EXPECTATIONS

*All School Rules set forth in the Student Handbook apply in this and every other class.*

**ELECTRONIC DEVICES:** Cell phones and other personal hand held electronic devices can be placed in the “Pockets” at the beginning of class for an additional reward of 2 “Professionalism Points” per day. The phones will remain in the pockets, untouched and unchecked during the period. Students who do not wish to submit their Cell Phones will not be penalized *BUT* will not receive “Professionalism Points” either. Students who are found to be using a Cell Phone, headphones or any other electronic devices during an unauthorized time will be penalized 2 “Professionalism Points” for each separate infraction.

**SELF-MANAGEMENT/SELF-DISCIPLINE:** All students will be expected to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner for the classroom and the work environment. Students will be held accountable for their choices. The classroom environment should be a constructive place in which students should be able to feel safe and be encouraged to contribute constructively to classroom discussions. Book bags of all kinds should be put in the locker according to the student handbook and will not be allowed in class. Students who engage in inappropriate or destructive behavior that results in a negative classroom environment will and be penalized “Professionalism Points” for that day and may face additional administrative consequences.

**SLEEPING IN CLASS**: Students will be penalized “Professionalism Points” for sleeping in class (seen as S.I.C. in “Genesis”). Students sleeping in class will penalized but will not be disturbed. Students will receive a zero for the classwork as well.

**ARRIVAL:** Students are expected to arrive to class on time. Students are given an allotment of time to travel from one class to the next. Students who are late will be written up for lateness, will be penalized “Professionalism Points,” and administrative consequences will follow.

**BATHROOM PASSES**: Bathroom passes will be issued to one student at a time. Students are expected to be back in the classroom within 5 minutes. Students should not be asking for passes to go to locker, bathroom etc in the 1st 5 or last 5 minutes of class. Students are required to use the sign out/in sheet and have a signed pass from the teacher. Students who abuse this privilege will be penalized “Professionalism Points” and may lose the privilege.

Course Requirements & Expectations Return Form

The purpose of this form is to establish clearly defined expectations at the outset of the year so that together we can create a productive classroom environment and a positive learning experience for all of the students enrolled in these classes. Please review the material that has been presented in the Course Requirements and Expectations form and return this form on or before the date given below.

* ***All students have the right to learn*** in a respectful and cooperative learning environment.
* ***All students have the right to speak*** and to ***be heard***.
* **All students have the right to feel safe** and free from profanity, physical contact and bullying of any kind.
* **All students have the right to develop a sense of accountability** and citizenship through taking responsibility for their own actions and performance by arriving on time and demonstrating appropriate conduct in the classroom.
* **All students have the right to accommodations and extra help** when needed.
* **All students have the right to learn** in an environment that is free from distractions caused by personal electronic devices and social media.
* **All students have the right to a clean and sanitary environment** free from spillage of unauthorized food and/or drinks.
* I have read and understand that students are encouraged to take notes daily.
* I understand that students will be expected to arrive on time and to conduct themselves in a manner that will allow them to contribute to a positive and constructive classroom environment.
* I have read and understand the material presented in the **Course Requirements & Expectations.**

**Student Name** : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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***Please sign, detach and return this page before the end of the first full week of school***

*More detailed information in addition to class resources can be found at* [**www.mv.org**](http://www.mv.org)