions would be on quiz/test days or if using the online text. Learning isn't easy and is a team effort.
- 2) I will encourage development of good study skills, especially organization of time and materials. I will encourage use of their planner and a calendar. I will also encourage them to utilize the textbook online resources and Mrs. Haley's website.
- 3) I will help create a positive study environment at home for my child.
- 4) I will review my child's schedule to be sure they are getting adequate sleep and regular meals. Even good students fail to understand the long-term benefit of such when faced with short-term deadlines.
- 5) (**Precal only**) I understand this is a Dual Credit class and that the pacing, daily work, and assessments will be rigorous. I also understand that if they took regular Algebra II or struggled in Honors last year that this course will be EXTREMELY difficult.
- 6) I will ask my child if [s]he needs extra help. Addressed concerns rarely become problems especially when done early. I will keep in mind that class sizes and teacher loads are large. Tutoring is available for free from the National Honor Society and Ivy Tech's Learning Lab (**Precal only**). See class website for info on the Homework Hotline, Khan Academy, etc
- 7) I will help my child remember that Math & Science activities need extra practice time just like sports, dance, or music.
- 8) I will make sure my child has a graphing calculator to use at home on a daily basis. It will be necessary within the first chapter. It can be bought new or used or could be borrowed. If this is a problem, I will contact Mrs. Haley.
- 9) I will make use of Mrs. Haley's website to keep track of upcoming assignments and for additional resources.
- 10) I understand that Mrs. Haley will be using Remind to send reminders, etc. This can be done via text, email, or the app.
- 11) I have read this course syllabus and will support the teacher in educating my child. If I have concerns I will contact Mrs. Haley. and she will respond as soon as she can. I also understand that email is the most efficient way to do that.

We have read and understand the preceding page of requirements and expectations. PLEASE WRITE NEATLY!

Course (Circle One): PRECALCULUS or IB Math SL Period: _____

Student Printed Name: _____

Signature _____ date _____

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: _____

Signature _____ date _____

Daytime phone: _____

(Note: If needed, I'll be making calls either during school around 9:29 – 10:18 or 10:35 – 11:05 or after school from 2:30 -2:45)

Email address (preferred method of contact): _____