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Saint Francis of Assisi Mission Statement: We are a Catholic community of faith striving to follow Jesus, pledging each day to do our best by imitating Saint Francis of Assisi as "instruments of peace." Our goal is to maintain a safe and healthy environment and to be academically prepared for this technological age.



Middle School Math Expectations

Quality of Work

All math work should be done in pencil. All assignments given should also have work attached to their answers. No math is done mentally unless I have given permission to the class. When work is attached to an assignment, it should be done neatly so I can easily see it and check it if need be.

Homework

Homework is assigned every night except for Friday. It will be a review of that day's lesson and so it should be understood and completed that night. I do expect students to complete their homework every night. If a student spends a half hour attempting their homework and does not understand it, I will accept a note from the parent stating that.

As stated in the middle school policies, a completed homework assignment will be given two points. An incomplete assignment, or a math assignment with no work attached, will be given one point. A missing assignment will be given zero points.

Tests/Quizzes

There will be two quizzes in a chapter and one test at the end of the chapter. When studying for a quiz or a test, please remember that math is different than other subjects in school because it is not one that can be studied and learned before a quiz. Math is a practice subject that needs to be drilled and practiced nightly. That is why I do give nightly homework. Before a quiz or a test, we will spend class time going over all of the different skills we have learned. I will answer any questions students may have and then I expect students to go home and practice on their own. If I feel a student may need extra help before a test, I will contact the parent to see if he/she agrees and we can set up a time. Also, if a parent feels their child needs extra help, he/she can contact me and again, we can set up a time.

Extra Help

Extra help, as stated above, can be determined if felt it is needed by a parent or by me.