



Welcome to Sixth Grade!

(Love Enthusiasm Appreciation Prayer)

Mrs. Turvey St. Ignatius School 2008-09

By the end of the year, you will be able to:

- Develop a system that allows you to stay organized as you change classes
(FROG folder: Fully Responsible Organized Growing Students)
- Develop a system that allows you to turn work in on time that represents your best effort
- Treat classmates respectfully, accept differences, and work cooperatively to develop class and school spirit

Guidelines for Success:

ShaRe

ListEn

Sense of humor

Pay attention

Enjoy

Courtesy

ParTicipate

Classroom Rules

1. Arrive on time with all of your materials.
2. Remain silent while the teacher or a classmate is talking.
3. Remain in seat unless given permission to move.
4. Keep hands, feet, objects to yourself
5. Talk respectfully—no putdowns, interruptions, or arguing.

Possible Consequences for Classroom Rule Violations

Seating change

Verbal reminder

Time owed during break

Parental contact

Basic Materials Needed Every Day

1. All papers should be hole-punched and placed on rings in the binder.
2. Set up dividers in your binder according to your class schedule subjects. Save and organize all handouts and papers behind these dividers.
3. You will need these basic supplies: college-ruled white notebook paper, a blue or black pen, a red correcting pen, highlighter, **FROG** folder, planner, and the
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other items on your supply list as needed. Assignments on torn-out spiral notebook paper are not accepted.

4. It is important to take your FROG folder with you to each class every day. You should put in it any homework assignments that need to be completed, handouts, or notes for home. Bring it back to school the next day with the completed work.
5. Use this heading for all assignments:

- **Right side of paper:** First and last name
Date
Subject
- **Left side of paper:** Assignment title or page number

Papers with no headings will lose 10%.

Classroom Procedures

Grades

Your grade will be calculated on a straight percentage scale, based on the total number of points possible. About 50% of the points will be from homework and classwork assignments, 20% from tests, and 30% from writing assignments.

Grading scale:

A+ 100%	B+ 94%	C+ 83%	D+73%
A 96%-99%	B 85%-93%	C 75%-82%	D 65%-72%
A- 95%	B- 84%	C- 74%	D- 64%
		F < 64%	

Entering the Classroom/Turning in Work

1. Place homework in upper right hand corner of your desk.
2. I will come around and collect your homework. A paper is late if it is not handed in **at the time that I call for it, including papers that may need to be printed.**
3. Late work receives a 10% grade reduction and may be turned in up to one week late. Late work will not be accepted after one week.
4. It is **your** responsibility to find out what you missed when you are absent. Time to make up work is equal to the length of the absence. (For example, if you are absent on Monday and Tuesday, you have until Friday to turn work in.)
5. Assignments (not including late work) earning less than 90% may be corrected and earn up to 89%. Corrections must be completed within one week upon return of the graded assignment.

Ending class

1. I dismiss the class, not the clock.
2. We will have a special prayer and review assignments at the end of the day.



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