

## What do I do if I am absent?

Be sure to pick up ALL of your work immediately when you return. You have 1 day to complete your absent work for every day absent. This is the student's responsibility- NOT the teacher's. The class website will be your go-to spot for homework, important announcements, extra help, resources, handouts, contact information and much more!



### Class Website:

[teachers.d11.org/teachers/bonesac](http://teachers.d11.org/teachers/bonesac)

## What do I need for Science Class?

### Supply List



1. Composition Book (Interactive Science Notebook)
2. Pencils with erasers
3. 3 ring binder (share with other classes)
4. Loose leaf Notebook paper
5. School Planner

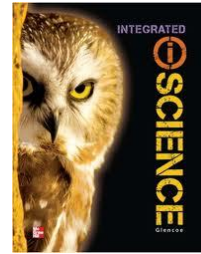
**Students need ALL materials EVERY DAY!**

## Class Expectations & Consequences

1. Be on time and prepared for class daily.
2. Follow directions and stay on task.
3. Raise your hand to speak or leave your seat.
4. Treat everyone and their property with respect.
5. No food, gum, drinks, or electronic devices (ie. cell phones) in use during class. (Water ok)
6. Always follow proper lab safety.

This class will be conducted in a laboratory setting. Lab safety rules in addition to our class policies and procedures must be followed at all times. Failure to conduct oneself in a safe and respectful manner will result in immediate and appropriate consequences in accordance with the JSAA Discipline Plan such as but not limited to:

**(1) Warning, (2) Refocus Time (3) Detention/Call Home (4) Removal to Buddy Room, (5) Administrative Referral.**



## Is there a Science Class Textbook?

We use the McGraw-Hill Science Course 3 textbooks as a reference/resource in the classroom. There is a class set of the Science textbooks (which is also available online). To access the Science text online go to [connected.mcgraw-hill.com](http://connected.mcgraw-hill.com) and create a new student account.

The redemption code is: **2H6W-MTKX-S1ZQ**

Remember to write down your username and password!

**Username:**

**Password:**

## What is an ISN?



The student **Interactive Science Notebook (ISN)** will serve as the main science "textbook" in class. Students will be given a composition notebook as part of their \$5 Science Lab Fee. We will set up notebooks the first week of school. Students will use them EVERYDAY in Science class. They will be stored in the classroom unless they did not complete their work or need them for homework.

The ISN is the MOST IMPORTANT resource in Science class! Students need to take special care of them and NOT lose them. Lost notebooks will NOT be replaced by the teacher.

## How will I be graded in Science?

For each unit, there will be homework, warm-ups, notes, activities, labs, exit tickets, a notebook check, and a Unit test in which students will demonstrate their mastery of the Colorado State Standards for 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science. Grades are determined using the following scale based on student mastery of the standards.

90 - 100% A	80 - 89% B
70 - 79% C	60 - 69% D
0 - 59% F	



## What will we be learning?

### Units of Study:

1. Nature of Science
2. Genetics
3. Forces & Motion
4. Energy & Matter
5. Waves
6. Earth, Moon & Sun
7. Weather, Climate & Human Impacts
8. The Solar System
9. Health



## Extra Help/Tutoring

If a student is having trouble they should speak with the teacher as soon as possible. Mrs. Bones will work with the student to schedule time for extra help either at lunch or after school.

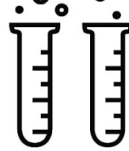
**Tutoring** is also available after school from **4:00-5:30 pm** in the library and on Saturdays for **Saturday School**.



## \$5 Science Lab Fee

Pays for composition notebook and required lab materials for the school year. **Turn in cash or check to your science teacher.**

# Welcome to 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science with Mrs. Bones!



## remind



Register to receive text messages and/or e-mail with reminders, homework assignments, and other important class information. When you sign up, Remind will not share your phone number/email address so everything stays private!

Text your class code below to **81010**

A Block classes: @bonesa B Block classes: @bonesb  
STEAM: @bonessteam Parents: @sciparent

## Important Notice!

Mrs. Bones will be out on Maternity Leave beginning in September 2015. More information will be sent home shortly on the long term guest teacher and their contact information. If you have any questions in the meantime feel free to contact our principal, Mr. Nason.

Thank you for your understanding!  
Mrs. Bones



## Jack Swigert Aerospace Academy

**School Website:** [swigert.d11.org](http://swigert.d11.org)

**Class Website:** [teachers.d11.org/teachers/bonesac](http://teachers.d11.org/teachers/bonesac)

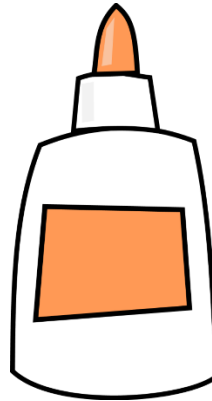
**Office Phone:** 719-328-6900



**Teacher's Email:** [adrienne.bones@d11.org](mailto:adrienne.bones@d11.org)

**Classroom Phone:** 719-328-6947

**Glue this side down in your  
Interactive Science Notebook!**



**A dot is a lot!**

## 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science Course Syllabus 2015-16

I have read and understand the 8th grade Science Course Syllabus.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



**Please return this Signed  
to Mrs. Bones in Science Class.**