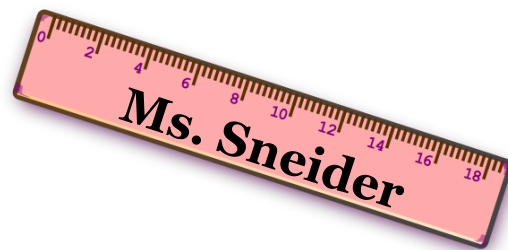




Welcome to Intermediate Algebra!



<http://sneidermath.weebly.com>

Welcome back to Sachem East! My name is Ms. Sneider and I will be your math teacher this year. If you're new to Sachem, guess what...so am I! This will be my first year at the high school and I am looking forward to working with all of you throughout the year. Please read this syllabus carefully and keep it because you may need to refer back to it in the future.



What is Intermediate Algebra?

This course will give students a strong mathematical foundation. Some of the topics covered include linear equations, factoring, literal equations, systems of equations, quadratic equations, rational numbers, imaginary and complex numbers, and direct and inverse variation. A scientific calculator will be used throughout the course. Students who are successful in this course are strongly encouraged to take Algebra 2 in the following year.

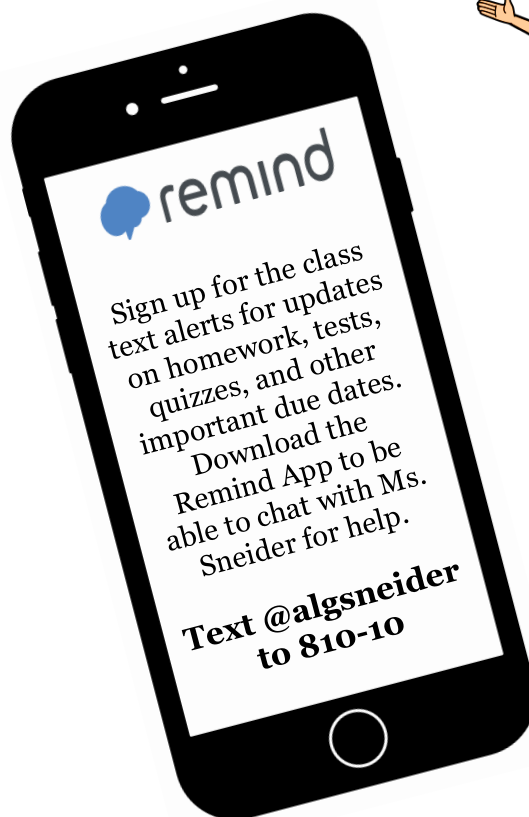
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Materials

Please bring the following to class on a daily basis:

- **Binder with lined paper & graph paper** (Everyone is responsible for all notes taken in class, even when absent)
- Pencils
- Completed homework
- **Scientific Calculator** (Required)



Grades

Your grade will be based on the following:

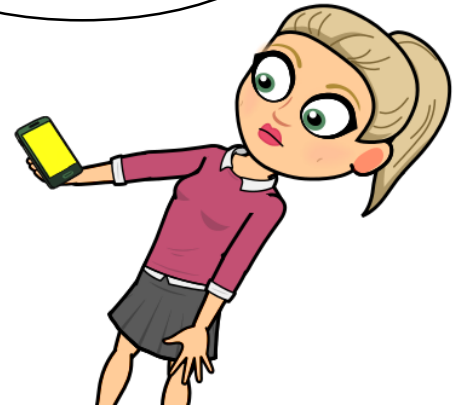
- 70% Tests
- 15% Quizzes (Delta Math)
- 10% Homework
- 5% Participation

Homework

- Homework will be assigned, checked, and corrected daily
- Each homework is worth 2 points

Extra Help
will be offered weekly!

NO Cell Phones in class!
If visible, it will be taken away.



E-School

E-school is **updated daily** with homework, participation, and test/quiz grades. It is your responsibility to check it frequently to monitor your missing assignments.

KEY:

- “o” Assignment was not done and cannot be made up
- “A” Assignment was not done because of an absence and CAN be made up within ONE WEEK (otherwise it is a zero).
- “Ex” Assignment is excused and does not have to be made up. This does *not* count as a zero.
- *** Assignment is not due yet

Attendance

In addition to following the Schem attendance policy:

- Each day that you are in class you earn 5 points for participation. You will lose points for being late or not having supplies that were mentioned in the materials list.
- If you are absent, you must get the notes and complete all assignments to receive the points for the day(s) that you were absent. These items must be handed in to me, with your name and the day(s) you were absent no later than 1 week after you return to school.
- If you are absent the day of a test, you **must** be ready to take the test on the day you return to school. Be prepared to stay during your lunch period or after school.

Wish List

- 4 pack of **expo** dry erase markers
- Tissues
- 4 pack of AAA batteries

