

Additional Resources

Smitha Website

<http://www.cobbk12.org/~smitha/Welcome%21.html>

List of Science Standards by Grade

<http://picasso.cobbk12.org/?module=PageSetter&func=viewpub&tid=9&pid=31>

Practice Tests

<https://www.myskillstutor.com/login.jsp?user=&site=smitha01>

Science Curriculum by Grade Level:

6th Earth Science

7th Life Science

8th Physical Science

Current Textbook Series:

Holt Science & Technology

www.my.hrw.com



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systematic study*

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EXPECTATIONS

*The science classroom is a learning environment, so we QUESTION, THINK and DISCOVER!

If you don't understand something, ASK! If you still don't understand, ASK AGAIN! This is a sign of intelligence!

*Everyone is expected to be on time and prepared for class. This means you are seated and working on the warm-up by the time the bell rings. You need to bring all suggested materials with you. Please use the restroom and get drinks between classes.

*There is no eating in class. At times we will work with items that may be dangerous if near or mixed with food. Also, it will keep the bugs away. You may bring water only, if it is in a covered container.

*As this is a science classroom, you need to follow all directions especially as they relate to safety. If you choose unsafe behavior during any part of a lab or activity, you will immediately be sent to another classroom with an alternative assignment.

*Remember the Golden Rule: Treat others as you wish to be treated. The classroom is a place where we are all respectful and respected. Your teacher shows you respect by being on time, being prepared, smiling, setting high standards, communicating what is expected until you understand, giving you their time and attention, respecting your property and being fair. I know you will do the same for them.

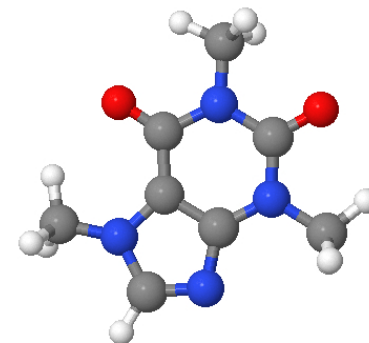
Science Department Mission

The Smitha Science Department, by fostering an environment where students, faculty and staff work collaboratively to expand knowledge in the disciplines of science and complimentary curricula, seeks to provide stud with a science foundation that is appropriate to their career goals and with knowledge and skills that will allow them to function as responsible and contributing members of society.

Meeting Your Child's Needs

In support of its mission, the Smitha Science Department is committed to provide:

- A climate which encourages students, faculty, and staff to contribute to the intellectual, cultural, and economic vitality of the school and the communities it serves
- Instruction that meets the evolving needs of its students and outreach opportunities that serve those within the primary service areas of the school
- Facilities and technology that support the learning environment
- Remediation and extension services design to ensure all students succeed and are challenged to excel



**We've got
learning
down to a
science!**

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