Keys to Success for Math

Be an Active Participant!
» Use your class time wisely!
» Actively engage in all discussions and activities.
» Take notes every class period.
» Review your notes at night (when needed).
» Ask specific questions!
» Contribute your ideas during class discussions and group work.
» Be a team player by helping your classmates!

Homework
» Homework is typically assigned daily.
» Show ALL work for solving problems.
» It is YOUR responsibility to GRADE and CORRECT your homework.
» Answer keys are posted on my website.
» Homework grades will be earned via regularly scheduled homework quizzes.

What If I Am Absent?
» Check your file cabinet classroom folder for all notes and papers missed while you were absent.
» Check the homework calendar for the assignments you need to make up.
» Per school policy, you have 2 days for every day absent to make up work.
» Remember, it is YOUR responsibility to learn the concepts we discussed during your absence. Ask for help if you need.

Ask for Help!
» Come to weekly office hours on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7:30am or make an appointment.
» Ask specific questions during class.
» Use your Test Analysis Sheet to identify concepts you need to practice.
» Use the Reteaching Worksheets on the class website.
» Work together with your classmates.

Homework Quizzes
» You will use your homework to complete these quizzes.
» Scores are based on showing all work as well as correct answers.
» The lowest homework quiz grade will be dropped each trimester.

Test Corrections
» Please keep all tests for the entire trimester.
» Complete for EVERY test and quiz to ensure you learn from your mistakes.
» You may turn in test corrections 3 times during each trimester for credit. Choose wisely!
» Due within one week of a test being returned. Corrections will not be accepted late.
» Follow the guidelines/examples provided to complete the test corrections. You can earn up to half the points back that you originally lost.
» Test retakes will not be offered.

Math requires Perseverance and a willingness to Take Risks and Make Mistakes

"The only real mistake is the one from which we learn nothing."
~ John Powell