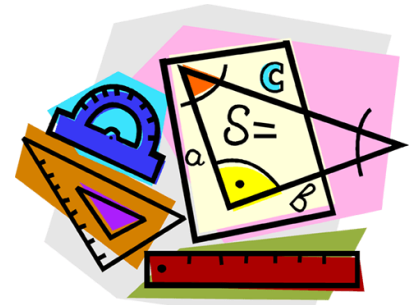


Transition to Geometry

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Required Supplies

It is imperative that each student obtains the following supplies as shared resources are not to be used and will not be provided if a student forgets them. If there is a financial issue with obtaining any or all of the supplies, see me and I will make sure the student has all necessary supplies.

- Scientific calculator (TI-30XS MultiView or TI-30XIIS recommended)
- Binder or folder
- Pencils
- Straight-edge

Overview

Each class period will consist of a combination of the following: lessons that target the objectives learned in the regular Geometry class, reviewing material that will be tested in the regular Geometry class, activities covering class topics, and homework time.

Assessments & Homework

There are no tests or homework in this course. The reason for this is to provide the maximum amount of support for the regular Geometry class.

Grading

The goal for this course is to have the focus be on learning, not the grade. Students will receive a Satisfactory (S) or Unsatisfactory (U) each quarter; no letter grade will be assigned for this class. Daily effort and behavior will be tracked and assigned a point value (see next page). This alone will determine an S or U for the quarter. For each semester receiving a Satisfactory score, the student will earn 0.5 elective credits.

Transitioning Out

This support class is used as a preventative measure to ensure each student has the skills needed to succeed in their Geometry classroom. Should a teacher, guardian, or student feel that enrollment in this course is no longer necessary, the following items must occur before a student is transitioned out:

- 1.) The student must have earned a C- or better in prior quarters of Geometry.
- 2.) They must have a current grade higher than a D+ in Geometry.
- 3.) They must transition out at the end of a quarter.
- 4.) They must have guardian, TTG teacher, and Geometry teacher approval.
- 5.) There is an exception if the TTG teacher and Geometry teacher believe the student is actively refusing to take advantage of the support that TTG provides.

Each day you will be marked according to the following scale:

4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prepared with all required materials• Works diligently 100% of the class period• Completes 100% of designated work during the hour• Phone is stowed away the entire class period
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Comes partially prepared• Needs to be redirected 1-2 times before getting back to work• Completes 80% of designated work during the hour• Tries to access phone 1-2 times during class
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Not prepared to work• Needs to be redirected three or more times before getting back to work• Completes 60% of designated work during the hour• Tries to access phone 3 or more times during class
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Does not come prepared to work and makes no attempt to get materials• Refuses to do work even after being redirected several times• Does not complete any work or is sent to the ALC• Phone is a continuous distraction during class
0	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Attendance for the day is “Unverified”

Course Expectations:

- Help with organization of class work
- Goal-setting and progress monitoring
- Practice collaboration and communication skills
- Additional instruction for specific skills
- Geometry test preparation
- Geometry homework time
- Regular check-ins with Geometry teacher

Course Credit (0.5 credits/semester): This course will not be assigned a letter grade, meaning that it will not affect your GPA. In order to receive a Satisfactory and 0.5 elective credits for the semester, you must have an average of 60% or better for the daily behavior expectations score.

Dear Parents/Guardians,

If you have any questions about intervention, please contact me at (920) 563-7811 Ext. 2050 or by email at schneiderk@fortschools.org. Thank you, Katie Schneider

Student Name _____

Guardian Signature _____