

# Math 8 Plus Information and Expectations

Math 8 Plus is a 10 week course that is an extension of the 8<sup>th</sup> grade CMP3 curriculum. This class runs from January 29, 2018 through March 29, 2018.

## Classroom Expectations (the 5P's)

- Be prompt (3 tardies = detention)
- Be prepared
- Be productive
- Be polite
- Be patient

## Grading Scale

Homework 30%

Quizzes 30%

Tests and Projects 40%

## Homework

- Expect daily homework assignments (about 20 minutes) in addition to your core math class
- To receive full credit (2 points) homework must be properly formatted and all work must be shown
- Stay on top of your assignments and class announcements by utilizing:
  - Your planner - it is the student's responsibility to fill this out daily
  - The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Calendar
  - Remind - text messages about tests, quizzes and homework
  - Family Access - check regularly to stay on top of current grades and missing work

## Remind

- Parents and students can sign up for remind! You can sign up to receive notifications by text messaging, email or push notifications.

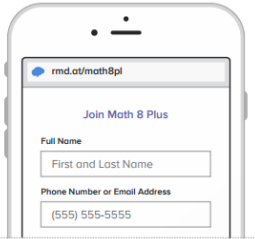
Pick a way to receive messages for Math 8 Plus:

**A** If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

On your iPhone or Android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link:

[rmd.at/math8pl](http://rmd.at/math8pl)

Follow the instructions to sign up for Remind. You'll be prompted to download the mobile app.

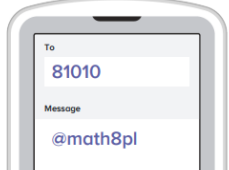


**B** If you don't have a smartphone, get text notifications.

Text the message @math8pl to the number 81010.

If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting @math8pl to (508) 859-4216.

\* Standard text message rates apply.



## Missing and Absent Work

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- Late assignments will be accepted for half credit any time before the unit test - this must be turned in outside of class time (before/after school or during lunch)
- For each day a student is absent, he/she will have two days to make-up the missing work.
- It is the student's responsibility to gather all of the missed material. The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Calendar is an excellent resource to stay up-to-date during an absence.

## Assessments

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- "Check Ups" or quizzes will be given throughout the unit to check for understanding
- Each unit includes a unit test and project

## Useful resources

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- Ms. Stein's Blog - <http://norupstein.weebly.com/>
- CMP3 Homework Support - <https://connectedmath.msu.edu/families/homework-support/>
- Khan Academy for tutorials - <https://www.khanacademy.org/>

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