

## Grading System Parameters

During the coming year, I will use the following grading system when assessing your main lesson books. The grade you receive will be based on my perception of your efforts to develop precise and accurate work. This grade will take into consideration your use of creative expression, color, form and detail, as well as the completeness, accuracy and timeliness of each assignment. This system requires that you continually strive to improve your efforts throughout the year.

### **Main lesson books will be graded on:**

- \*Written entries: correct spelling/punctuation/handwriting
- \* In the case of scientific illustrations, I will pay close attention to the accuracy of the drawing and correct labeling
- \*Quality of art work
- \*Overall presentation of book... neatness and care (books should be free of pencil lines and smudges, etc.
- \*Meeting assignment deadlines/completeness of assignments

The following Grading system will be used for Main lesson assignments/books and block projects:

- "10"- exceptional work
- 9.5- excellent work
- 9.0- very good work
- 8.5- good work
- 8.0- acceptable work
- 7.5- needs improvement (see me for details)
- 7.0- and lower- unacceptable, see me for further instructions

**IMPORTANT:** All communication concerning main lesson book deadline extensions must occur before the day the book is due and come from both you and your parent/s. It is your responsibility to get your book completed and turned in on time. If you are falling behind, let me know- let your parents know- **BEFORE IT IS DUE!**