

WELCOME TO MRS. PRIHODA'S 7th Grade Science Class

Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome to 7th grade Science class! I am looking forward to a wonderful year with all of my students! Listed below is a synopsis of my policies and procedures.

Our Science curriculum will include:

- ★ Elements and Compounds
- ★ Physical and Chemical Changes
- ★ Aqueous Solutions
- ★ Speed and Velocity
- ★ Distance-Time Graphs
- ★ Newton's First Law of Motion
- ★ Thermal Energy
- ★ Temperature and Kinetic Energy
- ★ Celestial Objects
- ★ Gravity
- ★ Earth and Life
- ★ Plate Tectonics
- ★ Human Impact on Watersheds
- ★ Human Impact on Ocean Systems
- ★ Energy and Trophic Levels
- ★ Human Body Systems
- ★ Organism Organization
- ★ Reproduction
- ★ Natural and Artificial Selection
- ★ Taxonomy

Grading and late work policies:

My grading and attendance policies follow the campus guidelines. In the gradebook, daily grades will count once and exams will count twice. These procedures can be found in the Brazos Middle School Student Handbook.

Our Class/Behavior Expectations:

1. Be on time, on task, and prepared to learn every day.
2. Respect the teacher, the classroom, other students, and yourself.
3. Be responsible for your own learning.
4. Clean up after yourself and your peers.
5. Keep all personal electronics put away.

These policies ensure student safety, protect every student's right to learn, and to allow for curriculum mastery. If you have any questions or concerns, don't hesitate to contact me:

- Email: dprihoda@brazosisd.net
- Phone: 979-478-6814
- Conference Time: 8:50am - 9:36am

Supplies

- Binder
- Package of dividers (5 pack)
- Map pencils*
- Glue sticks*
- Scissors*
- Pencils/pen*

*These items can be kept in your pencil pouch to use in all classes.

Let's have a great year! Mrs. Prihoda