

CARDINALS "R" TOPS!

CLASSROOM BEHAVIORAL EXPECTATIONS



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Grade/Subject: 7th Grade Science

Classroom Expectations	Expected Student Behaviors
R ESPECT	
T ime	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Arrive prepared with all materials.2. Stay on task.3. Be ready to start class when the bell rings.4. Follow teacher directions the first time.
O thers	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Positive feedback only.2. Be kind, be positive.3. Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself.4. Listen when others are speaking.
P roperty	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Use materials for intended use only.2. Take pride in school property and supplies and leave the classroom in better condition than you found it.3. Be prepared with your own materials.4. Only touch your own things.
S elf	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Make positive decisions.2. Be responsible for your actions.3. Stay in dress code.4. Be ready to learn.

Classroom Routines/Behavior Expectations

Starting the Class	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sit in your seat quietly with all materials ready to go when the tardy bell rings--Do not run or play around. 2. Be sure to pick up any handouts from the counter as you walk in the door. 3. Sit quietly and do the Bellringer. 4. No gum/candy/food/drinks allowed in the classroom. 5. Be quiet and respectful during the morning announcements.
Classroom Movement (Sharpening pencils, etc.)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Take care of sharpening your pencils and getting any needed supplies before class starts. 2. If you need to leave your seat, please raise your hand and get permission. 3. All trash needs to be kept at your desk during class and disposed of in the trash can/recycling bin as you exit the room. You must clean up after yourself before leaving the class.
Attention Signal	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. When I need your attention I will count backwards from five. By the time I get to zero, you need to be quiet. 2. To refocus attention, I will also use a timeout signal (T). Students are to make the same signal, track the speaker, and remain quiet. The signal should be held until teacher gives the ok.
Working Independently	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stay in your seat and raise your hand to ask questions--do not shout out. 2. Silent work time is the same as individual work time. 3. Do your own work. Copying/plagiarism is unethical and it will affect your grade negatively.
Working in Groups	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Get along and respect others. 2. Use positive communication when speaking with others. 3. Stay on task and use a quiet voice when working in your group. 4. Be accountable for your actions. 5. Follow the teacher's verbal and written directives for the task.
Asking for Help	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Raise your hand quietly and I will come to you during class--stay in your seat. 2. If you need extra help outside the classroom, ASK ME!
Transition Procedures	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. When changing activities in the class, it is to be done efficiently and effectively. "QUICK & QUIET" 2. Hands, feet, and objects are kept to yourself at all times. You are in charge of you, others will take care of themselves. 3. Listen to directions the first time and then follow those directions.
Obtaining Materials/Supplies	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All materials should be ready to go and with you at your desk at the beginning of class. 2. If you borrow materials, please ask permission from the teacher prior to collecting the object. When returning materials, put them away in the correct place/ where you found them.

Completing & Returning Work	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All work is due on the due date. Late work may be turned in for a 10% grade reduction per day past due. (Maximum 30% reduction) 2. It is a student's responsibility to check online or the Absent Work Crate and Teacher's Blog to retrieve absent work. The crate will be cleaned out every one-to-two weeks. 3. Grades will be updated in Skyward and can be checked online. 4. Student's work will be turned into the work bin upon the teacher's directive. Absent work can be turned into the teacher directly. Do not place work on my desk unless directed.
Class Discussion	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Always raise your hand if you would like to ask a question or make a comment. 2. Respect everyone's ability to share their ideas, ask questions, and hear answers. Encourage others to participate and congratulate good answers or ideas. 3. Don't talk while others are talking. 4. Track the speaker(s).
Quizzes and Tests	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Follow teacher instructions and come prepared. 2. Be respectful and quiet throughout the entire testing session. If others are still working, then you must remain quiet. When finished, please work on the next assigned task or enrichment work. 3. Eyes remain on your own test/quiz--no cheating!
Passes (Request to leave the room)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Passes can be given after the first 5 minutes to the last 10 minutes of class per school policy and only from your agenda with your name on it. I will not write passes when the name has been scribbled out. 2. Passes are given at my discretion. Do not ask for a pass while I am teaching. Passes may only be granted during independent or group time. 3. Only one student may leave the class at a time.
Ending the Class	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Leave your area in the same or better condition than you found it: all trash picked up and thrown away and desks straightened. 2. I dismiss you, not the bell. 3. Turn in any required work into the the collection bin either physically in the classroom or online. Follow the teacher's directives.
Electronic Devices	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chromebooks and earbuds should be off and under your desk at all times unless specifically told otherwise.. 2. Per school policy, all personal electronic devices (phones and ipods, etc. are to be turned off and stored in your locker or be subject to confiscation and turned into the office.) 3. All online activity is monitored and any misuse will be referred to the Dean.