

**Lake Shore Central Middle School**  
**Technology Education, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade, 2011-2012**  
**Mr. Seivert**

**Full Year Course**

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** Technology Education is the study of how people use natural resources to satisfy their needs and desires. In order to understand the ever-changing world around us, students need to have a basic understanding of how technology influences their lives and society in general.

**Supplies Needed For Class:** Textbook (kept in class)  
Folder  
Agenda  
Pens and Pencils

**Main Topics of Course:**

Chapter 4 Communicating Design Solutions  
Chapter 7 Processing Materials  
Chapter 8 Manufacturing  
Chapter 9 Construction  
Chapter 10 Communication Systems

**Academic Expectations**

1. Students will be required to have their agenda books in class. The agenda book is to be used to keep daily track of assignments and project dates.
2. Students must have paper, pens, and pencils daily.
3. Homework assignments must be turned in by 2:55 PM (11<sup>th</sup> period) for full credit. Students may turn in Homework the day after it is due, until 2:55 PM. Homework turned in on that second day will be graded only receiving 90% credit. After that second day, all Homework is still expected to be completed, but will receive a grade of “0”.

4. Students are responsible to make up work the day they are absent. If a student is absent on the day of a test or quiz, the test or quiz will be taken during the next class the student is present.
5. Cheating in any form will be not tolerated. Copying homework or cheating on tests will result in a zero for the assignment or the test, and your parents will be contacted.

**Behavioral Expectations:**

1. Students must be in their seats at the beginning of class to get started right away.
2. Students are expected to respect the right of others in the classroom.
3. Students are responsible for their actions in class; only conduct appropriate to an educational atmosphere will be accepted.
4. All lab activities must be completed with all safety procedures being followed.
5. Students must observe all school policies regarding unnecessary or restricted items in the classroom.
6. At the end of class, students must remain in their seats until the teacher dismisses the class.

**Grading policy:**

**This is primarily a hands on course. Most of your average will be determined by classwork such as computer work or projects.**

**75% Computer activities and building of projects.**

**25% Tests and quizzes.**