

Back to School Night

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Curriculum



Please take the “7th Gr. Science Syllabus”.
This outlines our major units of study.

Textbook



Science Explorer by Prentice Hall, Life and Physical Science. Each student has their own textbook and we have a class set as well.

Homework



Homework is given out most weeknights and is listed on the whiteboard early in the week. Homework is also listed on the 7th Grade Science Google Calendar.

Evaluation



Students receive grades for homework, class work, projects, labs, quizzes and tests. Work not completed in class becomes homework due the following day. Students can earn extra credit too!

Student Feedback



You and your child can check Powerschool and your child can come by during my office hours to find out about any missing assignments.

Parent Feedback



Parents can contact me by phone during my prep period or any time by voice mail. You can also contact me by email (please take a "Welcome to BTSN" handout for details).

Special Projects



We have some great projects this year:

- ◆ *Human Disease Project*
 - ◆ *Invention Project*
 - ◆ *Pinhole Camera*
- ...just to name a few!

Donations to the Science Dept.



THANK YOU
VERY MUCH to the
many parents who
have already donated
materials to the science
department! *Please see
the "Welcome to BTSN"
handout for more details.*

Teaching Style



I enjoy teaching to as many different learning styles as possible. A typical day includes a journal exploration, a class discussion and a hands-on activity. I incorporate technology and my own whiteboard cartoons for a greater visual impact!

Science Dept. Wish List



Please look on the reverse side of the “Welcome to BTSN” handout--we have a Science Dept. Wish List. We also accept cash or checks made out to the *Egan Science Department*.

Thank You!



Thank you very much for taking the time to come tonight--be sure to stick your "love note" post-it on the outside of the window so your child can find it tomorrow!

Have a GREAT Evening!