

**Your Grade in Math has 3 components:  
Progress + Product + Process**

**The Progress Grade is your daily work & Participation (10%)**

Assignments include class work & homework and reflect the development of your skills. Whether your work is done at home or in class, this is a time to learn new skills and to practice them before the test. Each assignment is worth 10 points. I will spot check certain key problems for accuracy. You are responsible for correcting any errors and learning from your mistakes. See me for answer keys if needed. I will ask for problems in class that you'd like to see done.

Full Credit = 10 points.	Work done accurately and completed on time.
Corrected Work = 10 points.	Work done on time and corrections made (new work shown in a different color.) Corrections are not just an answer, but show new thinking about how to do the problem right.
Partial Credit = 8 points.	Late or inaccurate. Inaccurate work can be changed. Read above.
Partial Credit = 1-8 points.	Incomplete. Work can be finished up to the day of the test. No credit for work done after the test. See me for additional points before the test.

**The Product Grade is your Formative (30%) & Summative Assessments (60%)**

The chapter tests are an opportunity for you to demonstrate your understanding of the concepts and your mastery of skills. You will know a week in advance the date of the test and I will give test notes throughout the chapter. There are no surprises! Some tests will allow calculators and notes, others won't, so being here the day before a test is important. All chapter work is due the day of the test, no corrections or late work accepted after the test. There will be no use of hall passes while students are testing to provide maximum quiet time during the test. See the back of this page for the breakdown of assessments.

**The Process Grade is your Behavior. (Citizenship Value)**

Each trimester you will receive a citizen grade. An **Outstanding** Citizen follows all school rules, and is a pleasure to have in class and at school. A **Satisfactory** Citizen follows all school rules, but does not maximize their class time (e.g. Forgets supplies, occasional off-task behavior.) **Needs Improvement** Citizen has received a detention/referral from me due to a violation of school rules, repeatedly disrupts class or has to have a parent contact. **Unsatisfactory** Citizen would have received more than two referrals and display consistent disruptive/unacceptable behaviors. Try to arrange your day so you can go to the bathroom at convenient passing periods. Missing class is a missed learning opportunity and a distraction to us all.

I understand how I will be graded in this class. \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

I would like a copy of the Grading Policy for my records. \_\_\_\_\_ Yes

Questions?

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### **Formative Assessment 30% (Assessments FOR Learning)**

- Review
- Quizzes
- Quick check
- Mid chapter
- Cornell Notes
- Portfolios
- History Packets
- Posters/Presentations
- Science Labs

### **Summative Assessment 60% ( Assessments OF Learning)**

- Tests
- Quizzes
- Writing
- Projects

### **Participation 10%**

- Homework
- In class worksheets
- In class work