

Disclosure Document
TEAM FRIGGA
 2020-2021



Welcome to Team Frigga! On our team, we are committed to cultivating C.O.U.R.A.G.E. in our 6th graders in order to provide an optimal learning environment for all students. Please read through this disclosure document with your parent(s).

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Grading

At Draper Park Middle School, we use a mastery-based grading system that is a more accurate reflection of students' mastery of the Utah State Core Standards. 90% of their grade is based on assessment scores, and 10% is comprised of homework and practice assignments. Skyward is the district grading program and is updated regularly for with scores for assessments and assignments, Parents and students should be checking Skyward weekly. Please make sure you have a current email or phone number on file with the office as this is how you will be contacted with the Skylert messaging system. Our weekly team newsletter will be emailed using this system.

We use Canvas! Canvas is our school's online learning platform. Students are expected to access the Canvas courses' home page calendars to view homework assignments, course materials, upcoming tests and/or projects at home, which means they need internet access.

Absences

It is vital that students are on time and at school every day. When absent, it is the student's responsibility to check Canvas to retrieve missed classwork, notes, and homework BEFORE approaching the teacher. Students have one day per day absent to hand in absent work before it is considered late. Covid absences will be handled following district guidelines.

Tardies

We expect students to be in their seats working on the starter when the bell rings for each period. Tardy students will receive a courage violation, which can affect citizenship grades.

Rules of Team Frigga

- C: Concept Mastery**
- O: Outstanding Work Ethic**
- U: Understanding and Empathy**
- R: Respect and Responsibility**
- A: Accountable for Time and Place**
- G: Give Back**
- E: Engage**

Late Work

Work not turned in on the due date not related to an absence will only be accepted until the applicable assessment date. Late work can affect academic and citizenship grades and should be avoided.

If you do

If you don't

Mastery of concepts & skills	Verbal Warning
Courage Cards	Courage Violation
Courage Club	Think Time & Parent Contact
Verbal Praise	Courage Canvas Course
Positive Parent Contact	Office Referral

Re-Takes

Students who receive less than 80% on a formative assessment may have the opportunity to retake, depending on the circumstances surrounding the assessment. Retakes take place by appointment with the teacher within the brief window of opportunity (before the summative assessment). Summative assessments and presentations do not qualify.

Electronic Devices

School-issued Chromebooks and chargers are now considered required school supplies. Students are expected to bring their charged Chromebook every day to every class and will be required to follow classroom procedures regarding these devices.

Personal electronic devices (cell phones, Apple watches, tablets, etc.) are not tolerated during class hours and because they are a constant distraction. Please contact our school office if you need to contact your student immediately. Students who choose to use their devices during unauthorized class time will have their device confiscated and receive a Courage Violation.

Grade Scale

Concept Mastery

A	-	100-93%
A-	-	92.9-90%
B+	-	89.9-87%
B	-	86.9-83%
B-	-	82.9-80%
Below Mastery		
C+	-	79.9-77%
C	-	76.9-73%
C-	-	72.9-70%
D+	-	69.9-65%
D	-	64.9-59.5%
F	-	59.49-0%

Food

We do not allow food or beverages in the hallways, with the exception of water bottles with a cap and food under the direction of the classroom teacher.

Citizenship

Citizenship grades are based on student behavior in accordance with DPMS's Code of COURAGE, on-time attendance, and work ethic. Citizenship grades are earned according to the attached school-wide rubric. **Students may be excluded from extracurricular activities such as field trips, field day, team activities / assemblies due to poor citizenship.**

Media Use

During certain units, students will be viewing part or all of feature films. All films have been approved by and belong to the school media collection or the district media center. If students do not have parent permission to watch a PG movie, please contact teachers.

Hall Passes

Students are allowed hall passes per quarter. These are glued into each student's planner. If hall pass privileges are abused, teachers will contact home and adjust expectations.

Face Masks

Students are expected to wear a face mask when they are in the school building (including in classrooms). Students may partially remove their masks in order to take a drink of water during class. Face shields can be worn in addition to a face mask, but are not required.

School Supplies

This year more than ever, students are expected to have their own school supplies every day in class to reduce the use of shared supplies. Students who are unprepared will miss educational time.

Detach this page and turn in to your homeroom by Friday, August 23rd!
Please keep the first page for your reference.

Student and Parent Disclosure Acknowledgement

My homeroom is: _____

6th Grade – Team Frigga

WE HAVE READ AND DISCUSSED THE CONTENTS OF THIS DISCLOSURE PACKET AND AGREE TO ADHERE TO THE EXPECTATIONS AND RULES ESTABLISHED FOR 6TH GRADE.

Student Name (printed)

Student Signature

Parent Name (printed)

Parent Signature

Parent Email Address

Parent phone number

Please circle:

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|---|-----|----|
| 1. I give permission for my student to watch PG-rated films in class: | yes | no |
| 2. I give permission for my student's work to be: | | |
| Displayed in classroom or school | yes | no |
| Posted on class or Team websites (first names only) | yes | no |
| 3. Photo Release – Pictures may be taken of students performing labs, group work, etc. and posted on the class website or in slide shows used for award assemblies, and/or during lunchtime. I give my permission for my student to be included in photos/videos. | yes | no |
| 4. Are you willing to be a parent volunteer for various activities? | yes | no |

Any student allergies, like latex, that are pertinent to a classroom environment?

What else would you like us to know about your student?