**Chemistry I**

**Mrs. Clark**

**Classroom Expectations:**

* Be here.
  + Attendance is crucial. If you are habitually absent your grade will be affected.
* Be prepared each day
  + Charged Chromebook
  + Paper
  + Pencil
  + Science notebook.
    - Science notebook must be bound. I will not accept loose pages as a notebook.
* Go to the restroom before class. This is a rigorous subject and the more time you spend in class the better the learning experience.
* Be seated and have your conversations ended when the bell rings.
* Begin the bell work when the bell rings to signal the beginning of class.
* Pay close attention to instructions. *Instructions will be given only once.*
* Raise your hand if you do not understand or have any questions.
* Do not have your phone out during instruction time.
  + You know the policy. Go by it.
* Do not throw objects at the trashcan or each other.
* Treat each person in the class, including me, with respect.
* Watch your language. I will not tolerate obscene language or gestures in my classroom.
* Pay attention during instruction time. If you wish to have a conversation with your neighbor, please do so **before** class begins.
* You are expected to keep a science notebook that will be completed in class on most days.
  + It is preferred that the science notebook be a normal college ruled composition book.
  + A spiral bound notebook is acceptable, but it must ONLY contain science notes.
  + Loose leaf notebook paper is not acceptable.

**Classwork/Homework:**

* ALL **class**work is to be finished in **class**.
* ALL work must be done in pencil and must be legible.
  + I will not accept classwork/homework/quizzes/tests/labs that have been completed using ink.
* Homework is due on the given due date. One day late is a 20% deduction with another day to complete and turn in. After two days, it will result in a zero for the assignment.
* I will follow the make-up policy as described by the handbook.
  + Once a unit is complete and has been tested over, I will not accept any make up work for that unit.
* ALL missing assignments will be counted as a zero until turned in.

**Tests/Quizzes:**

* When a test or quiz is given, you will be required to turn your phone in before taking the test or quiz.
* Talking is NOT permitted during a test/quiz. If you have a question, please raise your hand.
* Cheating is not tolerated. Cheating will result in a zero and administration being notified.

**Labs:**

* Labs are an important and fun part of chemistry.
* Lab safety is of utmost importance. Horseplay is not allowed in the lab.
* Follow the lab procedure. Do not go off script as an accident is likely to occur.
* If lab safety is violated, you will be removed from the lab and receive a zero for the day.
* If you are absent from a lab, you will be given an assignment to make up for the missed lab.
  + You will have as many days as you were absent to turn in the missed lab.
* You will be graded on your participation, procedure, execution, set up, and clean up during a lab.
  + Points will be deducted if necessary.