Mrs. Huelskamp

Introduction to Family and Consumer Sciences

I would like to welcome you to Intro to FACS. There are many exciting opportunities that will be available to you this semester. I look forward to exploring the field of FACS along with all of you. Before we begin, I would like to share some information about what I expect, what we will do in class, and overview some of the ways we will explore culinary arts.

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**Classroom Procedures and Expectations**

**Course Description**

Introduction to Family and Consumer Sciences offers a look into the many occupations that provide for the basic needs of children, individuals, and families. Occupations may include nutritionist, child care, social worker, credit counselor, geriatric care, food service, restaurant manager, culinary artist, interior designer, fashion production and design, event planner, and teacher.

**Curriculum**

* Introduction to Family and Consumer Sciences
* Interpersonal Relationships
* Work Life
* Personal Finance
* Human Growth and Development
* Textiles
* Nutrition
* Kitchen Safety
* Culinary

**Classroom Expectations**

* Be on time and ready to work.
* Show respect to others and yourself at all times.
* Stay in your assigned area unless instructed otherwise.
* Proper use of equipment is mandatory. Misuse of equipment will result in consequences, including loss of lab privileges.
* **Cell phone usage is not permitted during class or labs.**
* Maintain a clean and organized workspace.

## **Lab Requirements**

In order to participate in kitchen labs, students must wear the appropriate uniform:

* Long hair pulled back completely
* Close-toed shoes
* Long pants (Preferred)
* Short sleeves or ones that can be rolled up to your elbows
* Hair covering (provided by the school) (No ball caps)
* Apron (provided by the school)

Students without the proper attire will not be allowed to participate in labs and will be given an alternate written assignment.

## **Lab Make-up Policy**

* Labs missed due to absences must be made up to receive a grade.
* If a lab is not made up, a zero will be given for that assignment.
* Make-up labs after school or at home must be scheduled with the instructor.

## **AI Usage Policy**

No AI tools are to be used for any assignments in this class. Cheating or using unauthorized AI tools will result in a zero for the assignment.

**Grade Weighting**

Classwork – 30 %

Skill Labs – 70 %