Sixth Grade General Science Syllabus

Student Name
Science is a fun class that I hope each student will find fun and interesting. I feel strongly that it is important that each student is able to gain an understanding, and appreciation of the basic principles of Science.
I do have an extensive video collection. Most of the videos are of a documentary nature, but I do show the movie "October Sky" when we study the history of space exploration. It has a PG rating, and I further edit out the swear words. It has a tremendous message, and is one I plan to continue to use. If you are opposed to your child watching this video please make a note at the bottom of this page. I will also show the video "Rocket Man" when we are discussing the possibility of a mission to Mars. It has a G rating, and I have found no questionable material in it.
We have a lot of fun activities that will be a part of this class. We will include many hands on activities that the students will enjoy taking part in.
We will have daily warm-up activities that will be a part of each student's grade in the class. I also offer a "Free Friday" program where each student can turn in any late assignment on Friday without points being deducted for being late.
I include an extensive amount of both math and writing in my science curriculum as I strongly feel those are two important aspects of success in science.
If each student will apply himself or herself they will succeed. I will not send a lot of homework, because many of the activities cannot be done at home.
I look forward to working with each student, and know it will be a fun and exciting year.
Sincerely, Brad Street
Parent Signature