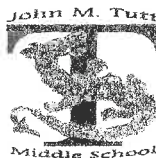


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## **From the Desk of Mr. Marchant 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Science/Social Studies Course Syllabus 2022-2023**

Dear 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students and Parents:

Welcome to the 2022-2023 school year! At Tutt Middle School, we are excited and ready to help you on your Middle School Journey. My name is Mr. Marchant and I will be teaching 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Science and Social Studies. I have been in the school system 28 years, some of those years I have taught and some I have been an administrator.

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Science students will be given an overview of common strands in Earth Science. This will include meteorology, geology, astronomy, and oceanography. Students will conduct experiments, build models, analyze research, and construct explanations based on evidence.

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies will learn about Europe, Latin America, Canada, and Australia. Throughout the year, we will learn about the geography, history, government, and economy of these countries and how these effect the United States. One of our goals this year for our 6<sup>th</sup> Graders will be to examine these themes and explain how we can become better citizens and a member of our global community.

### **Textbooks:**

Science: Earth and Space Science by McGraw Hill

Social Studies: World Studies for Georgia Students by Clairmont Press

### **Unit/Concept Names:**

Science: Think Like a Scientist, Earth's Changing Landscape, Water in the Earth's Processes, Climate and Weather, Solar System and Beyond, Earth-Sun-Moon, and Human Impact

Social Studies: Think Like a Historian, Europe, Australia, Latin America, Canada, and Planning Your Financial Future

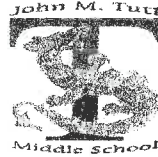
### **Assessments/Grading Policy:**

**(60%) Minor Grades include quizzes, class work, labs, etc...**

**(40%) Major Grades include Unit and Chapter Tests, Projects, and Major Tasks**

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## **Classroom Expectations:**

1. Students are expected to be **ready** to learn when they come to class. This means being on time, prepared with materials and assignments.
2. Students are expected to be **respectful** of other students, all adults, and their environment.
3. Students are expected to be **responsible** for their own actions, attitudes, and behavior.

\*\*\*Students are expected to follow the classroom and school behavioral guidelines. In the event that disciplinary action is administered, the discipline policy outlined in the Student Handbook will be followed.

## **Consequences:**

1. Verbal Warning
2. Parent Contact
3. Silent Lunch
4. Guidance Referral
5. Detention
6. Office Referral

## **Course Materials:**

Students will receive a copy of the 6<sup>th</sup> grade supply list which can also be found in Canvass and on the Teacher Webpage.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please feel free to email me. I can be reached at [MarchWa@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us](mailto:MarchWa@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us).

Looking forward to a great year!

Mr. Marchant

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Science and Social Studies

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I have read the classroom agenda set forth by Mr. Marchant and understand how the science and/social studies class is to be conducted.

Student (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent contact (cell and email): \_\_\_\_\_

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Remind

## Sign up for important updates from W. Marchant.

Get information for Tutt Middle School right on your phone—not on handouts.

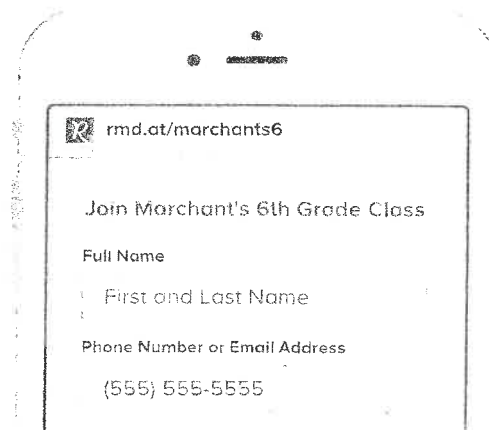
Pick a way to receive messages for Marchant's 6th Grade Class:

**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/marchants6](http://rmd.at/marchants6)

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 [@marchants6](mailto:@marchants6) to the number 81010.

If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting [@marchants6](mailto:@marchants6) to (563) 265-6842.

*Standard text message rates apply*



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