**Murphey Middle School**

**7th Grade** 

**Life Science**

**Course Syllabus**

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**Course Description:**

**In 7th grade science, all students will be provided an overview of common strands in life science including, but not limited to, diversity of living organisms, structure and function of cells, heredity, ecosystems, and biological evolution. Seventh grade students keep records of their observations, use those records to analyze the data they collect, recognize patterns in the data, use simple charts and graphs to represent the relationships they see, and find more than one way to interpret their findings.**

Classroom Expectations:

* Come to class **PREPARED**.
* Turn OFF and PUT AWAY cellular devices.
* NEVER GIVE UP.
* **BE RESPECTFUL**.
* RAISE YOUR HAND.
* LISTEN & FOLLOW DIRECTIONS.
* ALWAYS DO YOUR BEST.
* No eating

**Grading**

**Minor Grades =** 60%

Examples include

* Quizzes
* Labs
* and other graded assignments Used for Assessment purposes.

**Major Grades = 40%**

Examples include:

* unit tests
* research papers
* project-based assignments
* and other culminating assessments to measure mastery of standards that comprise a unit of study.

**Supply List**

* **Wide ruled paper**
* **(1) 1’’ 3 ring binder**
* **1 pack of dividers**
* **(2) Composition Notebooks**
* **Pencils**
* **Pens**
* **Colored Pencils**
* **Scissors**
* **Glue stick**
* **Highlighters**
* **Markers**
* **Assigned Laptops (needed in class EVERYDAY)**

**Late Work**

**Any student work turned in late (other than with an excused absence) will be reduced by one letter grade for each class it is late. Late work will only be accepted during the quarter in which it was assigned.**

**Make–Up Work**

**Make up work is allowed and open for a (1 week) grace period. Students will refer to the “Ketchup Station” in the classroom to retrieve any missing assignment. It is the child’s responsibility to inquire about any missing assignments. Once the 1 week grace period is up, the child’s grade will reflect.**

**Grade Recovery**

**Students who are in need of grade recovery, will be assigned to a course via Edgenuity/Blended learning. Students can assess Blended Learning through their launchpad. Students are normally assigned to a course during “Progress report” time. If a parent requests for their child to be enrolled in a course, feel free to email, text, and or call.**