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Teaching Philosophy:

- Prepare students to be ready for the expectations of college and career.
- Teach students organizational skills using the mathematics curriculum
- Give students the skills and confidence to look at a problem and determine the steps necessary to solving the problem.
- I will use math to help students understand that, no matter what they decide to do in life, the analytical and problem solving skills developed in math will transpose to any field of study.

Behavior and Expectations in the Classroom:

- *When parents and teachers communicate frequently, students perform better in the classroom. This year I will use text messaging when:*
 1. Students are falling behind in their work
 2. Students are not performing well
 3. Students are disruptive, not focused, using phones in class, chronic absenteeism, or behaving inappropriately.
- It is also expected that every student have a small **one inch D Ring binder** to keep their notes, homework, quizzes and other papers distributed in class.

Grading:

***Assessments (60%):** There will be approximately five assessments each quarter. (Approximately one every two weeks). Assessments can be cumulative.

***Practice (Group work, classwork) (15%):** Students are responsible for completing assigned work on time. Due dates for each assignment will be no more than 48 hours after assignment is assigned at which time I will be posting the solutions. Due dates will be posted online at **giegCAHS.weebly.com**

***IB Problem Set (25%):** IB problems will be used to prepare for the IB exams. Problems will be scored based on IB mark scheme. Due dates for each assignment will be no more than 48 hours after assignment is assigned at which time I will be posting the solutions. Due dates will be posted online at **giegCAHS.weebly.com**