# You have 5 minutes to... Index Card- Lined Side

- First and last name
- Birthday
- 1 goal for this school year
- 2 things you want to learn about this year in science
- 3 things you did over summer

#### Index Card- Blank Side

Write your first name and draw at least 3 pictures around it that describe you

# Today's Agenda

- Warm up-Index card
- PowerPoint- HS Bio Expectations and safety contract
  - Trial notes (turn in at end of period)
- Ice Breaker Lab Stations

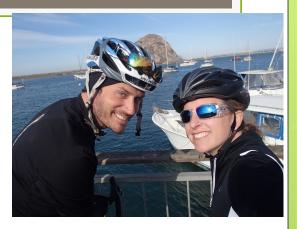
Homework: Signed syllabus/ safety contract sheet (DUE Wed/Thurs)



### About me...

- Mrs. Weisenbach or Mrs. Weis
- 5<sup>th</sup> year at SRA!
- Hobbies- running, cycling, dirt biking, hiking, anything outdoors
- Fun fact: I love Harry Potter and SpongeBob!





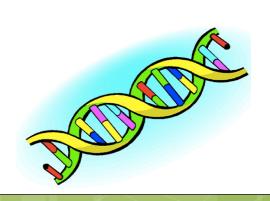




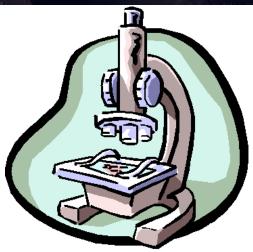
# What will we be covering?

- Ecology
- Cell biology
- Genetics
- Evolution
- Human body systems









# What are the classroom expectations?

- o 7th vs. 9th grade
- Agenda and homework always on website
  - https://mrsweisenbachsra.weebly.com/
- Respect yourself, others, and materials
- Come to class prepared and ready to learn
- Take responsibility for your actions
- Strive to be an admirable person of character
- Follow directions quickly
- o If I am talking, your are not

#### Consequences

- 1st Offense Verbal Warning
- 2nd offense- Student will be asked to step outside the classroom to reflect on their behavior. One-on-one conference with Mrs. Weis to review behavior and additional consequences if necessary.
- 3rd Offense Detention and Parent/
   Guardian is contacted by the Teacher
- o 4th Offense Referral to Administration



#### Policies and Procedures

- Entry and dismissal- Line expectations, enter room quietly, start warm up immediately
- Daily warm up- Questions and answers HAND WRITTEN on lined piece of paper with date, <u>collected every test day</u>
- Homework- Out of textbook, due at the beginning of class.
   Must be HAND WRITTEN unless on Google Classroom.
- Late work- NOT ACCEPTED
- Computer use, cell phones/ electronics, food/ drinks
- Restrooms- 3 passes per semester

#### Absences-BE RESPONSIBLE

- Notes, classwork, and homework- Always on website
- \*\* Homework- Due after the amount of days you were gone\*\*
- Warm ups- Get from a buddy, no excuses.
- Exams- Make up the day you return

# What do I need to bring to class every day?

- Student Macbook (operating and fully charged each day)
- Pencils and pens
- 100+ page spiral bound notebook (8.5"x11" or 9"x11")
- Loose- leaf lined paper

#### Grade Break Down

- Tests and Quizzes =40%
  - Quick Quizzes too
- Homework/ classwork = 15%
- Labs/ projects =20%
- Final Exam= 20%
- Participation= 5%
- Tutoring policy: Must attend tutoring if below a 70%. Mondays from 2:50- 3:30
- o I am also available by appointment



### Participation Points

- Given daily and recorded by teacher
  - Answering questions, sharing during table or class discussions, extra cleaning, etc.
- Taken away if off task, disruptive, out of restroom passes, googled HW answers, didn't try, etc
- Absences do not affect points
- Inputted in grade book about every two weeks