# **Class Rules**

Having access to Public Education is truly fantastic! This opportunity should not be taken for granted considering just a few years ago over 70 million children received NO education.¹ Furthermore, in 2015 it was reported that 745.1 million adults were illiterate.² We have the chance every day to improve ourselves inside and outside of the classroom. Please take advantage of this opportunity and continue to grow everyday into admirable young people.



Students **must** abide by all rules. There are no exceptions. Our class expects and demands your best efforts everyday. Consider the following rules before signing your name:

#### • Attendance

Showing up to school <u>everyday and on time</u> needs to be an ordinary occurrence. If you are ever late, please provide the school with an excuse according to your handbook. If you are absent, please do the same. It is <u>your responsibility to request make-up work</u>.

### • Grades

In addition to showing up to school on time, you should be giving your best each day to pass your classes. If you are failing 2 or more classes, you will be on classroom probation to not take advantage or any of our leisure incentives (such as Movie Days, Homework Passes, etc.). It is my job to help you succeed and pass your classes. If you need help, please ask!

#### Behavior

You are expected to follow all state, local, community, district, school and class laws, rules, policies, and standards. This includes showing proper respect to teachers, and your fellow students. You are a reflection of not just yourself, but your class, your family, and your school district. Please behave!

#### • Other Rules

Please follow all of the following rules: 1) Stay seated unless told otherwise, 2) Always raise your hand!, 3) No cell phones (or other electronics), 4) Keep your hands to yourself, 5) Be respectful to **everyone**, 6) Come to learn, 7) Always give your best.

## • Final Thoughts

These rules are set up for you to succeed and to get the best result out of everyone. I sincerely wish you the best of luck. Some days may be difficult but "the hard is what makes it great". The ones' that show up and give their best are better people for it. Sign below to agree to follow the class rules.

Print Name	
Sign Name	Date

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Shepherd, Jessica. "70 Million Children Get No Education, Says Report." The Guardian. Last modified 2010. https://www.theguardian.com/education/2010/sep/20/70m-get-no-education.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> UNESCO. 2017. "Reading the Past, Writing the Future: Fifty Years of Promoting Literacy."