

# Welcome To Kami and Christa's Forensic Science Class

### Classroom Rules:

- 1. Come into class quietly, sit in your assigned seat, and begin working on your SQOD question.
- 2. Come to class prepared. Bring a pencil, notebook, assignments, and any other materials needed.
- 3. Be respectful of the teacher and other students. Disrespect will NOT be tolerated!
- 4. Do not bother the possessions of others or objects in the classroom.
- 5. Always listen attentively while the teacher is talking, follow directions, and stay on task.
- 6. If you have a question, ASK!

## **Classroom Procedures:**

- 1. Every day, you should: come into class, have a seat, and get started on your "Science Question of the Day."
- 2. Come to class prepared to learn. That means have out your book, notebook, and any assignments that are due. (You will be given 3-5 minutes at the beginning of each day to prepare for the day's lesson...UTILIZE THIS TIME!)
- 3. Homework is to be turned in at the beginning of class.
- 4. At the end of the period, an assessment will be given over the day's lesson. Assessments include, but are not limited to pop quizzes, notes check, worksheets, summaries, etc. It is mandatory that you pay attention to the lesson to perform well on the day's summary assessment.
- 5. At the end of class, stay in your seats until you are dismissed.
- 6. Before you leave the room, check in and around your desk for papers and trash.
- 7. A "Student Station" is in the back of the room for your convenience. You may use anything that is on this station. This is also where assignments will be turned in and assignments will be picked up if you are absent. You may also check here for any work that you may have missed due to an absence.
- 8. If you have a question, RAISE YOUR HAND!
- 9. If I need your attention, I will raise my hand. If you see my hand raised at any time, I need you to stop what you are doing, turn and face me, and listen!
- 10. Do not leave your seat without permission.
- 11. If a visitor enters the room, you are to be on your BEST behavior.
- 12. If you have a comment or suggestion about this class, you may leave you comment/suggestion in the suggestion box on the student station.
- 13. Beware of the "Watch Rule". If you have not quieted down and I look at my watch, you will lose rewards points.
- 14. Graded papers will be kept in an assigned folder in the back of the room.
- 15. If you need to see me before or after school (ex. Make up work, extra help, etc.) you must make an appointment via the appointment cards at the student station.
- 16. Heading your papers: Top right-hand corner—Name, Date & Period → ALWAYS!

- 17. A Parking-Lot board is located at the "student station" It is used to post available bonus point opportunities and will also house papers without names.
- 18. You can receive *tickets* throughout the year for various things that can be cashed in for rewards. Tickets can be earned for answering questions, being present, being well behaved, being kind, good grades, etc.
- 20. Technology is to be used only for instructional purposes. BYOD is welcomed and will aid in learning opportunities but can only be used when teacher allows. (Sign posted in classroom will display allowed instances)
- 21. A "Wall of Fame" showcases students who score 90-100 on Unit Exams and BIG 20 tests. Recognition and prizes will be given to students who are posted to the wall.
- 22. Try your very best. There will be challenges ahead in this course, but FAILURE IS NOT AN OPTION!

#### Consequences

\*\*\*Consequences depend on the rule broken. Some broken rules will result in a warning the first time. Other broken rules will result in deeper consequences. Consequences include, but are not limited to:

- 1. Warning
- 2. Office Referral
- 3. Lab removal

#### **Absences**

If there is an **excused** absence from school, students will be given 5 days to make up any missed work. After 5 days, ANY grades missed become a "ZERO" (no matter the assignment). IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STUDENT TO GET ANY MISSED WORK. If you miss a day:

- 1. Ask someone in your class what you did on the day of your absence and check the student station "Daily Lessons" notebook.
- 2. If notes were given, get them from a fellow classmate.
- 3. If a handout was given, it will be in the "make-up" folder at the student station. You may check the folder before class or after class.
- 4. If you need to make up a quiz or test, you may sign up to schedule a time to come in to make up your work (appointment cards are located at the Student Station). You may only make up work before/after school.
- 5. If I checked homework on the day of your absence, you will need to show me the homework after class or at break. \*\*\* DO NOT ask me for makeup work or turn in makeup work during class.
- 6. Make up work should be turned in the red file folder.