6th Grade Science
Mrs. Duncan’s ♦ 2018-2019 school year!

**EXPECTATIONS:**
- Students will treat their peers, the instructor, the classroom, and the equipment with respect.
- Each student is expected to follow the school’s code of conduct (No cell phone or ear phone usage).
- Students will arrive in class and be seated on time. **YOU MUST SHAKE MY HAND BEFORE ENTERING THE CLASS ROOM.**
- Students will come to class prepared and keep an organized notebook.

**REQUIRED MATERIALS:**
- writing utensils
- Notebook
- You may need to place unfinished work in binder
- Agenda

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Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall.
-Confucius

**FIND ME HERE:**
- www.sixthgrademondayminutes.com

**SUCCESS IS THE SUM OF SMALL EFFORTS REPEATED DAY IN AND DAY OUT**
Robert Collier

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**EXTRA HELP:**
Just ask! I am here to help you succeed.

**EMAIL:**
ttyson@unionacademy.org
I have read through this <class name> syllabus, and I understand my responsibilities for the course.

Student Signature ______________________________ Date ___________

Parent/Guardian Signature __________________________ Date __________

Notebooks: Notebooks are to be brought to class DAILY. We will title each section and each entry must be dated. This will help you when we do notebook checks. Your peers will be checking your notebooks so they need to be neatly kept. For Science, everything should fit into one notebook. Please do not skip pages. Also, you will need to use the front and back of each page. Your notebook is your guide to helping you succeed in the class. This will be your biggest help in studying. The more effort you put into it, the more it will help you study.

Homework: Occasionally, we might not finish something in class and it will need to be finished at home. Most science homework will be to study for the quizzes and test. All projects will be done in class.
* On study nights, I will send home a slip of paper that is a contract that you and your guardian will sign. It will state that you studied for at least 20 minutes that night. If it comes back on the test day, you will receive 2 extra points.

Late Work/Makeup Policy: As of right now, our late work policy is 1 day late, 90%, 2 days late 80%, 3 days late 70%, 4 days late 60%, 5 days late 50%. Not accepted after 5 days. This is subject to change. If you are absent, there is a bin at the back of the classroom with the missed work. You have two days to turn in the make up work.

My goal is to help you succeed and I will do everything in my power to make this happen. You success takes both of us, so I need you to be committed to working hard. Our mission at UA is to do the right thing when no one is looking. We also need to do the right thing when everyone is looking. You are the reason that I am here!

It is my job, as teacher, to maintain an environment in which all students can learn comfortably. Therefore, disruptive, inappropriate, and disrespectful behaviors will not be tolerated. Expected behaviors may need to be reinforced until a solution can be reached.