



7TH GRADE SCIENCE

**with
Ms. Marin**

Contact Information



Students may message via
Schoolology



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QUARTER 1

- The Nature and Practice of Science
- Forms of Energy
- Waves

QUARTER 2

- Heat and Thermal Energy
- Earth's Structures
- Age of the Earth

QUARTER 3

- Plate Tectonics
- Cell Division
- Genetics

QUARTER 4

- Ecosystems and Food Webs/ Symbiosis
- Evolution/Natural Selection
- Human Impact on Earth

UNITS OF STUDY

Schoology and HAC

Schoology is where you will find topics of study for the week. Lessons, assignments and in some cases additional practice items will be listed for the week.

HAC or Home Access Center will house all graded assignments.

Grading

- Grades are comprised of the following:
 - **Summative: 70%** (Unit Tests)
 - **Formatives: 30%** (quizzes, classwork, homework)
- **90-100 – A**
- **80-89 – B**
- **70-79 – C**
- **60-69 – D**
- **1-59 – F**

Grading (cont.)

If a student scores below 75% on a Summative Assessment, they will have the opportunity to retest and potentially raise their score as high as an 85%.

Teachers will use various remediation methods to help the student before retesting takes place.



INC=Incomplete
EXT=Excused Assignment
INO= Zero

HMH Ed Science Book

- Families can access online textbooks through Schoology.
- Link with directions to access Schoology:
 - <https://acrobat.adobe.com/id/urn:aaid:sc:VA6C2:495f7586-6e31-4a05-9490-71582eb7d3e1>
- The online textbook is the same as the print edition so they can use this option if they need to access the book while away from school.

Materials

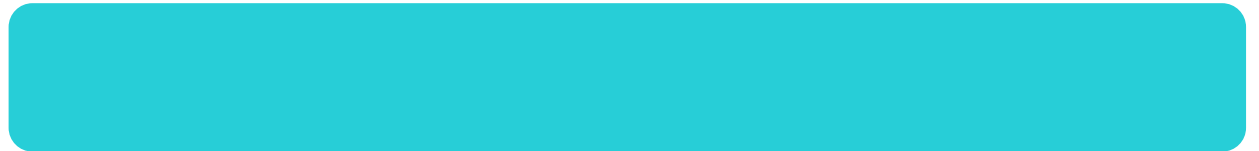
Pencils

1in Minimum Binder

Textbook (left in classroom)

12 Dividing Tabs

Colored pencils or highlighters



PBIS Rewards



Middle School is using an online system called PBIS Rewards.



Students earn points daily in every class as well as in other areas of the school for positive behaviors



We will be doing a quarterly celebration each quarter and grade level competitions to build the school culture throughout the year.



Any questions you can email
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QUESTIONS?
THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING
CURRICULUM CHAT NIGHT!