

Sept 2010 - ALGEBRA & HONORS ALGEBRA TENTATIVE CALENDAR

| Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri |
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| | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">7</div> <div style="background-color: black; color: white; padding: 2px;">Chap 1 Practice Dittos Due</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;"> 1.1 Using Variables 1.2 Exponents & Order of Operations 1.3 Exploring Real Numbers 1.4 Patterns & Functions *1.6 Mean, Median, Mode & Range *This is the only ditto for which a calculator can/should be used </div> | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">8</div> <div style="background-color: black; color: white; padding: 2px;">Chap 1 Practice Dittos Returned with a Grade</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;">Review of these Dittos</div> <div style="background-color: black; color: white; padding: 2px;">Chap 2 Practice Dittos Due</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;"> 2.1-2.3 Operations on Rational #'s 2.4 Distributive Property </div> | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">9</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;">Review of the Ch 1 Dittos</div> | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">10</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;">Chapter 1 Test covering 1.1-1.4 & 1.6</div> |
| <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">13</div> <div style="background-color: black; color: white; padding: 2px;">Chap 2 Practice Dittos Returned with a Grade</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;">Review of these Dittos</div> | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">14</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;">Review of the Ch 2 Dittos</div> | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">10</div> <div style="font-size: x-small;">Chapter 2 Test covering 2.1-2.4</div> | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">16</div> | <div style="text-align: right; font-size: small;">17</div> |

Algebra Text Book website - <http://www.phschool.com/webcodes10/index.cfm?fuseaction=home.gotoWebCode&wcprefix=atk&wcsuffix=0099>

All students taking Algebra in the State of NJ are required to take an End of Year Exam that encompasses the full comprehensive curriculum. Due to this test being towards the end of May and to ensure coverage of all pertinent information, we are requiring students who are in our Algebra program to complete a summer assignment that will be graded. This grade may not only show understanding but also work ethic. A strong work ethic is needed to handle the rigors of an 8th grade Algebra program. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Brooks via email.

Straight computational problems may be calculated in your head. For Example - Practice 2.1 (All), 2.2 (All), 2.3 (Some), 2.4 (Most)

We are looking to make sure you enter the Algebra program with these skills already in place. Please make sure you do all the questions on the Practice Dittos by yourself with limited assistance if any. Your test score should not be much different than your Take Home Assignment score.