# **BINDER – Algebra Semester II**

### Purpose:

To help organize all your notes, homework, etc. throughout the year.

## **Binder:**

You will need a 1.5" or 2" three-ring binder for this class. You have the option to use insertable tab indexes OR sticky notes to help organize your binder. This is needed the second day of school.

## **Organization of Your Binder:**

- $\sqrt{}$  This sheet and syllabus
- $\sqrt{}$  Review Material
- $\sqrt{}$  Chapter 3 Solving Linear Equations
- $\sqrt{}$  Chapter 4 Graphing Linear Equations and Functions
- $\sqrt{}$  Chapter 7 Systems of Linear Equations and Inequalities
- $\sqrt{}$  Chapter 8 Exponents and Exponential Functions
- $\sqrt{10}$  One page reflection entry per chapter

In each unit, you will organize any notes and all homework assignments.

## **Reflection Entry:**

Each unit you will need to write a one-page reflection entry about your reflections on different topics from the unit as well as your effort and commitment given towards the unit. Basically, just ramble on about how class is going. This is a great opportunity for you to let me know how things are going for you. Maybe there are things you like about what I am doing or maybe there are things you dislike. Maybe you have ideas to help the class with something. The biggest thing is to put some thought into your reflection entry. A short two sentence reflection entry that says, "I'm doing fine. Keep up the good work Ms. Hentrich" will not get you any points. 😳

## **Binder Grading:**

Binders may be checked and graded at various times throughout the year, usually at the end of each unit, for completion, organization, and neatness. Each unit will be graded based upon a rubric that will be given out at the beginning of each unit.