**Class:** Science 8

**Instructor from September to December:** Mme. McQuaid Murphy

**Marking Scheme:**

Test 35%

Assignments labs and projects 35%

Quizzes 10%

Class mark/ homework/ portfolio 20%

**Important things to remember:**

1. Students must have a pencil, blue pen, red pen, for all classes. A duotang will be kept in class for marked assignments.
2. All work must be neat, with proper grammar and spelling. Students must **show all work**. The process is important!
3. Students are responsible for getting missing assignments and homework when they are absent due to illness, school related activity or personal reasons. Please make use of homework buddies and the school website.
4. Make up test are given at lunch. Students must arrange the date ahead of time by submitting an acceptable written excuse the morning they are back to school or prior to leaving if at all possible.
5. A formal extra help session is available day 3 at lunch in my class. Bring your lunch and notes with you at 11:55 if you wish to attend.
6. School late policy will be followed for late assignments.
7. Students should expect 15 to 20 minutes of homework. Remember that homework involves completing work from class, reviewing notes for the week, completing assignments and project work.
8. Homework will be checked often. 1 mark will be taken off the homework section for each time homework is not complete. If you had trouble with the homework please let me know in the morning before classes start and no deduction will be taken. Often with a few minutes of extra help we can solve the problem together. ☺
9. Please feel free to contact me at any time in regards to your son or daughter’s progress. I strongly believe in a team approach to learning. You can contact me at 627-4088 or by email at [angela.mcquaidmurphy@nbed.nb.ca](mailto:angela.mcquaidmurphy@nbed.nb.ca)

Childs name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Homeroom:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone number that you can be reached at during the day:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent email:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_