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### **Syllabus for M#1B**

#### **Purpose**

The following contract is for students taking Math A, class code M#1B with Mr. Hui. This class will focus on strengthening students' algebra skills as preparation for higher level math. The textbook used will supplement this class and serve as our topic pacing guideline. All of the following rules and responsibilities are in place to ensure an atmosphere most conducive to the education of the student.

#### **Objectives**

Students will be able to perform the following skills in accordance with NY state standards:

- make sense of mathematics
- use computations skill and number sense
- communicate mathematics
- use mathematical tools and technology
- make practical math connections to the real world

#### **Assessment**

Exams: 20%	Do Nows: 10%
Quizzes: 20%	Homework: 15%
Class Participation: 20%	Notebooks: 15%

#### **Student Responsibilities**

1. Treat everyone in the room with respect *at all times*.
2. Be prepared for class everyday. This means having a writing utensil, your notebook, and any assignments due on that day, and most of all your attention.
3. Be in your seat and working on the Do Now when the late bell rings.
4. Fully participate in class (taking notes, class discussions, group/classwork, etc.)
5. Complete all assignments and homework. This includes makeup of missed class work by the following day.
6. Electronic devices (MP3 players, cell phones, etc.) and hats are not permitted in class as per Chelsea High School policy.
7. Learning means making mistakes. *Ask for help* when/if you need it!

#### **Parent Responsibilities**

1. Provide an environment at home conducive to learning. This can be as simple as having a quiet place to study.
2. Question students on what they learned in class that day.
3. Monitor the attendance of the student and make sure they receive the necessary amount of sleep every night in preparation for school the following day.
4. Contact the child's teacher or guidance counselor with any concerns or questions.

There is a class website ([www.MathHui.com](http://www.MathHui.com)) in which you may find information and resources to supplement the class. There will be materials available there that have been referenced in class such as assignments, documents, and announcements. Anything you find on the site will have already been presented in class.

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