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Entry #: \_\_\_\_\_

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# 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Syllabus

#### Dear Parents & Student,

#### I am so excited to begin this school year! This syllabus serves as a guide to your Science class this year. In this syllabus you will find grading policies, classroom rules, and required materials.



### ~Miss E. Mac

<b>Daily-Required Materials</b> Students will be required to have the following materials with them EVERYDAY—these will allow them to be successful!	Class Website This year I will be utilizing a classroom website that will help me to communicate with Parents, provide helpful links for each Unit of
🖱 1, One inch Binder	Study and provide a way to integrate
<b>Ö</b> Paper	technology into your student's education.
O Pencils and Erasers	You will be able to access the Classroom
🗇 Agenda	Website at: <u>www.scmsscience.weebly.com</u>
🗇 AR Book	

# <u>GRADING</u>

Seventh grade science assignments are weighted; some assignment groups are worth more than others according to importance. Please keep in mind that the higher the percentage for that group the more it will affect the overall grade. The following are weighted percentages of assignments:

In class work & Homework 40% Tests and Projects 60%

\*Students will be expected to complete in class work for homework if they do not complete their assignment during the given class time. Students will have some homework assignments, although these will not occur on a daily basis.

\*Students will be given Tests at the end of every Unit of Study. Students will be expected to STUDY for these tests and will be given some form of a study guide to assist them, but they should make use of class notes, class discussions, and in-class assignments as they study.

All Work I complete...

• Must be legible- If I cannot read it, I cannot grade it.

- Must be your own, unless it is part of a group activity.
- Must have your name on it.
- Must be turned in to the drawer on the due date unless you are absent.

Make-Up Work:	Contacting Miss Mac
<ul> <li>If you are absent it is your responsibility to get your makeup work.</li> <li>Make Up work is located in the red organizer behind Miss Mac's door.</li> <li>Please return your work in a timely manner.</li> <li>Zeroes will be given to students who do not complete their work in a timely manner.</li> </ul>	If you have any questions or concerns, the easiest way to reach me is by e-mail. <u>Erica.mcgaughey@spencer.kyschools.us</u>

# Units of Study

Some of the topics you will be studying this year include, but are not limited to...

- Unit 1: Lab Safety & Measurement
- Unit 2: Chemical Reactions

Unit 3: Energy

Unit 4: Forces & Interactions

Unit 5: Waves & Electromagnetic Radiation

Unit 6: Matter & Energy in Organisms & Ecosystems

Unit 7: Growth, Development, & Reproduction of Organisms

Unit 8: Structure, Function, & Information Processing

*Classroom Rules*	Consequences
	When I choose not to abide by the above
1. Come to Class EVERYDAY prepared to	rules or are disrespectful I will have the following consequences
LEARN!	
2. Be Respectful.	1. I will be given a warning.
3. Take Responsibility for Your Actions.	2. I will conference with Miss E. Mac.
4. Keep your space clean.	3. My name will be given to Mr. Mercer/My
	Parents will be contacted.