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**Geometry, Measurement & Finance 10 – Fall 2014**

**Teacher: Mr. Reg Felix SSHS Room: 329 Texts:** *Math Works 10*

**Course Website: sshsroom329.weebly.com**

**Welcome to GMF 10!**

**Tips to Help you Be Successful in this Course:**

Listen Carefully during class time

Review your notes and examples nightly (spend a minimum of 20 minutes on math homework every night)

Do all assigned homework (remember we learn from mistakes and reach mastery through practice!)

Ask for help right away if you don’t understand (don’t wait as it will make the problem even larger)

**Supplies:**

**To have with you EVERY day:**

Binder (dedicated to Math) with Loose Leaf

Pencils (NO PENS) and an Eraser, Ruler and Graph Paper

**SCIENTIFIC CALCULATOR** (does not have to be fancy/expensive, **NO** **PHONES, IPods, Ear Buds, etc**)

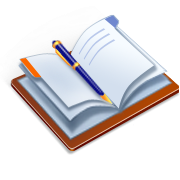
**Classroom Expectations:**

* **Students are responsible** for obtaining any work covered (including homework) during absences.
* **Cell phone policy**: Cell phone will be confiscated for:
  + Strike 1: Period
  + Strike 2: Day
  + Strike 3: Parents/Guardians must retrieve
* **Tardy policy**:
  + After 3 lates, the student will make up time with the teacher. If tardiness continues, the classroom teacher will contact home and issue a noon-hour detention. If tardiness persists, the administration will be consulted.
* **Extra help** is available by request at lunch time and during Guided Study. Extra help may be requested only after the student has attempted all assigned problems, read all of the relevant material, and then tried all problems again.
* **Missed Tests**: A signed note will be required for all students missing a test. So that additional class time is not lost by the student, make-up tests will be written during lunch.
* **Quiz**: If you are absent the day of the quiz unexcused you will receive a grade of zero! If excused, you will be exempt from that quiz.
* **Late Assignments**: You have a three day grace period:
  + 1st day late you will lose 10%
  + 2nd day late you will lose 20%
  + 3rd day late you will lost 30%

**\*Late assignments will not be accepted once graded and passed back!**

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**Units**

**Unit 1 – *Measurement*** (4 weeks)

**Unit 2** - ***Finance*** (4 weeks)

**Unit 3 - *Geometry***  (8 weeks)

**Assessment/Evaluation**

**Formative Assessments** will include such things as assignments/check your understanding/entrance & exit slips/ bellwork/journals/etc. These assessments will be given to:

* Determine what you can do
* Provide you with descriptive feedback
* Involve you actively in your own learning
* Increase your confidence so you are willing to risk trying
* Promote maximum achievement
* Help you assess your own learning

**Summative/Evaluative Assessments** will include such things as problem solving assignments, quizzes, chapter tests, and a final exam. These assessments track your current progress and understanding of the outcomes we have covered.

**Marking Scheme\*:**

Tests……………….…30% Assignments………….20%

Quizzes……….……...20 % Participation/Attendance……………10% **\***Subject to Change

Evaluative marks will be recorded on Gradekeeper. Your Gradekeeper mark is the approximate mark you will see on your mid-semester report card provided all essential work is complete.

**Final Exam: 20%**

**Attendance/Academic Incentive:**

**1.** Students who have missed fewer than five (5) Periods in a subject as of the Friday prior to an exam period shall have the exam weighted to their benefit if they:

**i)** Have completed all requirements for the course to the satisfaction of the teacher, and

**ii)** Have a passing grade in the course going into the exam.

**2.** **a.** Students, who qualify with the above, will be given the highest mark grade generated by the following formula:

**- 15% Final Exam, 85% Class Mark or**

**- 30% Final Exam, 70% Class Mark or**

**- 100% Final Exam**

**In accordance with SSHS administrative policy, ALL of your essential work needs to be completed in order to receive a report card grade. If any work is incomplete, your report card will show no mark available until the work is received.**

**The Pass Mark for this course is 60%**

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**Extra Help** will be offered **on request** during lunch hours,

And Guided Study.

Please see me to make arrangements for help if you are having

difficulty with any of the topics.

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**Please have your parent(s)/guardian(s) read over the syllabus and fill out this form:**

**Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature**

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**Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Email** **Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Phone Number**