COURSE GUIDELINES AND REQUIREMENTS Honors Calculus

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Textbook	Calculus, 7 th Edition, Larson	n, Hostetler, Edv	wards, Houghton Mifflin
Grading All tests and quizzes will be graded on the following scale:			
	90% or above	А	
	80 - 89.99 %	В	
	70-79.99 %	С	
	60-69.99 %	D	
	Below 60%	F	
Points will be earned in the following areas with the following weights:			
	Tests	55%	80 - 100 points per test
	Quizzes	25%	10-40 points per quiz
	Homework/participation	5%	4 points per day
	Cumulative Final	15%	•

Final grades are weighted but will not be rounded. Please keep this in mind when making decisions regarding homework and quiz/test preparation.

Homework

This is a college level course and the pace is incredibly fast. Keeping up with all assigned homework is your responsibility and vital to success in the class. Each assignment is due at the beginning of the following class period. In the event of an absence, you will be allowed two additional days for each day missed to turn in any missed work. **I do not accept late homework.** Most homework assignments will be given a quick check for completeness. I encourage you to keep all returned homework assignments until you see it in Infinite Campus.

Tests and Quizzes

Quizzes will be given every three to four sections that we cover in class. All quizzes will be announced so that you can adjust your study schedule accordingly. If you are absent on the day of a quiz, I will use the next test percentage to replace that grade. For example, if you miss a 10 question quiz and score 72% on the next test, I will enter 7.2 points for your quiz grade. If you are absent on the day of a test, it is your responsibility to make up the test within one week following your return. If the test is not taken within one week following your return you will receive a zero for that test.

All tests and quizzes must be completed in pencil and on graph paper. No retakes or corrections will be allowed for any test or quiz.

Electronic Devices

No electronic devices (other than a scientific or graphing calculator) are allowed during class. You will be assigned a cell phone/smart watch pocket number at the beginning of the semester. Phones and smart watches will remained stowed for the entire class period.

Materials

For this course, you will need to have the following supplies with you every day.

- paper/graph paper
- pencil
- TI-83 Plus, TI-84 Plus, or TI-84 Plus CE graphing calculator
- covered textbook

Resources/Extra Help

Keeping up with the assigned work is vitally important in this class. If you feel that you are falling behind, do not delay. Please see me if you feel that you need extra help. I am available every day during access. My website (**carvermath.weebly.com**) contains links to sites which will support your work in this class. In addition to a full calendar for each unit listing every assignment and test/quiz dates, there are video tutorials and links for homework help. Please take advantage of this great resource.

Mid-year Transfer

Mid-year transfers to regular Calculus may be made only by students who are significantly struggling (generally a 72% or lower). Please see me toward the end of the semester if you think that you might qualify.