

8th Grade Class Science Syllabus

Students will be responsible for:

- Being prepared for class by bringing text book, science notebook and writing tools.
☺ This will also include any homework or lab tools that they may need when assigned.
- Keeping up their science notebook. It is important that their notebooks are kept up with vocabulary, notes on key concepts, lab results and any quizzes or homework assignments. This notebook will help them be successful on the chapter and unit tests.
- Following school rules so that they and their classmates have the best possible chance for success!

Grading:

- 25%: Homework, Labs, Class Participation
- 25%: Quizzes (1-3 a week..used as a quick check on understanding)
- 50%: Tests/Projects (They will need a tri-fold display board that they can reuse for projects)

*****Extra Credit opportunities will be offered throughout the quarter!! Take Advantage!!**

Things to note in your textbook:

- **Check your reading questions?** (blue text) Throughout the chapters there are “Check Your Reading” question. This is a great way to review and practice for quizzes/texts.
- **Review Questions:** At the end of each **section** and at the end of the each chapter there are review questions. This is also a great way the check your understanding and to review for a test.
- **Classzone.com:** You can use the site “classzone.com” for additional information about the subject or to review information. To access information: find subject, state, and book (Physical Science). You may choose your unit and even chapter for additional information.

If you every have any questions you may call the school at: 892-2011 (usually available before 8:30 or after 2:30) or you may email me at: suej@stmal.pvt.k12.il.us