

MEET *the* TEACHER

MS. Hernandez



About Me

Hi There! My name is Laura Hernandez, and I will be your Science teacher this year! I have been a teacher for 23 years, and at Archimedean for 10 years. I also have a daughter. Her name is Annabelle, and she is 10 years old and is in 5th grade. My goal this year is to inspire life-long curiosity about the world and foster a love for science.

Favorites

Favorite Color: Blue
Favorite Food: Mexican
Favorite Music: Country
Favorite Drink: Coffee
Favorite Store: Target
Favorite Season: Fall
Favorite Holiday:
Halloween
Favorite Hobby: Reading
Favorite Sport:
Basketball
Favorite Animal: Dogs

Important Information

3rd Grade Meet and Greet: Wednesday, 8/13/25, 1:00-2:00pm
3E Homeroom is room 207

Email: laura.hernandez@archimedean.org

Parent-Teacher Conferences

If you have any questions or concerns and you would like to schedule an appointment, please email me. I am available Monday-Friday at 7:30am.

*Parent conferences/meetings must be requested and scheduled via email.

Homework

- Homework is a continuation of the day's lesson; therefore, scholars will have daily homework to complete.
- Homework will be uploaded to sis.archimedean.org (Archie) on Sunday evening and due by the end of the day on the following Monday.
- Homework can be uploaded and turned in via Archie OR printed out and turned in.
- Late homework will be reduced by 1 letter grade for each day it is late.
 - Submitted complete and on time 100%.
 - 1 day late & complete 89%.
 - 2 days late & complete 79%.
 - 3 days late & complete 69%.
 - 4 or more days late & complete 59%.
- Homework that is not submitted will be entered as a Z (zero) in the grade book.

Classroom Behavior



ClassDojo

- Scholars are expected to follow Classroom Rules.
- Positive behaviors will be awarded via Class Dojo Points.
- Scholars with the top 5 number of points will receive treasure box at the end of each week.

Gradebook

Tests: 30%

Quizzes: 20%

Classwork: 15%

Homework: 10%

Projects/Labs 25%

Grades can be viewed on the Miami Dade County Public Schools Portal. Username is your child's ID# and the password is their birth month, birth date, year, and the first and last initials of their name. For example: 030912em

Parents, please note that it is the scholar's responsibility to monitor their grades. If there is a grade you or the scholar is unsure of or have questions about, it is imperative that you email the teacher immediately after a grade is input in Grade Book, as it is very hard to remedy a problem if you notify us weeks later and/or at the end of the grading period.

3rd Grade Science Class Policy and Procedures Contract

**Please review the class policy and procedures, and sign and return this page by September 2, 2025.

Student's Name: _____ Section: _____

Guardian: _____

Date: _____