

### Welcome to Cosby High School Lifetime Wellness

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Lifetime Wellness is a holistic approach to health and lifetime physical activities. This approach to total wellness encompasses the physical, mental, social, and emotional well-being of the individual. Some topics we will cover are: Disease Prevention and Control, Nutrition, Substance Use and Abuse, Mental/Emotional/Social Health, Family Life, Safety and First Aid and Personal Fitness.

### Rules

- Do your best, it will pay off in the long run.
- Arrive on time for class.
- Always have pencil/pen and paper handy.
- Raise your hand to speak or volunteer.
- Follow the dress code of the school.
- Do not cheat or copy other people's work.
- Respect everyone in the class.

# **Written Assignments**

Students will be doing written assignments using a pencil/pen as well. Please be prepared by having a pencil, pen, and paper every day.

#### **Unit Exams**

Student will be tested after every unit we cover in the *Pearson Health* textbook. We will cover the unit using a multitude of preparation techniques such as using a note-taking guide, study-guides, Kahoot study guide, etc.

#### **Final Exam**

Students will take a final exam at the end of the semester. Date TBA. If a student misses less than 3 days of class for the entire semester, they are exempt from the final exam. If you miss more than 3 days, you are required to take the final exam.

The exam will be cumulative, but not extensive. Students will be prepared with a study guide of what units and information the exam will cover.

## **Group Project**

Students will conduct a group project during the semester. More details and information will be provided in the future.

### **Cell Phone Policy**

Cell phones must be turned off and put away. There should be no use of a cell phone during class. If I catch you using your phone during class, I will ask you to go to the office and turn it in, there will be no exceptions.

#### Grades

All student grades will be located in ASPEN. Please be patient as some the grades may not be put in at the time you view the gradebook. I will do my best to keep the gradebook as updated as possible. Here are the grade percentages:

- Section Assignments (30%)
- Note-Taking Guide Worksheets (20%)
- Unit Exams (20%)
- Final Exam (10%)
- Group Project (10%
- Alternate Assignments (10%)

The Google Classroom Assignments, the Note-Taking Guide Worksheets, and Daily Cell Phone Takeup are a HUGE portion of your final grade. It is imperative that you do your best to complete these assignments every day in class and turn in your cell phone.

## **Units/Chapters**

Chapter 1 - Making Healthy Decisions

Chapter 2- Personality, Self-Esteem, and Emotions

Chapter 3 - Managing Stress

Chapter 4 - Mental Disorders and Suicide

Chapter 5 - Family Relationships

Chapter 6 - Building Healthy Peer Relationships

Chapter 8 - Food Nutrition

Chapter 13 - Exercise and Lifelong Fitness

Chapter 14 - Personal Care

Chapter 17 - Preventing Drug Abuse

Chapter 26 - Preventing Injuries

<sup>\*</sup>All chapters are subjected to change, along with new chapters may be introduced.