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Randolph High School
Intro to Statistics
2009-2010

Welcome to Intro to Stats. I look forward to a great year of working with you all. I have outlined some important information regarding the course below. Please read this and ask if you have any questions.

Textbook: *Workshop Statistics: Discovery with Data and the Graphing Calculator* – Rossman, Chance, and Oehsen

Sakai: We will be using the Sakai Course Management System this year. Please have the permission form signed and returned as soon as possible. Sakai will allow me to post a number of resources online, including class notes, PowerPoint presentations, and homework assignments.

Homework: Homework is intended to support learning that takes place in class. Homework will be assigned daily. Expect it to be collected and graded frequently. Some amount of class time may be allocated to answering homework questions, but it is each student's responsibility to keep up with assignments and to seek out help when questions arise. I am available before school and at lunch time in Room D207 if you need assistance. Let me know in advance if you will be stopping by.

Quizzes/Tests: Students should expect short quizzes (3-5 questions) frequently throughout a marking period. They are intended to assess how well students are assimilating newer material. Tests (10-20 questions) will be administered roughly every one to two weeks.

Participation: Active participation in class and on Sakai should be beneficial to each student's learning and grades. Students will be notified in advance when a "participation" activity will be assessed and graded.

In-Class Activities: Class time will be used for a variety of purposes including presentation of new material, demonstration of problem solving techniques, etc., but will also be used for various "lab" exercises, both individual and cooperative in nature. These exercises will be collected and graded. Students will be notified beforehand when the activity is to be assessed and what its point value will be.

Grading:	Homework	25%
	Quizzes	20%
	Tests	30%
	Participation	10%
	In-Class Activities	15%

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding these items. Have a great year!