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# Daily Schedule

- ❖ copy down homework
- ❖ 60 second A Quiet Moment
- ❖ warm-up/bellwork
- ❖ Correct and go over any questions from the previous night's homework
- ❖ daily lesson/practice
- ❖ work on homework assignment, if time permits



# Homework

- ❖ assigned Monday through Friday
- ❖ should take no more than 30-45 minutes
- ❖ worth 5 points when COMPLETE (showing work in their notebook and in pencil)
- ❖ homework grades are 5/5 if completed; not how they actually performed on the assignment
- ❖ review/reinforce the day's lesson
- ❖ NOT accepted if late (unless absent)
- ❖ HW Excuse Notes
- ❖ **LOOK AT PARENT CONNECT (Q) OFTEN**



# Extra Credit

- ❖ offered every Monday; due Friday of the same week (not accepted late)
- ❖ may work on it with others
- ❖ worth 5 points in homework category
- ❖ up to 20 points/quarter so as not to inflate grade
- ❖ not intended to raise grade
- ❖ used as enhancement and enrichment
- ❖ back up plan for a missed hw assignment



# Curriculum

- Big Ideas Math published by Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.
- Textbook remains home through June
- Chromebook has ebook for class use
- Need their Record and Practice Journal (RPJ) daily
- Additional practice found online @ BigIdeas.com
- The night before an assessment, they should practice some of the odds from the sections and check their answers in the back of the book; in addition, the hw will be review



# Student Progress

- ❖ Q/Parent Connect is most effective way to monitor your student
- ❖ quizzes/tests grades are updated weekly (or sooner)
- ❖ homework & classwork is updated DAILY
- ❖ pin & password same as last year
- ❖ if you don't have one, bring your ID to the office any day between 8am and 4pm
- ❖ If a student does poorly on a BIM online hw assignment, I will note that in the comments (although they have 3 chances to get it correct)



# Attendance

- ❖ studies have shown a direct correlation between attendance and success
- ❖ success in Math class is absolutely related to regular attendance
- ❖ each day is spent learning, practicing or reinforcing a new concept
- ❖ this can't be learned if your student is not here – but of course, stay home if sick
- ❖ try to keep trips to scheduled days off
- ❖ poor attendance can negatively impact your student's grade due to missed instruction and a lack of class participation



# Availability to Students

- ❖ I'm here every day by 8 am if your student needs help from the previous day
- ❖ Previous grade level standards can be practiced on IXL (accessed through Classlink) or on Khan Academy (free)





# A Million Words or Less.....

- ❖ Thanks for sharing your child through your eyes if you have already done so(liked the pics)
- ❖ I will read every one
- ❖ I'll email a quick, "Thanks for writing," so you know I received it
- ❖ I will reread them periodically
- ❖ Deadline is next Friday, 9/8



**In a Million Words or Less, tell me about your scholar! – Due Friday, 9/8**

**Yes, you are getting a homework assignment (NOT for extra credit)! The reason behind it is that it takes me a great deal of time to know your child. Some we never really know. This activity gives you a chance to tell me what you think I should know about your scholar. I will read every one of them. So, In a Million Words or Less....., tell me about your scholar. Please send your response on another piece of paper or if you prefer, you may e-mail me *In a Million Words or Less* to [rbelvedere@pvdsd.k12.ca.us](mailto:rbelvedere@pvdsd.k12.ca.us). In the "Subject" please write your student's name and period I have him or her in my class. Take your time with this, but there must be a deadline. Please return this to me no later than Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup>.**



# Category Weights & Grading Scale

<b>Tests/Quizzes</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>50%</b>
<b>Classwork</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>40%</b>
<b>Homework</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>10%</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>100%</b>

<b>90-100%</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>A</b>
<b>80-89%</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>B</b>
<b>70-79%</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>C</b>
<b>60-69%</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>59% &amp; below</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>F</b>



# Thanks for coming

If you have any additional concerns or questions I did not address tonight, or specific concerns for your child, please contact me via email for the quickest response.

