**Algebra I Class Syllabus & Expectations**

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**Grading Scale:**

* **Proficiency scales for each standard are linked in PowerSchool**
	+ 4—extended knowledge and understanding
	+ 3—proficient
	+ 2—partially proficient
	+ 1—beginning understanding
* **Students will earn behavior grades in the categories of Respect and Responsibility**
	+ 3—meets expectations
	+ 2—progressing
	+ 1—needs improvement

**Letter Grade Conversion:**

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| Proficiency Level | Letter Grade |
| 3.00 - 4.00 | A |
| 2.50 – 2.99 | B |
| 2.00 – 2.49 | C |
| 1.00 – 1.99 | D |
| Below 1.00 | F |

**High School Credit:**

* Students will receive high school credit for Algebra 1.
* **Your grade will count towards your high school GPA.**

**Class Content/Standards:**



* The table at the right shows which standards are covered throughout the year and during which chapter they will be covered.
* Algebra builds on itself so some standards will be covered throughout the year. That means proficiency will change, depending on what part of the year it is covered.
	+ For example: Proficiency on A.CED.2 in the beginning of the year (ch. 1) looks different than proficiency on the same standard towards the end of the year (ch. 10 & 11)

**Absences and Missing Work:**

* Please check with me if you need to make up missing work.
* Ask for work ahead of time, if possible.
* I am available most days before and after school for assistance.

**Homework:**

* Students will usually be allowed time to get started on assignments during class but they will be expected to complete assignments at home.
* Homework is **very important** in Algebra as that is the way you will get the practice needed on the topics being covered.

**Required Materials:**

* **CALCULATOR**
* Pencils
* Pens
* Math notebook