# Applied Math Course Outline <br> Teacher Information 

| Teacher: | Mr. Brad Jones |
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| Office Hours: | 30 minutes before school, plan period(8:15-9:05) or by appointment |
| School e-mail: | jonesb@lawson.k12.mo.us |

## Classroom Rules \& Procedures

$\checkmark$ Be prompt and prepared for class.

- Bring supplies to class (book, paper, pencil, pen, notebook and calculator)..
- Stay seated throughout class.
- Assignments out and ready to check.
- Come rested and ready to work. (Your head will remain off the desk or you will stand)
$\checkmark$ Be Respectful.
$\checkmark$ Do not go behind Mr. Jones desk.
$\checkmark$ No food or drink in the classroom.
- You may have water in a bottle with a cap (not flavored/colored).
- You may chew gum, but if I see it or hear it - you will lose that privilege.
$\checkmark$ Do not write in/on the textbooks.
$\checkmark$ Give $110 \%$ at all times.
$\checkmark$ Ask Questions!!!!! - If you need extra help or don’t understand something it is your responsibility to let me know.
$\checkmark$ Have fun and enjoy math.
$\checkmark$ Two bathroom passes per quarter.
- Must have the ticket to go and tickets can roll over to other quarters.
- Ticket does not guarantee a trip to the bathroom.
$\checkmark$ Be Responsible
$\checkmark$ The bell does not dismiss you, Mr. Jones does.
$\checkmark$ No cell phones in class- If I see it I take it.
$\checkmark$ Students are to keep a three ring notebook of all bellwork, notes, homework, handouts and grade sheets. This will be graded quarterly.
$\checkmark$ Homework will be $40 \%$ and Test/Quizzes/Projects/Notebook will be $60 \%$ of the final grade.
* Rules and Procedures may be added or omitted at Mr. Jones discretion.


## Assignment Guidelines

$\checkmark$ Papers with no name will not be graded, result in a zero.
$\checkmark$ All work is to be done in PENCIL and grading in PEN.
$\checkmark$ It must be legible and easy to follow. Don't run problems together. If I can't read it, it's wrong.
$\checkmark$ Show all work. You must copy the problem (except word problems) and show enough steps to communicate your thought process. Partial credit may be given at any time. Using a answer book is considered cheating.
$\checkmark$ No work will be accepted with a ragged edge from a spiral notebook.
$\checkmark$ Multiple pages are to be stapled together and all pages should have the student's name and date
$\checkmark$ Homework may be graded as a class, If you make grading errors you will earn a zero for academic dishonesty.

## Late work/ Attendance Policy

$\checkmark$ No late work will be accepted. All work is due as assigned whether you are in school or not. If you are missing class for a school sponsored event or sports, your assignment is still due on the same day. It can be handed in to my mailbox in the office, slipped under the classroom door.
$\checkmark$ If a student is absent the day before a test, the student will be expected to take the test as scheduled. If they miss 3 or more days before a test, they may postpone the test.
$\checkmark$ Verbal warning.
$\checkmark$ Change of seating.
$\checkmark$ Hallway meeting with Mr. Jones.
$\checkmark 30 \mathrm{~min}$ detention with Mr. Jones before school.
$\checkmark$ Principle Referral.

* Steps can be skipped or added where Mr. Jones feels necessary.


## Grading

| $100-95 \%$ | A | $82-80 \%$ | B- | $69-67 \%$ | D+ |
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| $94-90 \%$ | A- | $79-77 \%$ | C+ | $66-63 \%$ | D |
| $89-87 \%$ | B+ | $76-73 \%$ | C | $62-60 \%$ | D- |
| $86-83 \%$ | B | $72-70 \%$ | C- | Less than 60 | F |

* Grades will include: Daily Homework, Quizzes, Test, Notebook, Participation, Research Papers, and Projects. Others may be added at Mr. Jones discretion.


## Skills and/or Competencies to be covered

Text- Saxon Math: Course 3 (S. Hake, Harcourt Achieve; 2007)
$\checkmark$ Whole Numbers: Reading and Writing, Rounding, Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying, Dividing
$\checkmark$ Decimals: Naming, Reading and Writing, Rounding, Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying, Dividing
$\checkmark$ Fractions and Mixed Numbers: Factoring, Greatest Common Factor (GCF), Least Common Multiple (LCM), Simplifying Fractions, Fractions to Decimals, Decimals to Fractions, Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying, Dividing, Common Denominator
$\checkmark$ Algebraic Expressions and Integers: Variables, Expressions, Order of Operations, Evaluating Expressions, Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying, Dividing, Distributive Property, Simplifying
$\checkmark$ Equations: Word Problems, Solving One-, Two- and Multi- Step Equations with Integers, Decimals, Fractions by Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying, Dividing
$\checkmark$ Inequalities: Graphs and Graphing, Solving One-, Two- and Multi-Step with Integers, Decimals, Fractions by, Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying, Dividing
$\checkmark$ Factors, Fractions and Exponents: Divisibility, Factoring, Product Property of Exponents, Quotient Property of Exponents, Powers of Products and Quotients, Reading/Writing Scientific Notation, Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying, Dividing with Scientific Notation
$\checkmark$ Ratios, Proportions, Percents: Fraction Form, Solving Proportions, Word Problems, Similar Figures, Converting, Percent of Change, Markup, Tax, Discount
$\checkmark$ Linear Equations, Inequalities and Systems: Plotting, Slope, Slope-Intercept, Reading/Writing, Graphing
$\checkmark$ Probability: Compound, Simple, Dependent, Independent Events, Odds, Experimental, Theoretical
$\checkmark$ Geometry: Drawing and Measuring Angles, Angle Relationships, Parallel Lines, Triangles, Quadrilaterals, Transformations (Rotations, Translations, Reflections, Dilation) Circles (Circumference, Area, Radius, Diameter, Measuring), Area(Parallelograms, Triangles, Trapezoids)
$\checkmark$ Solid Figures: Classifying, Volume (Prisms, Cones, Pyramids, Cylinders, Spheres), Surface Area (Prisms, Cones, Pyramids, Cylinders, Spheres)
$\checkmark$ Right Triangles: Square Roots, Pythagorean Theorem, Distance Formula
$\checkmark$ Polynomials: Adding, Subtracting, Multiplying (Polynomials, Binomials, Monomials)

* Topics may be added or omitted at Mr. Jones discretion.

Student Signature: $\qquad$
Parent(s) Name: $\qquad$
Parent Signature: $\qquad$ Date: $\qquad$

Parent Phone Number/Email:
(My preferred communication is through email. If you prefer phone please note it.)
Aug-12

