Welcome to...

AP Statistics

Mr. McLaughlin
Period 6

CLASSROOM RULES

"This classroom is a community of active learners"

1) Follow directions

2) Be seated, prepared, and ready to learn when class begins

3) Be respectful of the class, classroom, and classmates

4) No food, drink (water), or distracting electronic devices in class
Attendance

Be here on time and ready to learn

* Absent vs. Tardy
* Tardy Policy #1
* +10 Absences = No Credit
* Making up work - Excused vs Unexcused

Overall Grades

* Grades are updated every Monday
* Every 3rd Monday a progress report goes home
* A, B, C... grade scale is in syllabus
* Some "AP grading" will occur, especially on tests
Materials
Notebook/Binder  Graph Paper  Graphing Calc

Copying
Don't Do It!!
-any graded item involved in copying will earn a "zero" grade

Extra Help
- classmates
- ½ hour before school, ½ hour after school, during advisory
- Math Lab
- website and email

Advocate for Yourself !!

Miscellaneous Things To Know....
Pen or pencil?
Heading on papers?
Pass Procedure
No sitting on desks please.
Garbage/Recycle
Class Books
Turn-in Bins and counter
HomeworkBoard (Timetracker)
Dress Code
My desk
Excellent Hearing
Windows
Fire Safety
Knowing you will be absent
Life Priority List

1) Family
2) Teaching
3) Golf
4) Health
5)...

Chapter 1 - Stats Starts Here

What is/are statistics?

"Statistics is the art of distilling meaning from data"

Our objective throughout most of this course will be to uncover that story

"Almost half of all sick days are taken on a Monday or Friday"

What do you think of the data collected today?

This is not a course of study about examples, definitions, algorithms and "right answers"

Our objective is that you leave this course being a better mathematical thinker
Assignment (Due Wednesday 9/5)

1) Read Chapter 1, Pg. 2-6

2) Make 3 observations about the class data

3) Book, Calculator, Graph Paper

4) Syllabus Signed (by Tuesday 9/11)