



USD 232

HONORS TO GRADE LEVEL COURSE COMPARISON

	Honors Integrated Math 1	Integrated Math 1
Summer Homework	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Required at Mill Valley 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None
Homework	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will have homework daily. Projects incorporated more frequently. These are often completed outside of class time. The projects relate math to applicable "real world" experiences. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will have homework daily. One to two projects per year assigned and some class time is given to complete them.
Rigor of Math Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We use Big Ideas Integrated Math 1 by Ron Larson and Laurie Boswell as our curriculum resource. Algebra 1, Geometry, Matrices, and some Algebra 2 concepts are covered. The content is occasionally supplemented with subjects and topics beyond those included in the textbook. Students in this course have the opportunity to take various AP courses, such as AP Calculus, their senior year. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We use Big Ideas Integrated Math 1 by Ron Larson and Laurie Boswell as our curriculum resource. Algebra 1, Geometry, Statistics and some Algebra 2 concepts are covered. Students in this course may not reach AP Calculus by their senior year. (Students would need to move to Honors Math 2 by 10th grade.)
Classroom Expectations & Grading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 80% assessments, 20% homework checks & homework completion 2 retakes per semester on tests. Unlimited retakes on daily quizzes. Semester grades are partially weighted. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 70% assessments, 20% homework checks, 10% homework completion Retakes are allowed on tests (options limited to 1-2 per semester) and daily quizzes. Semester grades are not weighted.
Benefits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Focus on preparing the student for college & career readiness. The course will give acute attention to mathematical detail, which will prepare students for subsequent higher level math courses. This course receives a .5 weighting towards the student's weighted GPA. Colleges look for Honors/rigorous courses on transcript. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Focus on preparing the student for college & career readiness. Preparation for Integrated Math 2 & Integrated Math 3. Provides a smooth transition into high school courses.