

Math 6 Syllabus 2018 - 2019

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Welcome to the new school year! We are eager to work with all of our new students as they master new concepts and enrich their understanding of mathematics.

**Units and Pacing:** 

*This is a guide. Time actually spent on each unit may vary and is subject to change.*

**Math Blog:** The Grade 6 Math Blog can be accessed via the “Faculty” link on the school website, or you may go directly to [**http://ecmsmath6.weebly.com**](http://ecmsmath6.weebly.com/). The blog is updated daily, and will include the work done in class, printable and online resources, video tutorials, and homework. There are also tabs for “Unit Resources” and “Other Resources” which provide a lot of valuable tools for success! The math blog is a great resource, so please take advantage!

**Agenda:** Students must bring their agenda **daily** to record daily assignments in all classes. The agenda is the first line of communication between parents and teachers.

**ParentVue/StudentVue:** Grades are posted weekly to provide feedback on student performance. You may also set this up to send email and text alerts.

**Textbook:** Textbooks will be used in class and can be accessed at the link below. There is a $10 fee per book that is lost, stolen, or destroyed.

 **Online Textbook**: <http://connected.mcgraw-hill.com/connected/login.do>

 **Username**: ccsd + lunch number

 **Password**: cobbmath1

**Class Requirements/ Expectations:** Students must bring all required supplies, including pencils, paper, and books. **(Only *pencils* should be used in class and for assignments.)** A love of mathematics and a positive attitude are also welcome! We will follow the school-wide behavior management plan. In support of ECMS reading actions, students should always have a book for individual and personal reading!

**Grading Procedures: Grading Scale:**

Daily Work (classwork, warm-ups): 20% A 90 – 100

Homework: 10% B 80 – 89

Online Assessments & Mini-Touchstones: 5% C 74 – 79

Quizzes & Performance Tasks: 30% D 70 – 73

Summative Assessments (tests & projects): 35% F 69 and below

**Advanced 6 and Math 6/7 Placement:** Placement in Advanced 6 or Math 6/7 is determined by scores on the 5th grade IOWA, Math Inventory, Milestones, and Sixth Grade Math Placement Test. Only students who met ALL criteria were placed in these classes.

**Homework:** Homeworkcan be expected **DAILY**, and students are expected to record it in their agenda. Online homework may be assigned. Work must be shown to receive credit.

**Assessments:** Students’ understanding will be assessed in a variety of ways. Students will take a **quiz or a test EVERY Friday**.

**Math Help Sessions** will be held on Thursday mornings from 8:15-8:45 a.m. These sessions are designed to meet the individual needs of students. Students should come prepared with specific questions. The schedule can be found on the blog and in student MSGs.

**Late Work / Make-up Work:**Students must turn assignments in on time. Students who turn in late assignments will be subject to partial credit. When a student is absent, it is the student’s responsibility to ensure that all work is made up. Makeup work may be available on the **BLOG**.

**Math Supplies:** Please have the following supplies no later than **Friday, August 3, 2018**:

2 - Single-Subject Spiral Notebooks (NOT Bothers) 2 – Poly 3-Prong Folders in BLUE (NOT Katz & Shaw)

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Pencils & Erasers

Paper

Basic Calculator

Colored Pen

3- Highlighters (1 pink, 1 yellow, 1 green)

Sticky tabs (Ledesma only)

Set of 5 binder dividers (Katz & Shaw ONLY)

Pack of Expo markers

1-inch Math Binder or Binder with a Math Section

***\*Note:* This syllabus is a guide and is subject to change to accommodate class and individual needs.\***

Please sign below to indicate that you have received, read, and understood the syllabus. Feel free to email us if you have any questions. We will check for signatures (do not cut off), and students will keep this for future reference.

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