# **GRADING**

All assignments are due at the beginning of the class. Late work will be accepted for only 60% of the credit and not accepted after two weeks past the due date. Students must receive the grade of a "C-" or better for the class in order to attend special field trips.

 ${\sf Tech\ Shirts\ (MUST\ BE\ WORN\ EVERY\ MONDAY\ ALL\ DAY),\ Homework/Class\ work,\ Participation,}\\$ 

Tests/Quizzes: 40%

Project: 60%

# **Grading Scale**

A 94-100 B 84-8

Giving or using outside help on an assessment without permission

Copying any work or allowing another student to copy one's work; all work submitted must be that of the individual student.

Falsifying or inventing any academic work.

Having another student, parent, or other adult write or make major changes to student work. Unauthorized collaboration: collaborative work will be at the direction of the teacher and be documented according to assignment guidelines.

Plagiarizing: presenting another's ideas, words, or work as one's own.

Unauthorized altering, taking, or publishing of any student, teacher, or school materials.

Possible Consequences for Any Offense of Academic Dishonesty:

Zero on the assignment with no option to resubmit

Confiscation of assignment by teacher (included in student record)

Parents contacted

Referral to administration and/or counselors

Teacher consequence

## **CELL PHONES AND OTHER DISRUPTIVE DEVICES**

We don't appreciate cell phones, iPods, or any other annoying electronic devices that may go off during class. Please silence these devices before class begins, and put them in the charging station. They are never allowed in class. If there is an emergency you may use my classroom phone or the office will call my classroom.

## Music/Headphones

No earphones, headphones, or music during lectures. Music may be permitted, at my choosing, during lab time, played through my overhead speakers.

#### GOOGLE

We will use Gmail, Google Drive, and Google Classroom extensively to obtain any necessary material for this class. Announcements will sometimes also go out on Remind. It is your responsibility to check them regularly for announcements, assignments, emails, and other things which I'll direct your attention to. It is your responsibility to ensure that you've completed and turned in all of your coursework.

#### STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

If you have a documented disability and wish to discuss academic accommodations, or if you would need assistance in the event of an emergency, please contact me.