

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

SACRED HEART HIGH SCHOOL

MRS. KIEL

This course is a balanced approach to the diverse study of our environment. The emphasis in this program is the study of science and the development of thinking and decision-making skills. Our goal is to provide students with the science background they need to analyze for themselves many of the issues concerning our environment.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED:

1. Notebook (spiral or "marble" copybook, your choice)
2. Folder or loose-leaf binder to hold handouts, homework, etc.
3. Pen/pencil
4. Loose leaf paper
5. Environmental Science textbook

Please bring the above items to class **EVERY DAY**. Students will not be permitted to leave the room to obtain these items. Being prepared is part of the homework grade. Points will be deducted for being habitually unprepared.

TESTS, QUIZZES, HOMEWORK, CLASSWORK:

1. Tests will be given at the end of each chapter.
2. Quizzes will be given periodically throughout the chapter. Advance notice will be given for both tests and quizzes.
3. Homework is important; it will be given daily and checked as a class the day it is due. It is a review and reinforcement of the day's lesson. Homework also helps students to study daily so that they do not have to "cram" the night before a test.
4. For classwork, students are expected to take notes, complete work assigned in class, and participate in the lesson.
5. Missed tests or quizzes must be made up the day you return to school, unless you have missed two or more consecutive days.

GRADING SYSTEM:

1. Tests are worth 50% of the final average.
2. Quizzes are worth 25% of the final average.
3. Homework is worth 25% of the final average. Late homework assignments receive no credit, except for absences. It is **THE STUDENT'S** responsibility to hand in homework when he/she has been absent.

CLASS RULES:

1. Please be polite and respectful. Do not talk while other students or the teacher is speaking.
2. Please raise your hand; do not call out.
3. Please sit in assigned set.
4. Please do not disturb the class.
5. No profanity or gum chewing.

I have read and understand Mrs. Kiel's class requirements.

Name _____ Date _____

Print

Signature _____

