

informationSupplies:

textbook (no- you do NOT have to bring to class)	standard lead pencil
notebook	eraser
folder	4-6 colored pens/pencils
unlined 8½" x 11" white paper	(orange or red for correcting homework)
graph paper (MG44/H)	straightedge
	compass (MG44/H)

Calculators- TI-83(4) or TI-83(4) plus (use of TI-89 will not be permitted on exams)

OR: If you are purchasing a new calculator: Buy the TI-inspire- black&white- without CAS

Punctuality / Attendance:

1. A note from your doctor, parent, or guardian is required on the day you return from your absence.
2. A late pass is required when the student is tardy.
3. A student arriving late for a quiz or an exam will not be given extra time to complete his/her work.
4. A student missing a quiz or an exam due to tardiness or an unexcused absence will receive a mark of zero.
5. Cuts, as well as unexcused and frequent lateness, are referred to the dean.

Please turn off all cell phones before entering class.

There is to be no gum chewing, eating, or drinking during class. (exception: bottled drinking water)

Homework:

1. Late homework will not be accepted except in the case of an excused absence.
2. If you are absent you are responsible to get notes from a classmate and to makeup homework.

Homework format:

1. Use unlined 8½" x 11" white paper. Fold paper in half as shown: (dimensions = 5 ½ by 8 ½)



2. Write with standard lead pencil- **highlight** key steps/answers with colored pens/pencils.
3. On the first page include the following:
 - a.) **heading:**

Name	date
course-period	homework #
 - b.) **2-idea summary:** summary of **2** ideas that you learned during the lesson- use **complete sentences**, the "aim" is not acceptable, in case of review- state 2 previously learned ideas!
4. **RESTATE** the problem by listing the givens, what you want to find (prove), and copying (sketching) the (a) diagram.
5. Two or three problems per page – draw a straight line between problems that appear on the same page.
6. Use graph paper and a straightedge for graphs.
7. Last, but not least- **show all work / justify your answer!**

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Groupmates' Contact Information:

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| 1. Name _____ | 2. Name _____ |
| phone number _____ | phone number _____ |
| e-mail address _____ | e-mail address _____ |
| other _____ | other _____ |
3. Name _____
- phone number _____
- e-mail address _____
- other _____

Tests:

1. Full period tests are given on Thursday.
2. 10 minute quizzes (announced/unannounced) may be given any day of the week.
3. Makeup exams will NOT be administered except in the following cases:
 - a.) School scheduling conflict with appropriate documentation shown to me **prior** to the day of the exam.
 - b.) Absence due to illness – student’s **parent** or **legal guardian** must call the school on the day of the exam **between 7 am and 9 am**. Dial Ms. Chin of the attendance office at 212- 312- 4800, ext. 2031, **or** Mr. Harvey Blumm, the Parent Coordinator, at 212- 312- 4927, to leave a message for me explaining that you will be out due to illness, and including a phone number where he/she can be reached during the day.

You should be prepared to take a makeup test on your first day back to school. In special circumstances other arrangements can be made.

Grades:

Grading scale: Marking period **1** – Alphabetic grades are assigned according to the following:
E 90-100
S 75-89
N 65-74
U < 65

Marking period **2 & 3** – Numeric grades are assigned that are cumulative starting from the beginning of the semester.

Grades adhere to department guidelines (see <http://math.stuy.edu>) and are based on the following:

Tests: 100 points each, 6-8 per semester
Final Exam: 100 points, “counts” as 1½ to 2 exams

Quest: 25-50 points, 20-30 minutes in length
Quiz: 10-25 points, 10 minutes in length, covers previous lesson/last night’s homework unless otherwise announced, given at the beginning of the period.

Groupwork: 10-30 points each, 4-8 per semester
Homework: checked daily
Other factors: participation, extra credit

Office Hours: TBA

Class Website: <http://mathwithmrsa.net>

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