

# Gateway STEM High School Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow!



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## **Consumer Mathematics Syllabus 2020-2021**

#### **COURSE FRAMEWORK:**

Consmer Math - students will understand our economy, manage family and personal finances, and make informed purchasing decisions. Understanding credit, budgeting, insurance, warranties, and shopping skills help ensure our students become more confident and capable consumers.

Applied Practical Math- students will build a basic mathematical foundation using a step- by step- approach. Skills are mastered by teaching students the basic operations involving whole numbers, integers, fractions, per-cents, and decimals. Calculator skills are taught and Algebra is introduced simply as math with letters and numbers.

#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

The Autism classroom is set-up to address the student's Individual Educational Plan. My hope is that you will use the information you learn in this class to increase your mathematical skills. Also, throughout this course we will try to cultivate knowledge and skills that will allow you to be successful in college.

#### **COURSE OUTLINE:**

Problem Solving Strategies, Whole Numbers, Fractions, Decimals, Ratio and Proportion, Per-Cents, Interest, Measurement, Perimeter and Area, Volume, and Probability are the subject areas we will cover during 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> semesters.

#### **REQUIRED MATERIALS:**

Class Textbook

One Subject Notebook

Pencils and Pens

Calculator

Rulers,

Glue Sticks

Scissors

Class Folder

#### **CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS/POLICIES:**

**Rules/Norms:** It is critical that you are in class on time with the required materials.

Respect yourself, others including both person and property, that means no

making fun of others, cursing or throwing things etc. Complete tasks when given not when you feel like it.

No electronic devices are to be used without my permission. Follow the school policies as stated in the student handbook. If this is an issue parents and administrators will be contacted.

**Hall Passes:** You will be given two hall passes per quarter for going to the bathroom, drinking fountain, or your locker. It is your responsibility to keep these passes. If you want to leave the classroom you must present me with your pass. You may only use the pass when it is individual work time. In accordance with school policy I will never write passes during the first or last ten minutes of class.

#### **GRADING POLICY**

Chapter tests, Quizzes, Homework, and Daily Classwork scores will be used to figure a students grade.

### **Semester Grade Policy:**

**Grading Policy:** Students will follow the grading scale issued by the district which is as follows:

<u>Grade</u>	Grading Scale
A	100 - 90
В	89 - 80
C	79 - 70
D	69 - 60
F	59 and below

Parents may have internet access to their student's grades and assignments, upon Administrative approval at <a href="https://sis.slps.org/SLPS/Default.aspx">https://sis.slps.org/SLPS/Default.aspx</a>

#### **ACADEMIC INTEGRITY/ PLAGIARISM:**

• Cheating, Copying other peoples homework and/or class work is not permitted. Plagiarism is not allowed all work must be in your own words and proper documentation used for citing other peoples thoughts, words and/or artifacts (pictures). Those that copy or plagiarize will lose credit for the assignment.

## MISCELLANEOUS COURSE INFORMATION: