Exploring Creation with Physical Science
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Dear Students-

What a year we have ahead of us! I am looking forward to working with you on Physical Science, and can't wait to get started. I hope each of you feel the same.

We will be doing some pretty complicated lab work this year, and will all need to follow the following rules in our lab:

1. **No horseplay**
2. **Prepare for the lab by reading all directions completely**
3. **Listen to directions**
4. **If you're unsure of the directions, ask before proceeding**

Attached is an outline of work to be done during the week. All work needs to be completed on time. We will be spending approximately 2 weeks on each of the 16 modules. As you read, answer the "On Your Own" questions at home and keep them in your binder. You don't need to do a new sheet for each set of questions, but be sure to skip one line after each answer to add corrections. Always answer questions in complete sentences and show all work on mathematical calculations. At the end of each unit, complete the Study Guide. Do it on your own. To be sure you're prepared for the test, have your parents check it using the solutions manual. When the module is complete, take the test on your own, without help and without the book. Then turn in all the work at the times marked on the outline. Your work should be turn in a binder with your name clearly marked on the front.

Each week, bring the following supplies to class:

Exploring Creation with Physical Science 2nd Edition
3 ring notebook with paper and 16 dividers (one for each module)
Calculator
Pencils with erasers
Blue or Black ink pen

All Lab work will be documented on the physical science lab sheet (a copy is attached in this packet). We will go over how to write up your lab report in more detail the first day of class. All lab documentation associated with the module will be turned in every two weeks at the same time you turn in your other module work.

Please let me know as soon as possible of any problems or questions you may have. Small problems tend to grow if left unattended. Email is the best way to get in touch with me, but you can also give me a call if needed.

I am also including a grading scale. Please have your parents complete the attached form if they would like for you to receive a grade in my class.

Looking forward to a great year in Science!

Mrs. Talbott