**7th Grade Math Syllabus**

**Mrs. Friday- Room 7**

**Planning Period: 1st**

Dear Parents and Students,

 Welcome to Prattville Junior High School! I am so excited to have you in my math class, and look forward to getting to know each of you! I have some super fun and educational projects planned this year to challenge you.

**Grading:**

Tests and Projects 65%

Quizzes/Classwork/Bell Ringers 35%

**Grading Scale:**

1. 90-100%
2. 80-89%
3. 70-79%
4. 60-69%
5. 59% and below

**Classroom Management Expectations:**

· Be in your seat working on the Bell Ringer when the bell rings, and do not leave your seat without permission.

· Bring all materials to class AND take them when you leave.

· Do not talk during instruction.

· Respect everyone!

· Follow all procedures and policies as outlined in the PJHS handbook.

**Test:** You can expect at least 4 major tests in a 9-week grading period. A test review is scheduled the day before the test. Make-up test will be given when/if it is established as an excused absence.

**Bell Ringer:** Each day when you enter class, you will begin working on your Bell Ringer. The Bell Ringer will be a review of concepts we previously covered. You are responsible for coming into class and immediately getting started on your Bell Ringer. EVERY Friday we will check our Bell Ringer and this will be a Quiz grade. If you are absent during the week it is your responsibility to complete your Bell Ringer before grading on Friday.

**Classroom Donations: (Thank you for any and all donations!!)**

1. Germ-X
2. Paper Towels
3. Tissues
4. Lysol spray
5. Lysol wipes

**Final 10 Minutes:** During this time, I will allow you to start on your homework. This is the best time for you to see if you understand the concept and if not ASK for help. You must be working on MATH during this time.

**Homework:** Homework will be given majority of the time. I will check homework daily. I will not check for accuracy, but for effort. YOU MUST DO YOUR HOMEWORK TO SUCCEED. You will receive a homework grade for each Test. So, all homework completed in preparation for Test 1 will be averaged for a Test 1 Homework grade. Homework will be graded on the scale of 100 (complete), 75 (more than half complete), 50 (half complete), 25 (less than half), and a 0 (none),

**Binder:** You will be required to have a binder ONLY for Math. This will allow you to keep up and organize all notes and handouts for this class.

**Make-up Work:** In the back of my classroom there is a bulletin board with folder for your class period. When you miss school, YOU are responsible for picking up your missing work from the folder and completing it. YOUR ABSENCE MUST BE EXCUSED FOR ME TO PUT IN YOUR GRADE. IF IT’S UNEXCUSED YOU WILL RECEIVE A ZERO.

**Missing/Late Assignments:** If you miss a turn in date you have two days to turn in the assignment. If it is one day late you will lose ten points, and if it is two days late you will lose 20 points. After day two, I will no longer accept it and you will receive a zero. THIS DOES NOT APPLY FOR HOMEWORK ONLY PROJECTS OR TAKE HOME ASSIGNMENTS.

**Hall Pass:** You will receive a hall pass with one bathroom pass and one homework pass on it per 9 weeks. If you do not use your passes, you can turn them in for 5 bonus points on a test at the end of the 9 weeks.

**ACS Behavior Referral:** If you choose not to follow the classroom management expectations, you will follow the ACS Behavior Referral Chain.

1st Offense: Student-Teacher Conference 3rd Offense- Parent-Teacher-Admin Conference

2nd Offense- Parent Contact 4th Offense- Office Referral

**Communication:** The best way to communicate with me throughout the school year is through email. My email address is kali.friday@acboe.net. I will try to respond to emails as quickly as I can. If you would like to schedule a conference, you may do so by contacting me via email or by calling the PJHS front office.

**Website:** The Prattville Junior High School website is pjhscats.com. All lesson plans and announcements can be found here. Click on “Staff”, then scroll down and click on “Kali Friday”.

**ParentSquare:** I will send out assignment reminders, Test reminders, and announcements through ParentSquare! Please make sure you have it and check it!

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**Policies and Procedures**

**Student Information and Responsibilities for Mrs. Friday’s Math Class**

**Please have STUDENT sign along with PARENT/GUARDIAN. ONLY RETURN THE SIGNED PORTION OF THIS SYLLABUS!**

We have read the information about the math curriculum, the grading policy, student responsibilities, classroom procedures, and the discipline procedures for Mrs. Friday.

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Student Signature Date

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Parent/Guardian Signature Date