

Principles of Math 10

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Welcome to Principles of Math 10! If you need to reach me the **best way is to contact me at: sabrina_bidal@sd34.bc.ca**. (Please understand that I do not accept phone calls during the day as I am teaching. All phone calls will go directly to voicemail and I will try my best to return your call within the next day.)

Course Description:

We will be covering the following units in Math 10:

Number Systems/ Radicals, Exponents & Sequences, Coordinate Geometry, Relations & Functions, Polynomials, Rational Expressions, Rational Equations and Trigonometry.

Class Expectations: Responsibility and Respect

Math 10 is a fast paced course with a great deal of content. To ensure success in this course, you must attend every day, come prepared to class each and every day and be prepared to concentrate and do the daily practice questions. **Practice questions should be completed every day. Students can expect daily quizzes.**

Required Student Supplies

Pencil, calculator, notebook, ruler, text

Absences

It is the **student's responsibility** to learn the material from any missed class as it will not be re-taught. Don't forget to hand in previous day's assignment as soon as you return to school. Also you must come in to write a missed quiz before I hand them back or you will receive a zero for the quiz.

Availability for Extra Help

Students experiencing difficulty with the course should come in and see me. My office hours are every Tuesday and Thursday from 2:30-3:15pm as well as most lunch periods from 11:20-11:35am.

Course Evaluation

Unit tests	70%	Term 1	40%
Homework/Quizzes	30%	Term 2	40%
		Provincial exam	20%

Tracking Student Progress

I use www.checkmymark.com where students and parents can track progress. Please access the website using the Student Number and Password I will be sending home. If you don't know the student number or password, please email me.

Cellphones/MP3's

Not permitted in my classroom under any circumstance. Keep these items turned off and put away in purses/back packs or better yet, in your locker. These items will be confiscated immediately if I see them in my class. Continued problems will be referred to an administrator.