**Chemistry with Lab College Prep (A6320) Section 1**

**Mr. Luginsland**

**What will I be learning?:** Chemistry, Chemistry and more Chemistry!!! This course is based off of the PSI-PMI model which introduces rigorous content bolstered by peer based learning and teacher scaffolding.

**How will I be assessed?:** This course will move through different units and for each unit there will be a quiz and a test.

* Quizzes: 35%
* Homework: 30%
* Attendance/Participation 10%
* Projects/Labs/Tests 25%

**Classroom Rules:**

1. Phones: Unless you are asked to use it for research than I shouldn’t see it. I will remove it, if it becomes an issue. You may have your phone charging in the back of the classroom if there are enough outlets available on silent as long as we are not working on a lab.

2. Food and Drink: If we are working with lab substances no **food or drink.** No liquids besides water and food should be in moderation. **If you leave a mess, the class loses food privilege**

3. Groups: For a majority of the course, this course will be all about collaboration and working with each other. I have executive decisions over who works with who.

4. Under ZERO circumstances should any chemicals be removed from the classroom.

5. Have fun, be kind, and let’s learn some chemistry!

**Late Work**: Assignments will have due dates, I expect assignments to be turned in when they are due. **If you miss a due date you have 1 school day to turn in the assignment without penalty**. If an assignment is turned in after one day it will be graded as a 50%. If an assignment is not turned in within 5 school days of the due date, it will be counted as a zero.

**Google Classroom**: **Your access code is: ly04se .** I will be posting the presentations and helpful materials online. I will also keep a calendar of assessment days.

**Curriculum:**  All the resources and units can be found at this website <https://njctl.org/classroom/classrooms/IBK4KO/> it goes in order of the content we will be covering.

**Retakes:** Your grade is comprised mostly of assessments. If you do poorly on an assessment and you wish to retake it, you may.  You will receive a survey at the end of each quiz and test during the first two marking periods. This survey will ask you if you would like a retake and what skills you would like to retake. The third and fourth marking period, I will expect you to become more accountable for your grades.

**Extra Help:**  If you find yourself struggling with the course and you need extra help, it can be arranged via email or in person! I will check in periodically if I see struggling, but you should definitely come see me if you need help!

Here is to an amazing sophomore year!

-Mr. Luginsland

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