**Anatomy and Physiology Information Sheet**

**Teacher: Julie Crider julie.crider@crockettschools.net**

**Room: 202**

**Class Overview:** Instruction will be given mostly in the form of taking notes and class discussions. Worksheets, activities, laboratory exercises, and homework assignments will be used to reinforce the material.

The course is divided into an introduction and a study of each body system: the integumentary, skeletal, muscular, nervous, and endocrine systems will be covered in the 1st quarter. The cardiovascular, lymphatic, respiratory, digestive, urinary, and reproductive systems will be covered in the second quarter. There will be a comprehensive final exam covering the entire class.

**Materials Needed:** a 3-ring binder with dividers is recommended for notes and handouts (a spiral notebook and folder may also be used), pencils (mechanical is preferable, make sure you always have a back-up or extra lead), notebook paper, 3x5 index cards, occasionally you will need colored pencils, scissors, tape, and glue for activities and projects

**Fees: $10.00:**fees cover the purchase of lab materials, animals, handouts, and disposable items necessary for this course.

**Daily Class Requirements:** Every day, the student is expected to bring his/her notebook, textbook, and pencils to class. Students will be notified prior to class if other materials such as index cards or colored pencils are needed. The student is expected to be in his/her seat when the bell rings with notebooks open and ready to begin class. The student is expected to take notes, participate in discussions, and complete all assignments. (**taking notes is not optional**) Daily grades may be lowered for failure to comply.

**Make up work policy:** It is the student’s responsibility to find out about missing assignments when absent. I will not come find you and force you to do a missing assignment. It is the student’s responsibility to get missed notes from a friend. I do not loan out my copies! If the student knows about an absence ahead of time (fieldtrip, appointment), it is the student’s responsibility to talk to the teacher and get future assignments. In these instances the assignments are due with the rest of the class or earlier.

**Make up test policy:** I reserve the right to make a make-up test harder than the original. Make-up tests should be done on the student’s own time (learning lab, before school), not during class.

**CCHS Grading Policies and Categories:**

93-100 A

85-92 B

75-84 C

70-74 D

69 and below F

50% Tests grades

25% Daily grades

25% Exam grade

For dates of all tests, quizzes, exams, and projects, please see attached calendars.

**General rules:**

**Follow school policies on attendance, tardies, dresscode, and general conduct.**

**Class Environment:** The feel of my classroom is very important to me. I want you to like coming to my classroom. In order to maintain the atmosphere required for optimum learning, students should NEVER do the following:

Complain- It won’t change anything but people’s moods.

Cheat- The easy way out isn’t fair to anyone. We’re all working hard here.

Sleep- I’m not boring; your lethargy will offend me.

**Surefire ways to become one of Mrs. Crider’s favorites:**

-Be on time. I love punctuality

-Be attentive, enthusiastic, and entertaining. Class is as fun as you make it.

-Work hard, study hard, always try.

-Talk to me about any problems you have with the class, its members, or even me.

-Clean up after yourself **and others.**

**Other Policies:**

Food and Drink: fine with me, just don’t make a mess!

Leaving class: it better be an emergency

I have read over the syllabus and I have noted that classroom behavior and student responsibility are significant factors in determining the final grade.  I also have read and understand the class policies.  I also understand that I can contact the teacher at julie.crider@crockettschools.net or call CCHS at 731-696-4525 to set-up a meeting with the teacher.

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