

## Ms. McDaniel's Classroom Rules

*I am excited to have you and your family joining our classroom this year. Even though we will go over this many times in class and master the rules of how our classroom will act, create and achieve, I would like you parents to take a look at what I expect and how our classroom will function.*

- **Be on time and be prepared to learn everyday.** I will shut the door after the bell rings. If my door is shut and you come strolling through, this will be marked as an infraction on your calendar.
- **Respect** me and not only as a teacher, but a mentor and a help as we learn and strive for excellence this year.
- **Respect** your fellow classmates.
- **Respect yourself.** You have a wonderful mind! Do not let distractions get in the way of continuing to achieve greatness as a human, and as a whole community.  
*\*If any of these three respect rules are broken, an infraction will be marked down on your calendar.\**
- **Be responsible for your own learning.** ABSOLUTELY NO CHEATING. I realize there are many wonderful sources on the internet. These are used for guidelines not copying. Please respect a fellow scientists hard work and create your own. For this reason, if you are caught cheating the assignment will be incomplete and will not be allowed to be dropped.
- **Clean up after yourself and peers.** I am not your mom.
- **Keep all personal electronics put away.** NO CELL PHONES IN THE CLASSROOM. If I see them, they will be confiscated, put into the cell phone jail and taken to the principal after class.
- **Bathroom breaks.** No bathroom breaks 10 minutes of the start of the class and 10 minutes before the bell rings. You are allowed 5 bathroom breaks during class per a month. If you exceed the bathroom break allowance, you will receive silent lunch. Do not worry, there is plenty of time to go between classes.
- **Late Work Policy:** I do not believe in being late and therefore have a no tolerance rule for late work. However, in the incidence that things happen and homework or a project is late, 30 points will be subtracted from the work grade and a parent note/email will be required.

Parents, Please keep a copy of this. I would like to be on the same page with all the rules so that there will not be any miscommunication.