Dawson High School

## PRE-AP PRE-CALCULUS Joe Betters bettersj@pearlandisd.org

I would like to welcome you to your new school year. I look forward to getting to know you and sharing this year of high school with you. We have a lot of work to do this year. This class requires a lot of time which will help prepare you for your future. My goals are for every student to be successful, as well as be prepared for Calculus next year!

Pre-AP Pre-Calculus students will accept full responsibility for:

- 1. Attending all classes.
  - a. If absent, you will obtain all missed assignments on the class REMIND, MATHXLFORSCHOOL.COM (online textbook), or CANVAS.
- 2. Completing all assignments in a timely manner.
  - a. Assignments outside of class are required components of this course.
  - b. Late assignments will be graded according to the district policy.
- 3. Communicating with your teacher about any issues you are having in the class such as:
  - a. No internet access.
  - b. Issues with your device
  - c. Struggling with a concept or an assignment.
  - d. Conflict with tutorials.
- 4. Not required, but very highly recommended to bring to class everyday:
  - a. TI-Inspire
  - b. I-pad or laptop
- 5. Class expectations:
  - a. Be Prepared
  - b. Be Respectful
  - c. Be Responsible
- 6. Grading Policies:
  - a. Tests and Projects 60%
  - b. Quizzes and Homework 40%
  - c. You must use one of our Inspire Calculators for all tests and quizzes
  - d. You may retest 2 tests per nine weeks for up to a 70
- 7. Supplies:
  - a. Folder for notes

I want you to be successful this year. I want you to believe in yourself. I want you to be proud of your accomplishments.

\*\*I will give instructions for signing up for mathxlforschool.com and remind the first week of school\*\*