

Geometry Syllabus 2021-2022
Habersham Ninth Grade Academy
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Course Description:

Geometry is the second course in a sequence of three required high school courses designed to ensure career and college readiness. The course represents a discrete study of geometry with correlated statistics applications. The Mathematical Practice Standards apply throughout each course and together with the content standards, prescribe that students experience mathematics as a coherent, useful, and logical subject that makes use of their ability to make sense of problem situations. This course includes the following: transformations in the coordinate plane, similarity, congruence and proofs, right triangle trigonometry, circles and volume, geometric and algebraic connections, and applications of probability.

Materials Required:

- *Scientific Calculator (TI30XS Multiview preferred)
- *Three-ring binder (at least 1.5")
- *Loose-leaf notebook paper
- *Graph paper
- *Colored pencils
- *Ruler
- *Headphones/Earbuds (to use with Chromebooks)
- *Pencils & erasers
- *Expo marker

Tutoring & Questions:

Tutoring is available upon request in the mornings Monday-Thursday at 7:35 a.m. and some afternoons. Afternoon tutoring sessions should be schedule in advance with the teacher.

Attendance Policy & Make-Up Work: (Check Your Google Classroom Daily for Assignments when absent and during Learn from home)

Attendance and participation are important. You are responsible for getting the assignments that you miss due to any absence. When you are absent, check google classroom for your assignment. If you do not see an assignment in google classroom, please email me and I will send it to you ASAP.

Test Re-Takes/Corrections:

Students may be given the opportunity to re-take tests, make corrections to tests, or complete a bonus sheet for the test; however, there will be some tests not available for re-take, corrections, or bonus sheet.

Evaluation Procedures:

- Summative assessments – 40%**
- Tests and projects
- Formative assessments – 40%**
- Quizzes and daily grades
- Final Exam – 20% (Cumulative)**

* Tests and quizzes are subject to time limitations. Any questions not answered within the time limit will be counted as incorrect. (Exceptions will be made for students with educational plans that allow for extra time.)

* **WORK MUST BE SHOWN FOR ALL ASSIGNED PROBLEMS** (tests, quizzes, classwork, and homework) **OR IT WILL BE COUNTED INCORRECT.**

Classroom Rules:

1.Be on time. ~ This means you should be in your desk and ready to begin work when the bell rings.

2.Be prepared. ~ Have all materials required for class out on your desk. (This includes homework!)

3.Always be respectful. ~ All students are expected to be respectful of themselves, peers, teacher, school property, personal property, others' property, and any ideas presented in class.

4.Follow directions. ~ Do what is asked the first time it is asked.

*Failure to follow classroom rules will result in disciplinary consequences. These consequences include, but are not limited to, a verbal warning, contacting the parent/guardian, afternoon/after school detention, lunch detention, and referral to the administration.

*Academic dishonesty (i.e., cheating, plagiarism) will not be tolerated in this class. Actions involving academic dishonesty will be handled according to the policies stated in the school handbook in cooperation with the parents and administration.

Seats: All students will be assigned a seat this year. Students should sit in their assigned seat daily. If you have a problem with your assigned seat, please talk to the teacher.

*****This syllabus can be changed at the discretion of the teacher and/or administration.***

Parents may sign up for remind using the following link (Text messaging rates may apply to messages.):

<https://www.remind.com/join/geom21-22f>

or

Get information for 9th Grade Academy right on your phone—not on handouts.

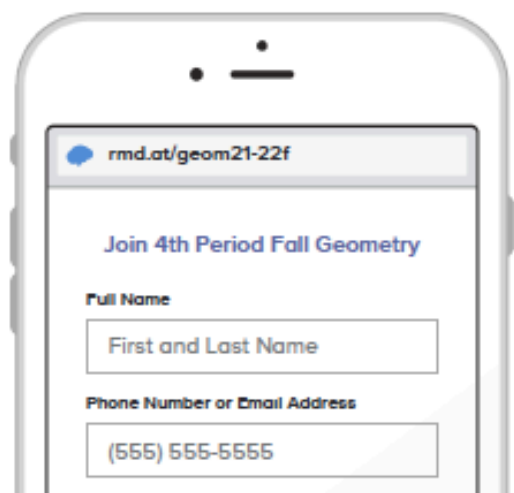
Pick a way to receive messages for 4th Period Fall Geometry:

A If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

On your iPhone or Android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link:

rmd.at/geom21-22f

Follow the instructions to sign up for Remind. You'll be prompted to download the mobile app.



B If you don't have a smartphone, get text notifications.

Text the message @geom21-22f to the number 81010.

If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting @geom21-22f to (706) 407-4764.

* Standard text message rates apply.



Don't have a mobile phone? Go to rmd.at/geom21-22f on a desktop computer to sign up for email notifications.

GEOMETRY

Student Name (Printed) _____

Please return by Wednesday, August 11, 2021.

We (student and parents/guardians) have read the syllabus and agree to the policies stated above.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Best Parent/Guardian Phone Contact: _____

Best Parent Email Contact (please print): _____

If a student is absent, he/she should check Google Classroom for missed assignments. Students can send messages through Google Classroom with questions about assignments or if assignments have not been posted. When students return to school, they should ask their teacher for makeup work and turn in any assignments completed while absent. Students are responsible for getting the assignments that they missed due to any absence.