

WEST CARTERET HIGH SCHOOL

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

January 17, 2017

Dear Parents & Students

Hello and welcome to the spring 2017 semester. I want to congratulate you on your decision to take AP Statistics. This course is the equivalent of a college level introductory Statistics course. As such, it will be rigorous and demanding. Students enrolled in this course should be *capable* of working at the college level and *willing* to work at the college level. It should be a challenging yet rewarding and beneficial experience. All students will take the AP Statistics Exam on May 11, 2017.

Grading will be based on homework, quizzes, tests, projects, and a portfolio. It should be noted that the portfolio is not an optional project. Portfolios will be due the day after each chapter exam. Late portfolios will receive a maximum of 70%. Students not submitting portfolios or other assigned work will receive a course grade of *Incomplete* which will be removed once the portfolio is submitted. All grades will be published in Power School promptly for your information.

I am available for extra help before and after school. Students have been provided with my phone number and email address so they can also contact me after hours if they have questions. I have provided a copy of "How to Succeed in Mr. Mayo's AP Statistics Class" to students and I would urge you to ask them to share that with you.

Further course information can be found at mayomath.weebly.com on the AP Statistics tab.

Supplies need for this course include a two 3-ring notebooks (at least 2 inch), two composition notebooks, pencils, college-ruled notebook paper, graph paper, and a graphing calculator.

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions or concerns. I sincerely look forward to working with your student this semester. The best way to reach me is through email. My address is colin.mayo@carteretk12.org. Working together, I know we can make this course a very productive, enjoyable, and rewarding experience.

Sincerely,

Colin F. Mayo

Student Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Parent Email Address: _____

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