

Life Essentials

Course Syllabus 2021-2022

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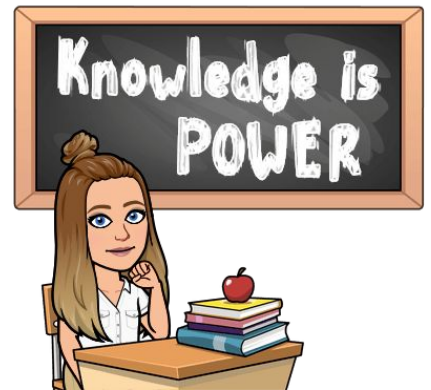
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Welcome!

I welcome you to Morton Middle's Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) Life Essentials class! Life Essentials is offered as a semester long course within the Career and Technical Education Program (CTE). Upon successful completion, you will earn a percentage grade.

In this course, you will

- Analyze Personal and Human Development as it relates to your stage of life.
- Develop an understanding of various topics of importance within Family Studies.
- Create nutritious, palatable foods based on principles of food production.
- Familiarize yourself with areas of Consumer Management as you prepare for increased independence.



Assignments & Grading

60%

Summative Assessments

40%

Formative Assessments

Formative assessments include, however are not limited to, in-class participation with discussion, independent and small group assignments. Summative assessments include a variety of both written and task-based evaluations which will be graded based on student mastery of skills, concepts, and content standards.

What we'll Accomplish

This should prove to be a wonderful semester as you actually get to prepare foods with your classmates and learn lots of information that will be helpful to you throughout your life. My passion for teaching this class is based on the belief that this subject teaches life skills that you will use for the rest of your life, as you become self-sufficient and responsible adults.

I look forward to a wonderful, successful year with each and every one of you!

Expectations

Be respectful.

Be responsible.

Be successful.



POLICIES

LATE/MAKE-UP WORK

The expectation is that you submit all assignments on time. Late work will be accepted however, it is your responsible to request extra time providing a valid excuse. You are encouraged to make-up ALL work in the event of an absence. Choosing to not do so will result in a zero for the assignment and/or assessment. Email Ms. Everly or see Canvas to obtain missing work.

ACADEMIC SUCCESS

Attendance

Attendance is taken each class period. In person attendance is highly encouraged.

Classwork

Daily assignments and activities will be posted on Canvas before each class period. Each assignment will have a date it should be completed and turned in by. Periodically we will complete partner and group work. I expect that partner/group work is a collaborative effort and that you do your part in a timely manner. Students who have an F in this class will not be allowed to participate in food labs until they have risen their grade.

Materials

Please bring Chromebook or laptop to class each day with a full battery upon arriving school. While this class is very hands-on activity based, we will use our devices for bell ringers and assignments.