

**Mr. Sanchez’s 6th Grade Math Class**

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Dear Parents or Guardians,

 It is my pleasure to welcome you and your child to the 2017-18 school year. My name is **Gerardo Sanchez** and I will be your child’s 6th grade math teacher. In this class, your child will learn and be exposed to mathematical concepts that will help him/her relate math to real world problems.

 As parents, you play a major role in helping your child reach his/her full potential. It is important that you are involved in your child’s learning experiences to help him/her succeed in school. I believe that by working together we can both help your child succeed in his/her academics.

 In addition, your child’s grade and homework assignments can be viewed at home on PowerSchool, which is updated constantly. Also, [www.arith-math-tic.weebly.com](http://www.arith-math-tic.weebly.com) is a webpage where you and your child can view the homework for your child’s math class. You and your child are welcome to email me at any time at gsanchez@centurycharter.org if you have any questions and I will try to get back to you as soon as possible. You can also call the school at 310-412-2286 to make an appointment to conference with me.

Queridos padres o tutores,

Es un placer darle la bienvenida a usted y a su hijo al año escolar 2017-18. Mi nombre es **Gerardo** **Sánchez** y soy profesor de matemáticas de 6to grado de su hijo(a). En esta clase, su hijo va a aprender y estar expuestos a conceptos matemáticos que le ayudará a relacionar las matemáticas a problemas del mundo real.

Como padres, ustedes juegan un papel importante en ayudar a su hijo a alcanzar su pleno potencial. Es importante que ustedes estén involucrados en su aprendizaje del su hijo(a) para ayudar a él/ella tener éxito en la escuela. Yo creo que trabajando juntos podemos ayudar a su hijo a tener éxito en sus académicos.

Además, las calificaciones de su hijo(a) y la tarea se pueden ver en la pagina de Powerschool, que se actualiza constantemente. Además, www.arith-math-tic.weebly.com es una página de internet donde ustedes y su hijo(a) pueden ver la tarea de la clase de matemáticas. Usted y su hijo(a) están bienvenidos a enviarme un mensaje de correo electrónico en cualquier momento a gsanchez@centurycharter.org si tienen alguna pregunta y tratare de ponerme en contacto con usted tan pronto como sea posible. También pueden llamar a la escuela al 310-412-2286 y pedir hacer una cita para una conferencia conmigo.

In my classroom, I expect all students to follow my classroom protocols/procedures and have these materials as follows:

**Materials/Materiales**

* 2 college rule composition books
* Pencils
* Black or blue pens
* 2 red pens for correcting
* Markers, crayons, and/or color pencils
* Whiteboard markers
* Individual sharpener
* Glue sticks
* Scissors
* Ruler
* Index cards
* Post it/ sticky notes

**In addition, your child’s grade is based on CCCS’s standard grading scale:**

* **Participation- 10%**
* **Homework- 20%**
* **Activity- 30%**
* **Assessments- 40%**

**Behavior and Classroom Management Plan**

**Room Arrangement:**

* Students will seat in groups of 4-5 students per table.
* Students will have the opportunity and choice to sit wherever they like each day. There will be **NO** assigned seating although I do reserve the right to move students if they do not make the right choice.
* Backpacks will be placed inside the classroom on the backrest of students’ chair.
* All bulletin boards will be covered with butcher paper and trimmed with Math themed borders.
* The Unit Board will be in an easy to see and accessible location.

**Procedures:**

* Students will wait outside the classroom quietly in a single file line facing forward against the wall.
* Door monitor will hold the door open until all students and teacher have entered the room.
* Teacher will greet each student as they come into the classroom and vice versa.
* Students enter room quietly, take out all necessary materials, and place their backpacks on the backrest of their chairs.
* First, Write homework on their Homework Agenda and have it stamped by Agenda Monitor (5 minutes)
* Do Now: Students will work on the day’s Do Now (20 minutes)
* Next, directed lesson time (50 minutes)
* Finally, Independent practice work is the students’ Exit Slip (30 minutes)
* Clean up/get ready to exit (5 minutes)

**Managing Inappropriate Behavior**

 **Students will be issued:**

* A verbal warning and name on the board for their first offense
* Second offense will result in a check after their name on the board and loss of lunch (Silent Lunch)
* A third offense will result in silent lunch, teleparent, and a referral.
* A severe offense will be an automatic teleparent and referral.

Once again, I am really looking forward to working with you and your child this upcoming school year. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate in contacting me through email or by calling the school.

Sincerely,

**Mr. Sanchez**

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I have reviewed the 2017-18 Math class syllabus with my child and I will help my child to the best of my ability to help him/her succeed in class by staying in contact with Mr. Sanchez and making sure my child is always prepared for class.

He revisado el plan de estudios de la clase de matematicas de 2017-18 con mi hijo(a) y ayudaré a mi hijo(a) a lo mejor de mi capacidad a tener éxito en la clase. Estare en contacto con el Sr. Sánchez y me asegurare de que mi hijo(a) este siempre preparado(a) para la clase.

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