

**Chemistry 2020-2021**  
**All Hornets are capable of success - NO EXCEPTIONS!**

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**Extra Help:** Teachers are available for additional assistance Mondays from 8:00 am to 11:00 am during office hours. Please email your teacher to make an appointment and to receive an access link.

**Course Overview:** <https://sites.google.com/fcpsschools.net/highschoolscience/Chemistry>

**Curriculum standards may be found here:**

[http://www.doe.virginia.gov/testing/sol/standards\\_docs/science/index.shtml](http://www.doe.virginia.gov/testing/sol/standards_docs/science/index.shtml)

**Program of Studies:** <https://www.fcps.edu/academics/high-school-academics-9-12>

**Standards of Learning:** [http://www.doe.virginia.gov/testing/sol/standards\\_docs/science/index.shtml](http://www.doe.virginia.gov/testing/sol/standards_docs/science/index.shtml)

**Reassessments:** Reassessments are available on most major assessments with a few exceptions (midterms, finals). The student's highest score will be the score recorded in the gradebook. Student is eligible for reassessment only if the remediation assignment is completed and achieves a passing grade. The remediation assignment includes and is not limited to completion of study guide, test correction, homework or other work reviews assigned by the teacher. Retake exams are to be completed within 4 blocks.

**Late Work:** Per FCPS policy, late work will be accepted to document learning/mastery. Students will have opportunities to turn in late work within 2 weeks of origination date or end of quarter, whichever comes first. There will be a penalty of 20% late work. Work that is not turned in will be coded as "NTI" and weighted as a zero in the gradebook; the deadline for turning in late work will be communicated to the student in the grade book. If the missing work is turned in during the late work window, it will be graded, penalty applied and the zero will be amended. If the missing work is not turned in by the late work deadline, it will be permanently recorded as a zero.

## Grading for This Class:

End of Year Grade Calculation	1st Quarter 20 %	2nd Quarter 20 %	3rd Quarter 20 %	4th Quarter 20 %	Midterm & Final Exam 20 %
Quarterly Grade Calculation	Tests & Summative Projects 60 %	Quizzes & Formative Projects 40 %			

**Makeup Work due to Absences:** Attendance is critical to student achievement. Students are fully responsible for completing any missed assignments. Each day of absence affords one school day of makeup work opportunity. Students have a maximum of ten days to make up work missed during an excused period of absence. However, the period allowed to make up work may be extended at the discretion of the teacher. Makeup work for excused absences is graded and recorded in the grade book by teachers without penalty to students. For an approved pre-arranged absence, a student may request assignments in advance of the absence. Teachers will provide regular or alternative assignments in advance of the absence, when feasible. Following any absence, including a prearranged absence, students should decide with individual teachers for makeup work.

### Supplies:

[Online Textbook: Click here](#)

Scientific or Graphic Calculator.

1" Binder

1 case color pencils

Metric ruler

Pen (Red and Black or Blue)

Index card of 4"x 6"

FCPS provided Laptop

Black pencils

**Classroom Expectations:** Students are expected to be engaged, participate, complete all assignments, and show respect to all members of the class. <http://www.fcps.edu/dss/ips/ssaw/SRR/index.shtml>

Signature Page

**Student, please sign below to indicate that you have read the syllabus for Chemistry (available on Blackboard – or in print upon request). Have your parent(s)/guardian(s) complete the pieces below and then return this page to your teacher!**

My signature below indicates that I have read, understood, and reviewed the class syllabus.

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Student Name – printed

Student Signature

Date

**Parent(s), please complete and sign below to indicate that you have read the course policies (available on Blackboard – or in print upon request).**

Parent Phone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Email addresses: \_\_\_\_\_

(Providing your email address indicates that you give permission for the teacher to communicate with you via email regarding grades, student progress, etc.)

Do you have access to ParentVue (via SIS) to access your student's grades? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

If you need to set up this access, please contact Student Services.

Does your student have reliable internet access at home? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

My signature below indicates that I have read, understood, and reviewed the attached class syllabus.

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Parent Name – printed

Parent Signature

Date