

# Geometry

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Conference: A day - 2<sup>nd</sup> period  
B day - 5<sup>th</sup> period

Welcome to Geometry! This year in Geometry you will relate and apply geometric concepts to algebra, probability, and other math concepts. **You will be successful if you complete assignments and study for all tests and quizzes. You will be tested on your Geometry skills on the following tests: SAT, ACT, and College Placement Tests.**

## Required Supplies:

- Pencils w/ erasers (Separate erasers can be helpful when the eraser on the pencil runs out.)
- Lead to refill mechanical pencils, if necessary
- Loose-leaf notebook paper
- Red grading pens
- Scissors
- Glue or tape
- Geometry Set - Compass, Protractor, and Ruler
- Graphing calculator for home - There are apps available for these! A graphing calculator will be provided for classroom use.
- 4 AAA batteries (to be left at school)
- 1 box of tissues (to be left at school)
- **Spiral: You will be keeping a spiral with all of the notes for the entire year. It will be graded, and it will count as a quiz grade. You will need to put all notes in your spiral. Scissors and glue/tape will be necessities for completing this. I will not be providing these.**

## Textbook:

- A classroom textbook will be provided for use at school.
- You can access the textbook at home through Canvas. Further instructions will be provided.

## BYOT:

- Use of technology in the class room will be at the teacher's discretion.
- All technology with the ability to text or make phone calls, an internet connection, or the ability to take pictures will be placed in the designated area at the beginning of class. The student will retrieve the device at the end of class. Any phones seen in a student's possession during class **WILL** be taken up and turned in to their AP.

## Tutoring:

- I offer tutoring on Monday and Wednesday, from 2:55 to 3:15.
- There will also be a Geometry tutoring schedule posted on my classroom door for other times you can receive assistance.
- Additional times by appointment.

## Grading Scale:

- Daily Average - 20%
- Quiz Average - 30%
- Test Average - 50%

## Assignments:

- Assignments that are not completed in class need to be completed as homework and are due the next time class meets.
- **LATE WORK IS NOT ACCEPTED! NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- All work that is turned in for a grade **MUST** be completed in PENCIL on NOTEBOOK paper! No spiral paper! Assignments completed in ink will be returned to the student to complete again in pencil.
- Always copy the problem, show all work, and box your answer.
- **NO WORK = NO CREDIT! NO EXCEPTIONS!**

## Make-up Work:

- All make-up work is your responsibility. An assignment calendar will be given to you for reference.
- Notes from when you are absent must be printed from the website and filled-in before you come back to class. Missing classwork should also be printed from the website and attempted before returning to class. Missed quizzes will not be made up but replaced with the unit test grade. Utilize tutoring times for questions.
- Make-up work will be accepted according to the policy stated in the Student Handbook.

## Cheating:

- Cheating is defined as acquiring or presenting someone else's work as your own. Allowing another student to copy your work will also be considered cheating. See the MHS handbook for other policies regarding cheating, especially regarding the use of electronic devices.
- Any student involved in cheating will receive a zero for that assignment, quiz, or test which cannot be replaced, dropped, or retaken.
- In addition, parents will be notified and students will receive an **automatic C for citizenship**. Any citizenship grade below a B- disqualifies you for membership in NHS.