

WELCOME TO

Curriculum Night

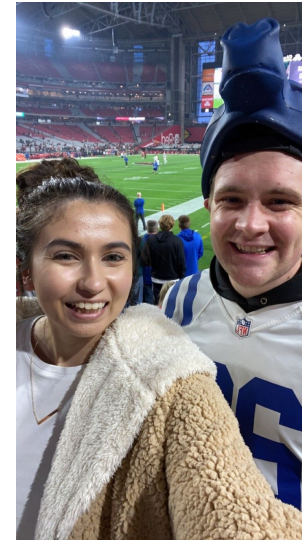
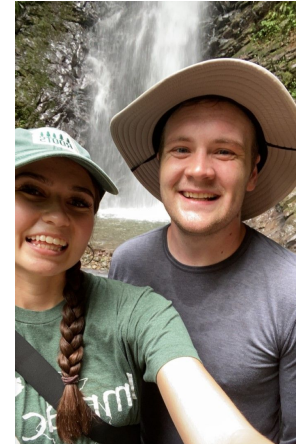
WITH

Mrs. Gissel



Mrs. Gissel

- Graduated from Central College in Pella, IA
- 2nd Year at Santan
 - Previously taught 4th and 7th grade in IA
 - 5th Grade at Legacy
- I love paddleboarding, hiking, axe-throwing, traveling and singing



5th Hour Only

Mrs. Perez

- **Attended the University of Arizona and Arizona State University**
- **15th Year at Santan and 17th in CUSD**
 - **Taught 7th and 8th grade Math and Strategies.**
 - **Was the Dean of Students at Chief Hill Academy**
- **I enjoy watching my kids play softball and baseball, watching the Dodgers, fishing, and traveling**



TUTORING

- Wednesdays @ lunch 3A
- Wednesday mornings @ 8:15
- Thursday mornings with Mrs. Ivanov (Math Interventionist)
- **Homework Hub:** Tuesday/Thursday after school in media center

“Student responsibility breeds SUCCESS!”

Making mistakes and problem-solving facilitates learning. We (parents AND teachers) are here to support and teach students along the way, but ultimately, they are responsible for their own academic success. We encourage students to self-advocate and speak up when they need help or clarification.

INFINITE CAMPUS

- Please check grades on a regular basis
- We believe it is a very accurate way to communicate your child's progress

ABSENT WORK

- Work is posted **DAILY** in **Google Classroom**
- It is another way to monitor your child's progress and check what they have for homework



Quarter 1 Week 1



Thursday, July 20 Team-Building/Procedure...

Posted Yesterday



Wednesday, July 19 First Day of School!

Edited Yesterday





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In-Class:

- Made a name tent
- First Day Slides
- Watched the video attached below and reflected
- Filled out the "Math About Me" page attached below

Homework:

- I Wish My Teacher Knew... (**Just tell me a few things you wish I knew about you- school related or not. Due Friday**)



Take a Seat, Make a Friend...

YouTube video • 4 minutes



Beginning of the Year Math...

PDF

[View material](#)

LATE WORK

- Please be patient- I try my best to get late work graded as soon as possible but it will be the last on my list
- Will be marked with a “M” until it is turned in
- Late work policy- will be accepted for late (half) credit until the quiz is taken; afterwards not accepted.

GRADES

- 80% Assessments
- 20% Homework
- **Semester Grade:** 45% Qtr 1 / 45%
Qtr 2 / 10% Final Exam

Standards Overview

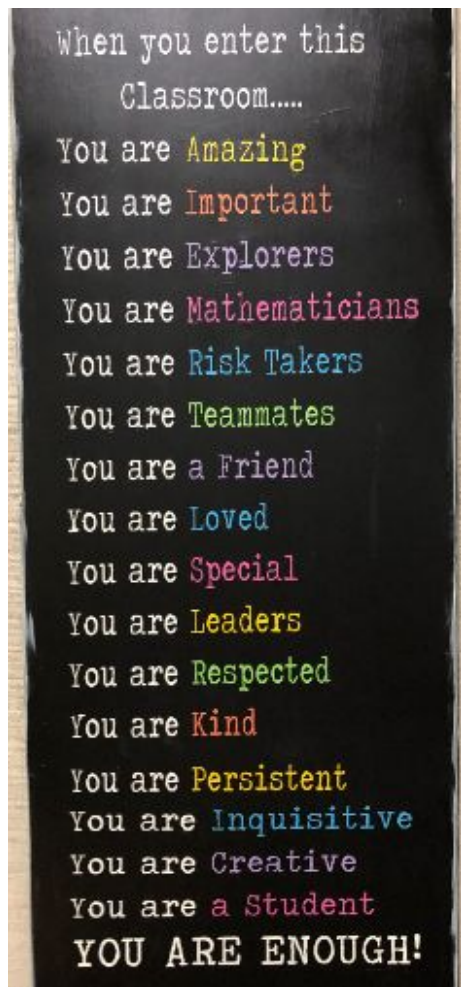
Pre-Algebra

1st Semester:

- Two Way Tables
- Real Numbers
- Expressions and Equations
- Square and Square Roots
- Pythagorean Theorem
- Volume
- Transformations

2nd Semester:

- Rate of Change
- Linear Equations
- Systems of Equations
- Functions
- Exponents
- Scientific Notation
- Probability



MATH NORMS

- Homework given Monday thru Friday.
- Students MUST have their assigned calculators & whiteboard markers
- **Typical Day:**
 - Agenda/Warm-up and discuss HW
 - Lesson/Activity-Differentiated Instruction
 - Time to start Homework/ Exit Ticket
- Productive struggle will happen 😊 PLEASE don't rescue!
- Mistakes afford opportunities to examine errors in reasoning.

“Failure is the opportunity to begin again more intelligently.” Henry Ford



MATH NORMS



- Quiz Corrections are an expectation whenever mistakes occur.

We MUST Reflect on our work!

- If absent for an assessment, students will need to take the assessment before school or Wednesday Lunch – NOT during class
- ALL ASSIGNMENTS are in Google Classroom

Remind 101

Send a text to **81010**

Text the message for your child's class period

1st Hour: @1sthourgi

2nd Hour: @2ndhourgis

Storm Hour: @gissels

4th Hour: @4thhourgis

5th Hour: @5thhourgis

QUESTIONS?

thanks for coming!