Physics 1

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Course Description

This course will cover the Michigan Merit Curriculum for physics along with preparing students for college physics. Labs and activities will be used as often as possible.

The curriculum for this class is no less than our established curriculum, which is posted on our website, for our traditional 180 days of face-to-face instruction.

Textbook

Physics by Raymond Serway and Jerry Faughn

Required Materials

Scientific calculator, notebooks

Course Work

The major evaluation of student progress will be done through tests. Tests may cover any topic discussed in class, lab, homework, or the required reading.

Grades

Grades will be determined from the following scheme:

 Tests
 65%

 Quizzes
 20%

 Labs
 15%

Communication

Students are to check their school email and Google Classroom daily.

EVERYTHING IN THIS SYLLABUS IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF CHANGES IN CLASS