# Ag Mechanics
# 2024-25
**Syllabus**

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**Course Description:**
Ag Mechanics is a second level ag class in which students will begin to learn skills such as woodworking, power tools, welding, metal working, and project management. Since this is primarily a shop class, proper PPE (personal protection equipment) must be worn at all times in the ag shop.

**Classroom Rules and Expectations/Discipline Policy:**
1. Be on time to class.
2. Tardiness is not tolerated
3. Bring chromebooks, composition book, and pencils or pens to class each day
4. No cellphones
    a. They will be placed in calculator holder on the door and returned at the end of class
5. Absolutely no tobacco or drug use!!!!
6. Safety glasses must be worn at all times in the ag shop
7. No Horseplay in the classroom or the shop
8. Work Hard

. This is a class where you can literally make something and learn skills to use later in life.

**Grading Policy:**
1. 90-100 A
2. 80-89 B
3. 70- 79 C
4. 60-69 D
5. 59 and below F

**Make-up Work Policy:**
All students will have the opportunity to make up work missed while absent, however a student is responsible for asking me for the makeup work.

**Cheating:**
1. First attempt zero on the assignment.
2. Second attempt office referral.

**Instructional Materials:**

I will make instructional materials available for review within 10 days of a written parental request.

## Classroom Supply List:

- 1 three ring binder
- Closed toed shoes on days we are going to the shop

## Major Assignments and Field Trips (if applicable):

During the semester, we will have various shop projects. All students will have time in class to complete and turn in assigned projects.

## Standards/Topics Covered & Course Calendar:

- Occupational Awareness & Safety
- Project Management
- Skills
- Engine and Motor Mechanics
- Navigation and Surveying
- Irrigation
- Ag Structures
- Ag Metal Working

## Online Instructions & Etiquette

- Pay attention to deadlines
- Do assigned work each week by the deadline
- Be respectful of teachers as well as other students
- Ask questions via email to the teacher or comment on assignments.
- Turn in assignments on the due date or before to ensure full credit.

I have read and understand the rules and expectations of Mr. Dodge's Ag Mechanics class. I realize that due to the hybrid nature of this ag class and my child's voice or image may be recorded and used for online instruction.

**Student Signature:** _____ **Date:** _____

**Parent/Guardian Signature:** _____ **Date:** _____