

8th Grade Alfredo Barrio

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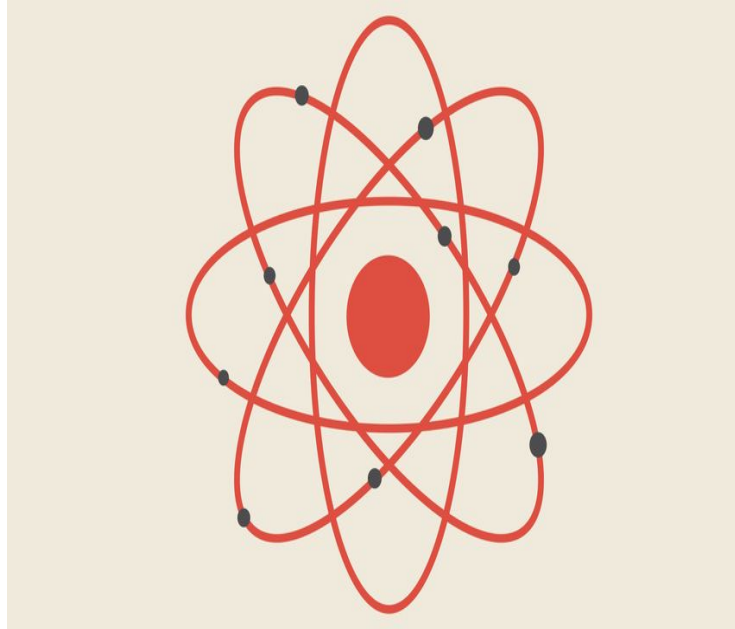
Additional Information

Class room #10

Prep Period: 4th and 8th

Website Instructions:

1. Log in to google classroom with student email.
2. Join class with code given in class.



Responsibility and Preparation

Come prepared to class with your binder, notebook and writing utensils.

Start working on bell ringers immediately so class starts within 5 minutes of the bell. This is when I grade your bell ringers.

Work should be turned in on its due date. Late work will lose points on a per-day-late basis.

Class Materials

3-Ringed Binder
College ruled paper



Pencils & Pens

Colored Pencils

Sticky Notes, Highlighters

grades

Grading Scheme: Grades are determined by a point value system. $(\text{Points Earned} / \text{Points Possible}) \times 100$

100-90%	89-80%	79-70%	69%-60%	<69%
A	B	C	D	F

8th Grade Science

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Course Outline

- Unit 1: Scientific Thinking and Practice
- Unit 2: Matter
- Unit 3: Earth's Systems and Human Impact
- Unit 4: Forces
- Unit 5: Forces
- Unit 6: Waves

Course Description

Welcome to 8th grade science ! My goal for this class is for you to gain practical knowledge that can be applied in future science courses. This class will use a variety of instructional methods that include but are not limited to: projects, hands-on lab, demonstrations, lectures and reports. In this class we will discuss what science is and is not, atoms and elements. We will investigate different chemical, actions, forces and waves. We will apply these skills to better understand how the physical world work.

Homework

work not completed in class automatically becomes homework and is due the following day. You will also have weekly assignments due on Google Classroom, be sure to check the class website regularly..



Classroom Norms

Come in to class quietly and begin on bell work.

Absolutely no phones in class. Using your phone in class will result in loss of participation points for the day and a call to your parents/guardian. Continual infractions will result in a referral.

Pay attention to the instructor. No talking while I am talking.

What to expect

To truly learn something you must experience it first hand. My teaching style is built on engagement and application. This course will require you to not only work individually but to work in heterogeneous groups. We will begin this class by building a foundation of understanding in order to develop critical thinking and application skills.

Google Classroom

This year we will be using google classroom for weekly assignments, tests and quizzes. Google classroom will be your life line in this class as you will be required to watch videos, participate in discussions and post homework assignments on a weekly basis. Be sure to check the website regularly.

This class will require a firm foundation in pre-algebra/algebra 1. If you need additional help please use the link-below for a great math resource. I will periodically post videos and other helpful tidbits of information.

[Khanacademy.org](https://www.khanacademy.org)

Additional Resources