

Innovation Academy

Curriculum Night **Mr. Cardwell**

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About me

- 2nd year at IA
- Graduated from Kennesaw State, B.S.Ed. in Secondary Mathematics
- Math tutor for 3 years before classroom teaching
- Fun facts:
 - I've run four marathons and hope to run an ultramarathon soon
 - I love music/concerts!

What is Research?

- Students will investigate a topic of their choice
- Year-long project, outcomes are different depending on what a student chooses
- Space for students to explore their passions, especially if it's outside the regular curriculum



Grading

- Major Assessments (Tests) - 55%
 - Students who score below a 75 on major assessments should plan to take the recovery test.
- Minor Assessments (Quizzes) - 35%
 - Students will have the opportunity to recover a minor below a 75 by performing better on the major for that unit.
- Practice (HW) - 10%
 - Graded based on completion.
 - Weekly collection of homework

Expectations

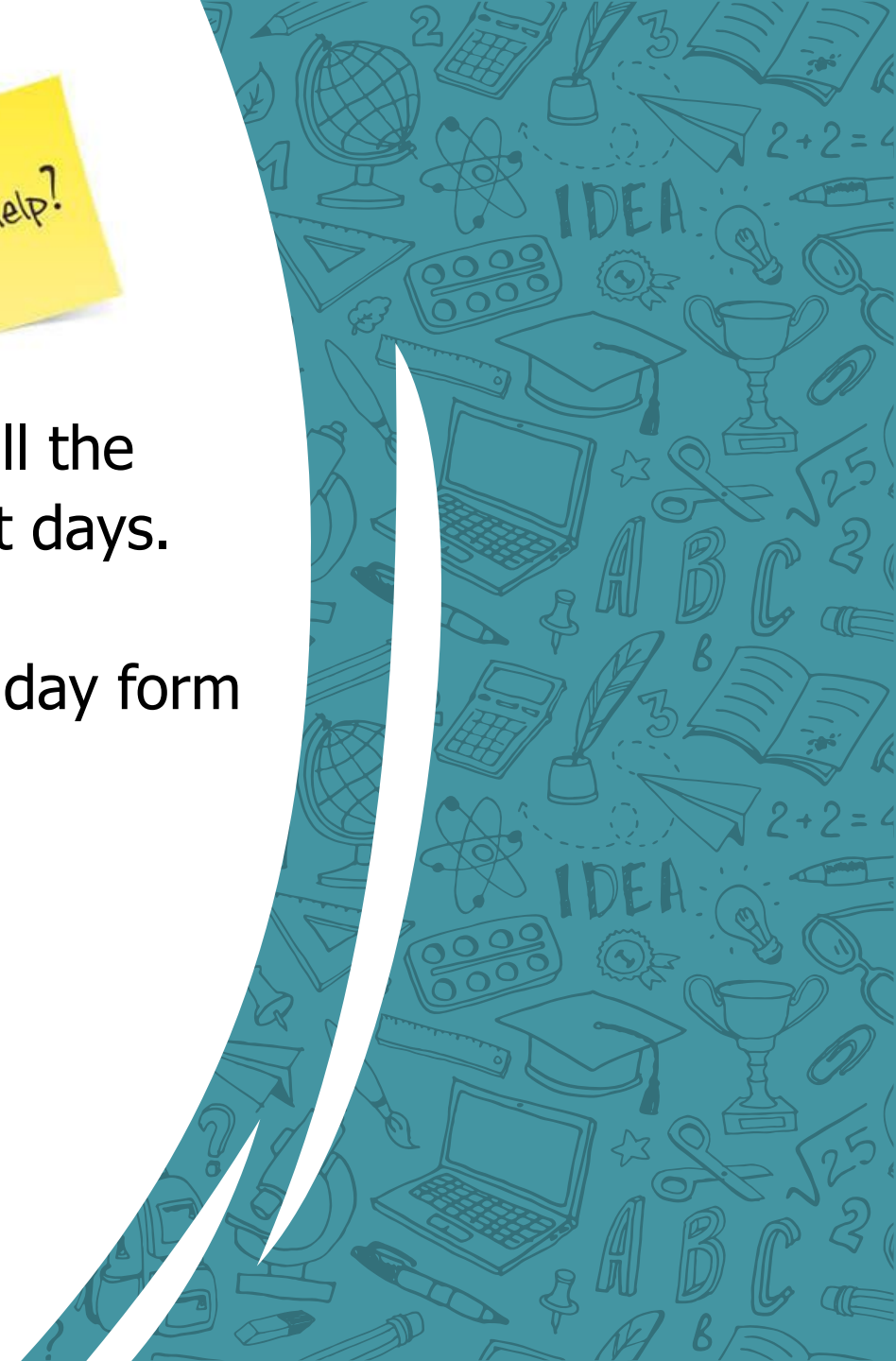
- Actively participate in class
- Collaborate
- Do the work (practice is necessary for success!)
- Ask questions
- Think critically
- Have fun 😊



Support



- Help Sessions Before School
 - I am available most mornings after 8:15 am till the beginning of 1st period, including quiz and test days.
- Flex Fridays
 - Students should select tutoring on the Flex Friday form
 - 8:55 am – 9:25 am
 - 9:30 am – 10:00 am



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