

Mr. Walter –2014-15

Innovations High School

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Course Materials

The majority of the coursework will be done through the GradPoint software. This is accessible both at school as well as any location with Internet access. You will be shown during the first few days how to access the coursework and submit your assignments.

As you work on your coursework, you should have a notebook and pencil. There will be numerous times when the software asks you to solve a problem in your notes so that you may submit and/or check your solution. This will be a strong indicator to you about how well you understand the subject matter. A calculator is required for some problems. Students may use one on the computer or borrow one from me.

Format and Procedures

Students will engage in a variety of tasks. Most of these will be interacting with the Gradpoint software. These tasks include solving problems, watching short videos, and completing assessments. Other tasks such as small-group instruction, hands-on activities/labs, and 1 on 1 tutoring from me will be added as needed.

As I see needs for added instruction, I will contact students and ask them to participate in this instruction. These times are recorded on the school website. For Chemistry, Precalculus, Math III, and Calculus, you must attend the scheduled classes.

Course Requirements

Be sure to uphold all school rules and expectations, especially respect for others. Be respectful and courteous toward the teachers and the other students. Make sure that everybody has the opportunity to learn and participate. Wait patiently if someone else is asking a question before you. Also remember that all work submitted should be your own. You may give each other advice and help, but each of you is responsible for knowing how to solve the problems on your own. You will demonstrate this through the assessments in the course. These assessments must be taken in class and will be proctored by me.

Grading Procedures

My grading scale will be as follows:

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| A | A- | B+ | B | B- | C+ | C | C- | D+ | D | D- | F |
| 93% | 90% | 87% | 83% | 80% | 77% | 73% | 70% | 67% | 63% | 60% | <60% |

Strive for at least an 80% on all assignments, especially on the assessments. Your final grade for each term will be calculated at the end of each term based on your completed coursework.

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Mr. Christopher Walter

By signing below, I verify that I have received Mr. Walter's disclosure statement and agree to follow all expectations contained therein.

Parent Signature

Student Signature