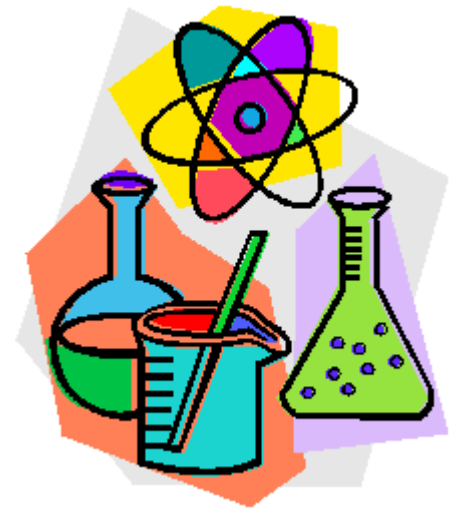

Let's have
a great
year!!

Physical Science
with Mrs. Mullinax



8th Grade Room 148

Curriculum

This year we will be learning about the physical world around us. We will be following the Georgia Performance Standards that can be found at georgiastandards.org. Physical science encompasses:

- The Nature of Matter (atoms, elements, periodic table, states of matter)
- Energy Transformations (electrical, solar, mechanical, thermal)
- Force & Motion (gravity, velocity, Laws of Motion, simple machines)
- Waves (properties, Sound, light)
- Electricity & Magnetism (circuits, magnets)

Materials

Each student will need the following:

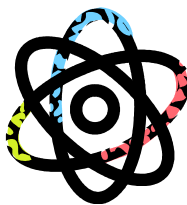
- 2 composition books (NO SPIRALS)
- Pencils & Pens

Expectations & Grading

All students are expected to adhere to the Pickens County Middle School Code of Conduct. Students should fully participate in all classroom activities and be prepared to learn. Students should respect the rights of other members of the school. Any student not following safety standards or abusing equipment will lose lab privileges.

All work must be turned in on time. Late work will be graded with a deduction of 10 points per day past the due date. Thus, students have 3 extra days to turn in work and still receive a passing grade. In the event of an absence, make up work can be obtained by accessing the make up folder in my classroom. Make up work is the responsibility of the student.

Most homework will consist of work not finished in class. It will be graded for accuracy, is due the next day, and will count as a classwork/homework grade.



Communication

I firmly believe that communication between the teacher, parents, and the student is the key to a successful school year. As a result, I have created several ways to keep you up to date on everything going on in the classroom.

Google Website

<https://sites.google.com/a/pickenscountyschools.org/hollymullinax/>

Edmodo

Create an Edmodo account and use the following code to join my group: kqdrts9. Once your child joins, he/she can give you the parent code that will allow you to be linked to his/her account.

Remind 101

Download the free app called Remind 101, then join my group by using the code @c9ea.

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