

Chemistry

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Room 101

I. GRADING PROCEDURE

A. All work will be graded on a percentage basis, using the following scale.

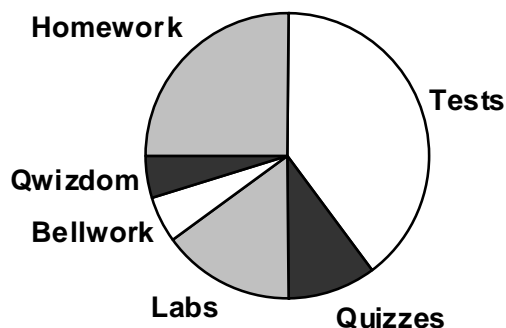
<u>Percent Correct</u>	<u>Letter Grade</u>	<u>Percent Correct</u>	<u>Letter Grade</u>
94-100%	A	70-75%	C
90-94%	A-	65-70%	C-
87-90%	B+	62-65%	D+
84-87%	B	58-62%	D
80-84%	B-	55-58%	D-
75-80%	C+	0-55%	F

B. Graded work will consist of:

1. TESTS - Each test will cover reading assignments, lecture notes, homework assignments, and any lab or group activity. The test questions will be multiple choice, matching, fill-in, true and false, short answer, problem and essay. There will be approximately 5 tests per quarter.
2. QUIZZES - may be announced or unannounced. Each quiz will be approximately 10 questions, and will be given approximately twice per chapter.
3. HOMEWORK/ CLASSWORK - Homework will be given 4-5 nights per week. Classwork will be given when appropriate (group or individual). Class notes will be collected on the day of the unit test for credit.
4. LAB REPORTS/ASSIGNMENTS - All labs will require a written report that includes questions to be answered outside of class, to analyze the data collected and show the learning from the activity.
5. QWIZDOM- We will be using a student response system during class. It will be used to check for understanding during lectures. Students' answers will be recorded and credit will be given. Half of the credit will be for participation and half for correct answers.
6. BELLWORK - Every day there will be two or three questions posted. These are to be answered as class begins. These assignments are to be kept until collected. I will collect it on random days.
7. EXAM Final exams will be cumulative from the beginning of the year, both in December and May.

C. QUARTER GRADES Quarter grades will be a weighted average of the scores on the assignments given. Different types of assignments will be given different emphasis. The table below lists the weight given to each category.

Graded Work	% of quarter grade
Tests	40%
Homework/Classwork	25%
Qwizdom	5%
Quizzes	10%
Lab Reports	15%
Bellwork	5%



D. SEMESTER GRADES - The semester grade will be determined by averaging the percentage scores of the two quarters and the semester exam. Each quarter grade will make up 40% of the semester grade, and the exam will make up the remaining 20%.

E. EXTRA CREDIT - Extra Credit assignments will be provided approximately mid- quarter.

1. They may be turned in any time until the due date (during the last week of the quarter)
2. Extra credit may be used to raise the quarter grade by up to one letter grade.
3. Extra credit is meant to be extra, so it will not be accepted if more than 10% of the other assignments are not turned in.

F. SUGGESTIONS

1. Everything you do in this class will be graded, so it is important to do every assignment and to turn them in. Partial credit will be given. Lack of effort will affect your grade.
2. CHEATING is forbidden. This includes blatant copying, and "borrowing" homework. Both parties involved will be given a zero on the assignment, parent contact will be made, and other disciplinary action may be taken. I will follow the guidelines given in the student handbook and the "Brave Code of Conduct. You should review these policies.
3. DO NOT throw away your assignments. They will be handy for studying for the test and semester exam.
4. If there is something that is unclear, ask questions! I will be available before or after school most days to give extra help.

