

7th GRADE ADMINISTRATION A

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Course Description: Welcome to 7th Admin. This course was invented to help aid the 7th grade population begin to make the switch from childhood to the lifestyle of the young adult. Midland Classical is a very demanding institution that operates around the premise of the student accepting academic responsibility as well as responsibility for other areas of their life. In this course we are going to discuss many topics a few of them being time budgeting, responsibility, professionalism, social skills, servanthood, and how to be a productive God honoring young man. The hope is that this course will be fun, interactive, and meaningful.

Grading: The students grade will be based on their participation and achievement on general projects. The percentage breakdown of these two requirements are listed below.

Participation 10%
General Projects 90%

Participation will be judged on their timeliness to class, their conduct in the classroom, and their participation in discussions. General Projects will be anything from memorizing Bible verses, discussing poetry, and completing service projects for the school. I have high expectations for the student regarding quality of work and conduct in the classroom. Respect for one another will be expected at all times.

Golden Tickets and Extra Credit: A student may utilize a golden ticket to replace a bad participation grade or to replace a written General Project assignment. Extra credit will be awarded per the discretion of the Tutor and will only be considered if all current homework is completed and revised.

Late Work: Late General Project assignments will start at 70% of total points possible and losing 5% points each class period it is late. If you are absent you need to come and discuss with me the cause to avoid late point deductions. If it is a planned absence please obtain and turn in assignments ahead of time or upon your return.

Final Thoughts: I am excited to spend the year with your young people, helping them learn the truth about what God desires of them as they grow towards adulthood, and watching them grow. Our overarching goal for this class is to *introduce skills and develop character for success at MCA and in life beyond MCA*. If you as parents have any questions regarding content I would love to speak to you. Thank you and welcome to the upper school of Midland Classical Academy.

Grade Speed: I will be updating the students grades weekly on the gradespeed software which is available online. I will not only have current grades I will have future upcoming assignments listed as well. Gradespeed is a highly valuable tool for you to be current with how your child is performing. I suggest checking this resource weekly. If you ever want to sit in on our class you are always welcome.

Materials:

1. 1 subject spiral of notebook paper
2. Bible
3. A good attitude

7th Grade Administration A Assignment # 1

Due Date: Monday August, 22nd

For the first day of class I would like you to bring a **typed** answer to the following question.

What do you think is the most important thing you need to be successful as a MCA student?

Do not worry about the length of your response, a simple paragraph will be sufficient.

Please give some support for your answer.