WELCOME! SEPTEMBER 2, 2016

# Healy Gifted Middle

# **Classroom Expectations**

# **General Information**

The mission of the gifted program is to provide highly-able students with both a rigorous accelerated program and integrated arts that supports diversity in learning styles and individual responsibility.

**Gifted** Membership is reconfirmed on a yearly basis through a student's excellence in grades, attendance, and behavior.

**Code of Conduct** Students are expected to abide by the rules outlined in the code of conduct book and in individual classrooms. Refer to the parent-school contract for updated information. Students are to be in uniform everyday and have their ID's.

**Late Work** All late work will receive 60% and be accepted at the teacher's discretion. Additional time is given for excused absences only. All grades can be accessed through the Parent Portal.

**Please Help** With your help, we can make this year a greater success. School begins at 7:45 A.M. Each child is expected to be in the classroom at this time.

**Email** your teacher for opportunities to volunteer on field trips and to help with the Healy Stars.

**Before/After School Help** All students must have a permission slip to stay after school. Verbal permission is never accepted.

## **Community Service**

Grade 7: 20 hours Grade 8: 40 hours

## **Grading Scale**

A 90-100

B 80-89

C 70-79

D 60-69

F Below 60

#### **Categories**

Tests 40% Classwork 30% Quizzes 20% Homework 10%



# Language Arts

- •Read 30 minutes each night. •Read in the lexile range.
- •Access
  newsela.com,
  www.pearson.com,
  and thinkCerca.com

#### Math

- Access GoMath
- Access

ThinkThroughMath

•Participate in competitions after school and on weekends.

#### Science

- •Keep an organized notebook for ongoing labs and assignments.
- •Science Fair due 11/4/16.

## **Social Studies**

•Constitution tests are held in December •History Fair due 1/23/17.

Research is done in all classes.

High School Applications are due November 21, 2016



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