



## Physical Science Syllabus



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### Course Overview

This laboratory science course consists of one semester of introductory level Chemistry and one semester of introductory Physics. Students will utilize the scientific method and metric measurements in all units. Emphasis is placed on inquiry-style learning and development of skills such as observing, data analyzing, defending conclusions, and problem solving.

### Course Materials

- Calculator: You will need to bring it with you every day of class!
- Pencil: You will be writing something in class every day.
- Color pens & Highlighter: Please have a red, blue, black, and green pen and a highlighter to organize your Cornell notes.
- Unit book: A unit book will be provided for all units. Bring to class everyday.

### Class Notes

Students who are successful in this class are usually those who maintain good classroom notes. As nearly all tests and quizzes are written directly from material covered in class, it will be well worth your time to keep your unit notebook accurate and up to date.

### Assignments

Late work will be accepted, but you're not going to like your score if you do!

- All work must be turned in on the date due, at the start of class...
- Only 75% credit after the first day and **no late work accepted after 1 week.**
- 75% is still better than nothing, get it done and turned in!



### Tests, Quizzes, and Projects

#### Quizzes

There will be one or more short quizzes nearly every week covering recent material and essential skills, with most being open-note quizzes.

#### Tests

Tests will be given at the end of every unit, sometimes you will be allowed notes, sometimes not. Laboratory practical tests may be given in addition to written tests.

#### Projects

There will be either lab based projects, or group activity projects during some units. These will require your attendance to complete.

