# <u>Meet the Teacher - Mrs. Jurotich</u>

**Welcome** to the 2023-2024 school year! I am so glad you are in my class. Together we will have an awesome year at Burnett. Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have questions. Email is usually a great place to start - <u>karen.jurotich@wylieisd.net</u>

### Tutorials and Contact info:

Email: karen.jurotich@wylieisd.net Conference: 6<sup>th</sup> Period (Usually 1:05-1:50)

#### Tutorial Times:

Tuesday & Thursday 3:30-4:15 p.m. Room 516 Other times may be available on request

## **Syllabus** (Springboard – Course 2 and Course 3)

In this course, you will:

- Add, subtract, multiply, and divide rational numbers
- Solve one-variable equations and inequalities
- Create and solve proportions using ratios and rates
- Identify and Represent linear functions using tables, equations, and graphs
- Investigate and apply the property of similarity
- Compute area and volume of two- and three-dimensional figures
- Solve simple probability
- Data and personal financial literacy

## Pre-Algebra Supply List:

Students are required to bring their own supplies to class daily, and replenish as needed.

#### Bring daily, Keep with you for your personal use:

- Pencils
- Springboard book (provided)
- Spiral notebook
- Chromebook (should be fully charged each night)
- Ear-buds (wired preferred)
- Computer stylus (I suggest https://a.co/d/b0u5JW7)
- Highlighters
- Expo markers





<u>Technolog</u>

We will use the district issued Chromebooks daily in class. No personal devices will be allowed in class.

Cell phones are to remain turned off and out of sight for the duration of the class period.



#### Homework

Homework is expected to be completed whenever assigned. The purpose of homework in math is to practice the skills that are learned in class with the goal of skills mastery. Our normal regiment for homework is 3-4 days per week. Homework is due the day after it is assigned, at the beginning of class.

<u> Frading (Policy</u>

Minor grades (Quizzes, Daily Work, and Homework Checks) are averaged to obtain 40% of a student's nine weeks grade.

Major grades (Unit Tests, District Assessments, and Projects) are averaged to obtain 60% of a student's nine weeks grade.

## <u> Late/Make-up Work Policy</u>

The expectation is that you submit all assignments on time. Students may be assigned to work recovery sessions in order to complete any work that is late."

Regular attendance is extremely important in Junior High and especially in Math. Each day in class we will build on the lesson from the previous day. It is extremely important that students be in class each and every day. We do understand that life happens and there may be a reason to miss school. In these instances, it is the student's responsibility to be sure they complete any missed assignments and come in for tutorials as needed.

#### <u>Retake Policy</u>

According to the Wylie ISD grading policy, "Upon successful completion of a reasonable intervention measure, as prescribed by the teacher, a student will be given an opportunity to re-do an assignment or re-take a test for full credit based on mastery of the TEKS. The timeframe for completion of the assignment re-do or test retake shall be 3 days from when the grade has been posted in the gradebook. Failure to complete the prescribed intervention measure and/or meet the timeline established by the teacher will result in the student receiving the original grade awarded.

"An investment in knowledge pays the best interest" – Benjamin Franklin