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Success Tips for Individual Teacher's Classes.

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Organization Absent Work

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Comprehension

Study Skills





Teacher: Ms. Bartlett

Grade: 6,7,88

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Best Contact Method: Email: bartlettelapcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

CANVAS has Lesson outlines, Assignments, and support videos.

How I use FOCUS:

FOCUS is used grade and demerit recording. Communications will also be sent through FOCUS to parent and student email accounts.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Make-up/missing work is accepted up until the end of each unit. Full credit can be achieved, but demerits will be issued if an assignment is not turned in on time. They cannot be removed.

Homework Details:

Students will receive homework every class and be provided about 10 minutes in class to get started. All classwork & homework assignments are always due the next class.

Tests/Quizzes:

All Unit Tests will be announced up to a week before the test.

Review assignments and a study guide will be provided to prepare for the tests.



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

- ✓ Use agenda book daily write down all classwork and homework assignments
- ✓ Make a to-do list and prioritize by due date
- ✓ Color-code your classes, for example, purple folder for math, blue folder for science, red folder for ELA, etc.

Absences

- Always go to CANVAS to find missed work and notes. Each Lesson is posted and include:
- · Warm-up
- · Introduction Activity
- Notes
- · Practice Activity
- · Homework

Motivation

PBIS Reward point system is in place for students displaying R.O.A.R. guidelines.

PBIS rewards store for classroom supplies and motivating prizes!

Comprehension

If you are challenged by any idea or concept, you can use a few different resources to study or learn more about the topic. You can use the videos on CANVAS, IXL, or come for extra help before school on Tuesday and Thursdays. Don't be afraid to make a mistake! No one is perfect and you are going to be stretched to do things that are new and challenging.

Best Contact Method: Email: busseb@pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

CANVAS has missed lesson or work that needs to be reviewed to be made up. CANVAS also has homework assignments posted and the due dates.

How I use FOCUS:

Focus is used to record grades, take attendance and has a communication feature for mass emails.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Make-up/missing work is accepted up until the end of each grading period. Full credit can be achieved, but demerits will be issued if an assignment is not turned in on time. They cannot be removed.

Homework Details:

Homework will most often be completed in science journals and the science journal assignment will need to be signed directly. Homework will be no less than once a week.

Tests/Quizzes:

A test will be taken at the end of each unit. Quizzes may be given during class, and notes taken in class can be used for quizzes.

Course: Science Accel Honors



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Write down homework in agenda within first 5 minutes of class. Keep science notebook organized and keep up with assignments and classwork. Ask if you don't know or need help!

Absences

If you are absent, you need to check canvas, find the lesson for the date you were absent, review it and complete any notes or assignments that were done that day.

You will have the amount of school days you were absent to complete it and make it up. It is your responsibility to turn it in to receive credit.

Motivation

Be patient with yourself. The learning process often involves making mistakes before making improvements. Keep working hard and persevere when you are challenged. Have grit. Make friends with classmates who encourage you and are motivated themselves to do areat things!

Comprehension

If you are challenged by any idea or concept, you can use a few different resources to study or learn more about the topic. You can use the following apps on Clever: Quizizz, discoveryED textbook, nearpod, CPalms, and more, Please ask, write down questions you have, and advocate for yourself.

Teacher: Jonathan Cocio

Grade: 6

Best Contact Method: Cociojo apcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

Unit modules will contain some, but not all, of our course's assignments, quizzes, submissions, etc. DUE dates and CLOSE dates are to be noted by students. Digital copies of our syllabus, timelines, etc. are posted in the class module.

How I use FOCUS:

FOCUS will contain students' grades for all assignments. This is where a student can see their ACTUAL UPDATED grades, NOT in canvas.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Make up is allowed for students with excused absences. Missing work can be made up and turned in up to a week late. However, a penalty of of a grade deduction is applied.

Homework Details:

Homework normally consists of continuing projects or assignments that have a due date beyond one day. Most assignments in canvas fall into this category.

Tests/Quizzes:

Unit tests will be given after each unit. A midterm and final exam will also take place.

Quizzes and formative assessments will occur in between tests.

Course: Accel Sci + Adv Acad



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Students are expected to bring all materials listed in syllabus daily. It is mandatory to keep track of assignments, homework, due dates, etc. in student planners.

Absences

Make up work, tests, etc. Can be allowed for excused absences.

Motivation

Let's have a fun, engaging, and successful year doing SCIENCE!

Comprehension

I am always here to help! Students' Science notebooks and Canvas are great resources for reviewing concepts covered this year in SCIENCE. All canvas lessons, work, and submissions remain posted throughout the entire year for review.

Teacher: Mr. Collora

Grade: 7th

Best Contact Method: Email: colloram@pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

Class announcements, access hub for any digital class resources, Where to turn in and receive feedback for digital assignments, and where to find presentations from previous class days!

How I use FOCUS:

Focus is used for its gradebook, attendance tracking, and any mass communication sent to all students/families will utilize Focus messenger.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

I accept make-up/missing work up until the end of each grading period. Points may be deducted for late work based on teacher discretion. (Often times 10% for each class period the assignment is late).

Homework Details:

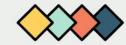
Once a week.

Homework and due dates will always be posted and viewable on the class white board. Unless digital-all homework will be turned into Mr. Collora's inbox at the beginning of class when due.

Tests/Quizzes:

End of module assessments and writing assignments will be announced. Instructions will be provided no later than a week ahead of time.

These will occur 6-8 times each per school year.



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Keeping an organized planner and staying on top of homework/due dates is a great way to be successful! I always recommend students update their planner every day in the first 5 minutes of class!

Absences

Students are not responsible for missed classwork but are responsible for missed homework!

All class presentations (from previous class days) — including instructions to homework assignments can be found in daily presentations posted to CANVAS.

Motivation

PBIS Reward point system is in place for students displaying R.O.A.R. guidelines and a PBIS rewards store for classroom supplies and motivating prizes!

Comprehension

Taking detailed notes during lesson reviews is a great way to stay on top of class standards and skills. If you are struggling with any specific lessons you can always go back and review class presentations (from previous class days) – including lesson reviews in daily presentations posted to CANVAS.

Grade: 6,7,8

Best Contact Method: dasilvaeoliveijaposb..org

How I use CANVAS:

I am currently working on creating my Canvas Page. I will share that information during class time with all of my students.

How I use FOCUS:

Focus should be checked one per week. I will be updating Focus on a daily basis but please only review your grades once per week for the best snapshoot of the current grade.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

All classroom assignments are to be kept in each student's respective classroom folder. No assignment will be turned into Mr. Silva. Assignments are our time to practice. Therefore, these grades are based on participation and effort, not completion.

Homework Details:

Homework will be given each class. The student will have two evenings to complete the given homework assignment(s). The demerit procedure will apply. All homework can be turned in late for full credit. Demerits will remain if homework is turned in late. Grades are not connected to demerits.

Tests/Quizzes:

All assessment can be taken up to three times (only at school with Mr. Silva).

Mr. Silva will keep the highest grade.

Course: Math



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Each student must bring their classroom journal, folder and computer to class every day.

Students will be permitted to use their classroom journals and folders for all homework and assessments.

Absences

If a student will be absence, I would greatly appreciate notice beforehand (when possible).

All homework can be given the appropriate extension. All assignments can be made up for full credit.

All assessments will be needed to made up. That can be resolved on a one-on-one basis.

Motivation

Please ensure daily attendance.

Please communicate with Mr. Silva when necessary.

Please do not place unnecessary stress on current grades. There are opportunities to improve the classroom grade during each respective grade quarter.

We are all expected to be civil and polite to ensure a healthy and happy learning environment.

Comprehension

In each student's notebook are scales connected to the learning Benchmarks, as given up the State of Florida.

Students are taught how to use these scales with Benchmarks to track their progress.

Best Contact Method: Escalonasadafa posb.org

How I use CANVAS:

MODULES to prepare for tests.

ASSIGNMENTS to complete assigned homework

How I use FOCUS:

Post grades and due dates. Keep track of demerits

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Missing homework a due: 2 demerits

Work submitted late will be deducted one grade per week, starting on the day after. Demerits will remain in place

Homework Details:

Usually only once a week. For Q1 and Q2 it will be mostly related to National History Day research

Tests/Quizzes:

4-5 end of unit test per quarter.

1-2 Learning checkpoints per quarter.

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Midterm and EOY test.

Study guide resources available on CANVAS.

Course: Pre-AP World History



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Write, review, edit and share your notes regularly.

Record on the school agenda homework due dates and dates for tests.

Absences

Ask a classmate for that day's notes and copy them in your notebook.

Review study guides/materials for upcoming end of unit tests on CANVAS.

Check FOCUS/CANVAS for upcoming assignments. A one day extension to the due will be granted per absent day.

Motivation

Seat next to successful students.

Break homework/projects in smaller bits.

Complete work even if is not perfect. Failure is the best teacher!

Comprehension

Reach out to me for help.

Teacher: Mr. Evans

Grade: 8th

Best Contact Method: Email: evanssea pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

I use Canvas to post the daily agendas, notes, classwork and homework. While the same information can be found in class, this will provide a backup for students that are absent or have fallen behind. Most work will be submitted through Canvas

How I use FOCUS:

Focus will reflect the student's actual grade in class (do not refer to Canvas). Occasionally I leave notes in Focus to inform students and parents of issues with the marked assignment.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Students must ask for missed work when they return from an absence. A grade listed as "M" is a missing assignment and will have a failing grade until completed! If work is more than a week late, 20% will be deducted from the final grade. I will make every reasonable accommodation to get a student caught up.

Homework Details:

Students will have homework 2-3 nights a week most times.

Homework will be posted in class on the white board, as well as in Canvas.

Tests/Quizzes:

Students will be given at least a week notice before a scheduled test/quiz. I may occasionally make use of pop-quizzes.

Course: Physical Science Honors



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Your student will be creating an interactive science notebook. It will contain some daily work, assignments, labs and notes. This information is always current, so that the student's progress can be tracked. The students will keep a running table of contents, so that they will know exactly which pages they are missing. I will check their

progress periodically. Motivation

This year we will work as a team to achieve the highest student success possible for all!

Absences

Students must ask for missed work when they return from an absence. Students can also use their Interactive Science Notebook (noting missing page numbers), as well as information on Canvas, to find missing work and get caught up.

Comprehension

If at any time a student finds themselves struggling with content, I am always here for support. Let me know of the challenge and we can set up tutoring. I can also supply alternative lessons or approaches to the subject matter.

Teacher: Mrs. Greth

Grade: 6

Best Contact Method: grethadpcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

Each day's agenda is posted in Canvas with any needed attachments

How I use FOCUS:

Grades are updated in Focus weekly (Saturday or Sunday morning)

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Always due the next math class. All work will earn 100% credit if turned in by the day of the Unit Test. Any work turned in after the unit test will not receive credit.

Homework Details:

Students will receive homework every class and be provided about 10 minutes in class to get started. All classwork & homework assignments are always due the next class.

Tests/Quizzes:

All Unit Tests will be announced 2+ days before the test and a study guide will be provided to prepare for the tests.

Course: 6th Accelerated Math



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

- ✓ Use agenda book daily write down all classwork and homework assignments
- ✓ Make a to-do list and prioritize by due date
- ✓ Color-code your classes, for example, purple folder for math, blue folder for science, red folder for ELA, etc.

Absences

- ✓ Always go to Canvas to find missed work and math notes. The following will be posted:
 - > Warm-up
 - > Introduction Activity
 - > Notes
 - > Practice Activity
 - > Homework

Motivation

PBIS Classroom Store will be available for students to spend their earned PBIS points on.

10 Extra Credit points are available every marking period. Extra Credit Options:

www.prodigygame.com

Math Class Code: F5EFD81

www.legendsoflearning.com

Math Class Code: GRETHA1

Comprehension

The following websites are great resources for seeking "How To" videos on math concepts:

- ✓ www.mathantics.com
- ✓ www.khanacademy.com
- ✓ Access IXL through clever

Grade: 6th

Best Contact Method: Students: Canvas Email

Parents: kingsus@pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

My Canvas course is organized by subtopics and by dates. My goal is to upload all PowerPoints, rubrics, handouts and assignments in Canvas. Some assignments are not turned in on Canvas, but I try to place those dates online for reference. Please check there for special announcements as well.

How I use FOCUS:

Focus dates will mirror dates in Canvas and this is where grades will be posted. I try to also list demerits in Focus, but those might not be up to date immediately.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy: Students who are absent should check Canvas for missing work. I do take late work up until a date approximately two weeks before the end of the anarter. This date will be announced. Late work will be deducted 10%. If you see an M in Focus this means I am waiting for the work to be turned in until the close of the opportunity to turn in late work.

Homework Details:

Look for homework in Canvas. It may be assigned once or twice a week. Students should email me in Canvas with questions prior to the due date and allow enough time for my response. For example, questions asked after school is out or the night before will not be answered before the work is due at 9 am.

Tests/Quizzes:

U.S. History has a mid-term and a final exam. Students will have a review session prior to the exam and materials will be posted in Canvas.

There is no final exam for advanced academics. However, students do complete an independent project.

Course:

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U.S. History /Advanced Academics



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

- · Use your planner/agenda and use Canvas as backup in case I am unable to post. Bring your charger.
- · Check Canvas for rubrics, PowerPoints and copies of handouts you might have lost
- · Complete your work prior to the deadline and before the last minute
- Learn to access the Canvas calendar to see upcoming due dates
- · Learn now to access the textbook online for U.S. History

Motivation

You may be allowed to create an alternative presentation on some topics, please ask.

Students who have been absent or struggle with paper/pen are encouraged to use online options and read aloud options even when paper is suggested. Please take advantage of this opportunity.

Absences

- · Check Canvas to review work you missed
- · Check with me because I may excuse you from some work especially if you have been out for some time
- · Check for paper assignments when you return

Comprehension

Please check Canvas for helpful information. This is especially true for the online textbook and DBQ documents.

Independent study documents will be useful to review for Advanced Academics.

Grade: 6th

Best Contact Method: Leonardra pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

I use CANVAS to post Assignments and Grades (with Details),

I also use it to write Comments for particular assignment's Grade.

How I use FOCUS:

I use Focus as a Gradebook, and for Attendance.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Upon return, student is to check in with the Teacher and find out what they missed while they were Absent. Students are to make-up the missed work and turn it in a Timely Manner. (Students will have the same number of days they were Absent to make-up and turn in their missing work.) LATE Work: Up to 50%. Incomplete Work: Up to 50%.

Homework Details:

Write your Homework on your Planners.

*Ask for clarification (before leaving the classroom). If not sure.

Turn in your Homework On Time.

Tests/Quizzes:

Students in Advanced Academics will be creating projects and Solving-Problems in Creative Ways. There will be Short and long-term projects, there will also be other types of evaluation.

Course: Advanced Academics



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Students should designate a 3 ring binder and a notebook to this course. Use your binder to organize and store graded assignments, as well as Hand Outs and use your notebook to store daily journal prompts and class notes.

*Bring also a Box of Crayons or Color pencils.

Absences

Upon return, student is to check in with the Teacher and find out what they missed during their Absence.

Students are to make-up the missed work and turn it in a Timely Wanner.

(Students will have the same number of days they were Absent to make-up and turn in their missing work. LATE Work: Up to 50%. Incomplete Work: Up to 50%.

Motivation

*Keep a Positive Attitude

*Put forth your Best Effort

*Incorporate your Personal Interests into Projects.

*Be Creative

*Be a good Team player

Comprehension

*Listen attentively to the Instructions,

*Read the instructions,

*When not sure, or in doubt, please ask Teacher for clarification..

Teacher: Leila Nouri

Grade: 7th

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Best Contact Method: Nouril pcsb.org

8th

How I use CANVAS:

I will be using Canvas for homework, posting notes and online review

How I use FOCUS:

Focus will be used to track grades and Demerits

Students will be alerted when an assignments/details will be posted on Portal.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

No late work will be accepted unless the student is absent. Absent students will receive a "O" until the assignments is turned in (next block)

Homework Details:

Homework will be given twice a week.

Tests/Quizzes:

Students will have tests and quizzes to test their knowledge of the material. They will also have a mid-term that will be 25% of their grade. Students will have a DCA: District Common Assessment that will also be 25% of their second semester grade.

Course: French 1 and 2



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Make sure you have your notebook every block.

Absences

Lesson/notes will be available on Canvas.

Contact a friend in the same class and ask for details of the day.

Motivation

French is a high school credit class. No one wants to start with low GPA.

Students must maintain an "A" or "B" average.

Comprehension

Online resources will be available on Canvas as well as tutoring every Tuesday and Thursday from 9-9:30 am.

Student can also request a lunch tutoring session.

Teacher: Asia Pewitt

Grade: 7/8

Best Contact Method: Pewitta pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS: All classwork and homework materials are found on Canvas. This is especially useful for students who need to complete make up work. Students access our Canvas class page daily in class. Laptops (AND CHARGERS) are a required material!

How I use FOCUS:

Grades and any notes related to grades are found on Focus (NOT CANVAS). Please review notes when they are included. Grades **highlighted in bold** indicate demerits.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy: Late work is allowed. However, you lose one letter grade for each class work is late (down to 50 %). Even having a partial grade is much better than a zero! While you can always at least partially make up grades during the quarter, demerits do not go away.

The dates for assignments on both Canvas and Focus are cross-referenced. That means if you're missing an assignment that is impacting your grade on Focus, match that date with Canvas to find the assignment.

Homework Details:

Homework is assigned once a week on Canvas, usually on Thursdays or Fridays (depending on the rolling block schedule). Students generally have approximately a week to complete homework (again depending on rolling block schedule).

Tests/Quizzes:

Final assessments are usually based on projects, rather than tests or quizzes.

Course: Advanced Academics



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Make sure you bring your required materials (including planner) every day. Always keep track of assignments through Canvas and grades through Focus. Listen actively in class and follow directions the first time!

Absences

You can always access and make up any work you miss through Canvas. You will be given additional time to make up work for absences, but please try to make it up as soon as possible.

Motivation

Keep an open mind and always do your best. This is a big, fascinating world, stay curious and avoid complacency!

Comprehension

Don't be afraid to ask clarifying questions either in-person or online if you are ever unsure about anything.

Canvas is your rock in a sea of uncertainty!

Tutoring/individual instruction is available on an as-needed basis. Please contact teacher if you need additional help.

Teacher: Mr. Stone

Grade: 07

Best Contact Method: Stonema pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

Canvas contains a copy of the powerpoint for each unit, directions for homework, the EOC review hub, a copy of the student workbook(GACE), and a copy of the syllabus.

How I use FOCUS:

Focus is used for entering grades and keeping track of demerits via the demerits extra credit assignment.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

All late work gets a 10% reduction, but I do accept it up until the last 2 weeks of the quarter.

Homework Details:

Homework will be assigned using Civics 360, the instructions on how to complete it can be found in canvas.

Tests/Quizzes:

Tests will occur at the end of each quarter. The midterm is 10% of each student's grade for the year and the EOC is 30%. I give written assessments at the end of each unit.

Course: Civics



Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Use my table of contents posted on the back whiteboard to keep up with missing work. Please use the powerpoints in Canvas to get caught up with the GACE.

Absences

Look the whiteboard to see any missing notebook assignments, look in Canvas for the powerpoints, ask your table partners, for help and ask Mr. Stone for help.

Motivation

Mr. Stone is here to help! I will do everything in power to help you! 97% of my students passed the EOC last year you got this!

Comprehension

Civics 360, ICivics, and CPALMS all are wonderful resources. I would suggest completing tutorials through CPALMS!

Best Contact Method: Trivisonmaposb.org or

727-490-8449

How I use CANVAS:

Assignments are created and graded in Canva. Look there for comments from me.

How I use FOCUS:

I transfer grades into Focus after about a week or so. I generally do not put comments in Focus.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Students should make up work within a week and may earn demerits for lat work. If there are extenuating circumstances, please let me know.

Homework Details:

My goal is to only give homework 1 day per week. Students should have all resources to complete homework in Canvas or through my resources site. Homework will usually be extra practice or finishing work we did not finish in class.

Tests/Quizzes:

We will follow the Pinellas County ELA Curriculum guide for assessments. Currently, we are scheduled to have performance tasks (short quizzes and/or writing assignments) after each module.

Course: ELA Grade 6



Absences

If students are absent, they can

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Canvas, they can email me. They can

check Canvas for their work.

also email me anytime with

questions or concerns.

Success Tips:

If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Students should have a general binder to keep their planner, paper, pencils and homework.

They should also have their computer and charger every day.

Students should have a 1.5 inch (1 inch or 2 inch is fine too) binder and a notebook that they will be allowed to keep in class. We will organize the binder by tabs. They can take home anything they need as long as they bring it back to class.

Comprehension If students do not understand

something, they can check my teacher site in Clever for helpful resources.

The most important thing for them to do is try. I can give them credit for trying but I cannot give credit for work not done. Mistakes are OK and encouraged!

Finally, students can attend free ELP tutoring for extra help!

Motivation

Students can stay motivated by getting into a homework routine at a time that works for them. They should use their planner to keep track of work.

Students should also Plan brain breaks and rewards for finishing their work. Student rewards should be meaningful to them.

We will be working on goal setting and reflections throughout the year. Teacher: Michelle Trivison

Grade: 6

Best Contact Method: Trivisonmaposb.org or

727-490-8449

How I use CANVAS:

Assignments are created and graded in Canva. Look there for comments from me.

How I use FOCUS:

I transfer grades into Focus after about a week or so. I generally do not put comments in Focus.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Students should make up work within a week and may earn demerits for lat work. If there are extenuating circumstances, please let me know.

Homework Details:

My goal is to give very little homework in this class because it's an elective. Students should have all resources to complete homework in Canvas or through my resources site. Homework will usually be extra practice or finishing work we did not finish in class.

Tests/Quizzes:

Students will primarily be assessed through projects and daily work activities.



Success Tips:

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If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

Students should have a general binder to keep their planner, paper, pencils and homework.

They should also have their computer and charger every day.

Students should have a 1.5 inch (1 inch or 2 inch is fine too) binder and a notebook that they will be allowed to keep in class. We will organize the binder by tabs. They can take home anything they need as long as they bring it back to class.

Motivation

This class can help students improve their reading skills and hopefully, a love for reading.

We will be setting reading goals and reflecting on them throughout the year.

Absences

If students are absent, they can check Canvas for their work.

If I haven't added the work into Canvas, they can email me. They can also email me anytime with questions or concerns.

Comprehension

If students do not understand something, they can check my teacher site in Clever for helpful resources.

The most important thing for them to do is try. I can give them credit for trying but I cannot give credit for work not done. Mistakes are OK and encouraged!

Finally, students can attend free tutoring for extra help!

Grade: 8

Best Contact Method: Email, turinil@pcsb.org

How I use CANVAS:

EVERYTHING that we do in class is available on Canvas-daily agendas, assignments, notes, etc...

How I use FOCUS:

I update grades weekly, use Focus to send out progress reports every 2 weeks, and students will upload missing work to Focus.

Make-Up/Missing Work Policy:

Students have 1 week to turn in missing work-they will need to fill out a "Request to Grade Missing Work" form (on CANVAS) and then submit their missing assignment via FOCUS

Homework Details:

Homework will be assigned on Monday/Tuesday and due the following Monday/Tuesday. There will be times that students will need to finish work from class-that is due before their next class with me.

Tests/Quizzes:

Tests/quizzes will be announced in advance and dates will be sent to home humans



Success Tips:

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If you are struggling in one of these areas, here are some helpful tips!

Organization

All work, daily agendas, notes, etc,... Are in Canvas as well as any resources or communications sent to home humans.

Absences

Students can see what we did in class if they are absent via Canvas. If they need extra time to finish their home humans need to contact me.

Motivation

Grades are sent on a bi-weekly basis, students can earn PBIS points, etc...

Comprehension

HW and paying attention in class will help, we do a lot of collaborative work, and they can always ask me. At this time, I don't have "office hours' for tutoring, but maybe later in the year as it warrants.