"Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O LORD, my strength and my redeemer." Psalm 19:14

## MR. VANHORN'S CLASSES

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#### CLASSROOM GUIDELINES

- 1. Be seated and quiet when the bell rings.
- 2. Come prepared to work with all books and materials.
- 3. Do not communicate without permission from the teacher.
- 4. Keep your working area clean. (Do NOT mark on the desks. Only bring materials needed for classwork.)
- 5. Wait for the teacher to dismiss class.

#### CLASSROOM PROCEDURES

- 1. **Materials needed** Bring a blue or black pen and a pencil (You may use red for grading and other colors for work that will not be turned in to me.) and looseleaf paper (only on quiz or test days).
- 2. **Textbooks** You will have a textbook for 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grades (to be left in the classroom under the desk). There is an online textbook for 9<sup>th</sup> graders that is accessible from anywhere that has internet access. Bible class will use the Bible Doctrines textbook (You are responsible for this book, and to have it for each Bible class). There are also Practical Christian Living booklets and the Mighty Through God book (again, personal responsibility).
- 3. **Late work** A student turning in work late is failing in his responsibility. For each day that a homework assignment is late, at least five points will be deducted.
- 4. **Make-up work** Students have one day for each day missed for an illness plus one extra day. Missing class for an appointment does not give this extra time. If a test or quiz was given while you were gone, you need to arrange to take it promptly, usually after school. The school policy says that work for planned absences should be done prior to leaving.

### 5. Daily work -

- **Name** You must put your name on the top of the paper. Graded work without a name will have points deducted.
- **Neatness** Work must be neat. Papers with illegible handwriting, torn edges, or overall sloppiness will not be accepted and will be considered late.
- 6. **Tardiness** If you are late to class, a demerit will be submitted unless you appeal to me immediately after class with a legitimate reason or had prior permission.
- 7. **Restroom/Drinking fountain trips** Permission to leave class will be given on a limited, emergency basis only. Please use the four minute break to take care of needs.

GRADING SYSTEM — Grades are based on percentage. All work that has been graded will be posted online every week. Please check your grades and assignments on InfoDirect at least once a week.

#### **Grading scale**

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A+ 98.50 -100.00 B+ 90.50 - 92.49 C+ 82.50 - 84.49 D+ 72.50 - 74.49 F 0.00 - 64.49
A 94.50 - 98.49 B 86.50 - 90.49 C 76.50 - 82.49 D 66.50 - 72.49
A- 92.50 - 94.49 B- 84.50 - 90.49 C- 74.50 - 76.49 D- 64.50 - 66.49
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#### WAYS TO SUCCEED IN CLASS:

- 1. Study daily Don't wait until the day before or the day of to study for a quiz or test.
- 2. Don't get behind. If you feel like you can't keep up, talk to Mr. VanHorn about help.
- 3. Tell Mr. VanHorn when you feel confused. Don't wait until during the test to get help.
- 4. Check InfoDirect EVERY WEEK. Check your grade, your assignments, and look for extra helps.

Work hard in class this school

Year, and give glory to the Lord!