



Science Ms. Luft



Course Requirements: To make sure you earn the best grade, the following is asked of you.

- Complete assignments according to the directions and by the due date.
- Participate in class discussions, cooperative learning activities, and ask appropriate questions about the lessons and activities.
- Maintain an organized notebook.
- Study and prepare for all tests and quizzes.

Classroom Rules: These rules must be followed by all students. Breaking any rule will not be tolerated.

1. Arrive on time to class.
2. When the teacher is speaking you should stop.
3. Raise your hand and wait to be recognized to ask or answer any questions.
4. Follow all directions given by the teacher.
5. Be courteous and respectful to others and their property.

Consequences: If any of the above rules are broken the following consequences will be handed out.

1. Warning
2. Phone Call Home
3. Time Out
4. Detention
5. Referral (Some actions may warrant an immediate referral)

Classroom Materials: The following is a suggested list of materials that will help you succeed in this class.

- one subject college ruled spiral 8.5" x 11" (preferably 5 Star brand)
- colored pencils
- pens/pencils
- loose leaf paper
- mini stapler



Teacher Communication and Classroom Information:

Email is the best method of contact: jamie.luft@browardschools.com

My class website has information about assignments and what to expect throughout the year. My web address is

www.myteacherpages.com/webpages/luft

Please take the business card attached to this letter to keep as a reference.

See reverse side for lab safety contract

Safety in Science

Student Laboratory Contract

I have been instructed in the necessary safety procedures required in this course.

I, _____ agree to abide by the following guidelines:

1. Safety apparel will be worn when specified by the instructor.
2. Long or loose hair will be tied back. Excessively loose clothing or jewelry will not be worn.
3. All safety rules and regulations will be followed.
4. There will be no drinking or eating in the laboratory.
5. Experiments will be done in the specified order with the prescribed quantities of chemicals.
6. Only the chemicals specified by the teacher will be used. No unauthorized experimentation will be done.
7. The proper use of safety equipment and correct evacuation procedures will be followed.
8. Wash hands thoroughly before beginning and after completing an experiment.
9. Contact lenses will not be worn during specified experiments.
10. Horseplay or other inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated during laboratory experiments.
11. Never taste chemicals or smell them directly.
12. Never pick up broken glass with bare hands.
13. Report all accidents, no matter how minor, to the teacher.
14. Never work without teacher supervision in the lab.
15. Do not remove any chemicals or equipment from the lab without the teacher's permission.

Failure to follow these guidelines may result in reduction in grade, disciplinary action, and/or exclusion from laboratory activities.

Student Signature _____

Parent Signature _____

date: _____

See reverse side for information about Ms. Luft's class.