

**Health
Mrs. Rodgers
Room 2710**



COURSE DESCRIPTION: Health education at Hickory Creek Middle School is an important aspect of the middle school curriculum. It is a six week course that is taught at the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade levels. The curriculum covers emotional health, social health, drug and alcohol education, body systems, nutrition, hygiene, safety, human growth and development, and disease. As students progress to the next grade level, new information is introduced, as well as incorporating previous knowledge.

TEXTBOOKS: Teen Health, Bronson, Cleary, Hubbard. (Courses 1 and 2)

ASSIGNMENTS: Assignments will be turned in as they are completed. Textbooks will stay in the classroom, so students will be completing most of their work during class time. If for any reason a student is absent, it is his/her responsibility to make up the work. Please come and see me if you have any questions or concerns regarding late or missing work.

HOMEWORK: The majority of work will be completed in class. As long as students manage their time, take home work will be limited.

GRADING POLICY: Students will be given points for homework, tests, quizzes, and projects to figure a total grade. The grading scale enforced by the school will be used to determine a letter grade.

SUPPLIES: Students need to bring a pen/pencil and paper or spiral notebook everyday to class, unless told otherwise. A two pocket folder is advised as well.

AVAILABILITY: Please feel free to contact me at these times or send an email. Monday through Friday: 9:22-10:10 or 12:15-12:50

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Thanks!!!!

