

**Lynn English High School  
Honors Algebra I Course Syllabus  
Ms. Guan/Ms. Holey**

**COURSE NUMBER:**

**CREDITS: 5**

**TEXT:** *Algebra 1 McDougal Littell (\$80)*

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**NIGHT BACK:** **Tuesday in Room 227 (Ms. Guan), Tuesday in Room 220 (Ms. Holey)** or any other time by appointment in order to receive extra-help or make-up missing work or tests. Any test or quiz owed should be made up within two weeks. Not all students learn mathematics at the same rate, but all students can learn Mathematics. Consequently, if you find a topic difficult, get help immediately either from peers or from me.

**HOMEWORK:** Approximately twenty (20) to thirty (30) minute assignments are given every school day including the weekends. It will be checked at the beginning of every class. **\*\* STUDENTS WHO CONSISTENTLY MISS HOMEWORK, PROPER ACTIONS WILL BE TAKEN. \*\***

**REQUIRED TOOLS FOR DAILY CLASS:**

- TEXTBOOK - **\*\* ALL BOOKS MUST BE COVERED\*\***
- NOTEBOOK - **Material that should be kept in your notebook:**
  - Class Objective / Language Objective when needed**
  - Warm-up Problems**
  - Class Notes/Class Work**
  - Homework Assignments**
  - Corrections made to tests**
  - Each page dated**
- PEN OR PENCIL
- *Calculator to make life easier but not required.*

**DESCRIPTION OF COURSE ASSESSMENTS AND GRADING:**

- **Tests** – Two grades/ usually given after a unit or chapter is completed.
- **Quizzes** – one grade
- **Homework** – one grade
- **Notebook** – One grade
- **Writing assignment**– one grade
- **Reading Assignment** – One grade
- **Mid Term Exam** – Three grades/ Half year exam
- **Final Exam** – Three grades/ Full year exam
- **Quarterly Exam** – Two grades

**COURSE OUTLINE:**

Chapter 1	Connections to Algebra
Chapter 2	Properties of Real Numbers
Chapter 3	Solve Linear Equations
Chapter 4	Graphing Linear Equations and Functions
Chapter 5	Writing Linear Equations
Chapter 6	Solving and Graphing Linear Inequalities
Chapter 7	Systems of Linear Equations and Inequalities
Chapter 8	Exponents and Exponential Functions.
Chapter 9	Quadratic Equations
Chapter 10	Polynomials and Factoring
Chapter 11 & 12	Radicals and Rational expressions

**STUDENT EXPECTATIONS AND CLASSROOM RULES:**

1. Attend class on time and prepared.
2. Notebooks open, ready to solve the warm-up problem.
3. Respect each other.
4. No talking when I am talking.
5. Take ownership and responsibility for own actions.
6. Work to his/her best ability.

*This course syllabus should be shown to your parent/guardian.  
Please have your parent/guardian sign below.*

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