

Welcome to Life Connections and Careers

Mrs. Lipinski—C10



About Mrs. Crystal Lipinski

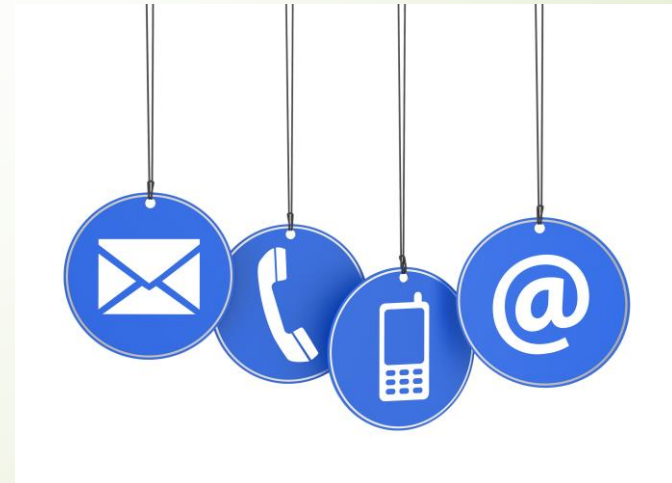
- ▶ University of Illinois @ Urbana-Champaign—B.S. Psychology, Minor in Spanish, May 1997
- ▶ University of Southern California—M.A. MFCC, May 1999
- ▶ Arizona State University—INCITE Post-Baccalaureate Teaching Program, December 2002

- ▶ Secondary Certificate—Spanish and Psychology
- ▶ Adult Education Certificate
- ▶ Middle School & SEI Endorsements



How to Contact Me:

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- Remind app
- <http://www.cusd80.com/Domain/7550>



Remind notifications

Text:

- ▶ Period 1-@cchslcc1
- ▶ Period 3-@cchslcc3
- ▶ Period 4-@cchslcc4
- ▶ Period 5-@cchslcc5



to 81010

Curriculum

One Semester Course

- 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens (time management, goal setting/planning/prioritizing, taking responsibility for self, understanding that they are in a larger world/community, genuine listening, etc.)
- Learning Styles/Strategies
- Brainology—Growth Mindset
- EverFi—Financial Literacy
- Study Skills/Test-taking strategies
- Cornell Notes & Annotating
- AzCIS (Arizona Career Information System)
- College/Career Profiles
- Job Applications/Mock Job Interviews
- Who Moved My Cheese
- ACT/SAT Questions of the Day



"The Colt Way"

SAT/ACT Questions of the Day (Q.O.D.)

We do these
most days as
warm-ups.

Directions: Fill out form **completely** and **legibly** for each day – try doing the problem, but don't worry if you cannot. Complete the box regardless; the website or app will give you the correct answer should you need it. Use this form Monday through Thursday, even on BLOCK days or if you're absent. This form is due **FRIDAYS**.

Date _____ (Monday)

Source (circle one): SAT / ACT

Question:

Subject:

Correct Answer:

Reason (may be appropriately summarized, but must be in a complete sentence):



Grades

- ▶ Projects (about 2/qtr) 40%
 - ▶ Tests/Quizzes 35%
 - ▶ Classwork/Participation 25%
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- ▶ Semester Grades are calculated as follows:
 - ▶ 1st Quarter = 40%
 - ▶ 2nd Quarter = 40%
 - ▶ Final Exam = 20%



Absences:

When students are absent, they should...

- ▶ Check the website for PowerPoints and notes
- ▶ Check the “While You Were Out” crate
- ▶ Add in any notes to their notebooks, either from the PowerPoint or from a neighbor.
- ▶ Students have the same numbers of days they were absent to make up any work.

Website

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL cusd80.com/Page/80144. The website is for Casteel High School, featuring a dark blue header with the school logo (a horse head) and the motto "Courage - Character - Commitment". The header also includes navigation links for "Event Calendar", "Connect With Us", "Tax Credit", "Online Grades", "Parent Portal", and "Community Education". A yellow navigation bar contains links for "Our School", "Registration", "Departments", "Faculty", "Parents/Students", "Programs & Clubs", "College & Career", "Athletics", "Boundaries & Maps", and "Calendar".

The main content area is titled "LIPINSKI, CRYSTAL" and includes a sidebar with links: "About the Teacher", "Class Calendar", "Class Materials", "Class Reminders", "Helpful Forms/Links", "LCC 7 Assignments and Notes - 1st Semester" (with sub-links for "Assignments" and "Parent Updates"), "SAT/ACT Question of the Day", and "EverFi".

The main content area displays a breadcrumb trail: "Home > Faculty > Lipinski, Crystal > LCC 7 Assignments and Notes - 1st Semester". Below this, a notice states: "Please note that plans are subject to change." The page lists assignments for two weeks:

- Week of August 5, 2019**
 - Mon., 8/5/19
 - Habit 1 Review
 - [Begin Habit 2](#)
 - Tues., 8/6/19
 - Finish Habit 2
 - The Great Discovery
 - Mission Statement Project
 - Wed., 8/7/19 (BLOCK 1, 3, 5)
 - Mission Statement Project
 - Habit 3
 - Thurs., 8/8/19 (BLOCK 2, 4, 6)
 - Mission Statement Project
 - Habit 3
 - Fri., 8/9/19
 - Mission Statement Project DUE!
 - Planning, Prioritizing and Organzing Lesson
- Week of July 29, 2019**
 - Mon., 7/29/19
 - 7 Habits Profile
 - [7 Habits of Highly Ineffective Teens](#)
 - Tues., 7/30/19
 - [Principles and Paradigms](#)
 - Wed., 7/31/19
 - [Personal Bank Account](#)

The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows icons for search, task view, Edge, Chrome, File Explorer, Outlook, and PowerPoint.



Late Work

- ▶ Late work will be accepted but is subject to a 10% grade reduction each day.
- ▶ In Infinite Campus, you will see a due date in the notes. If the assignment is not turned in by that date, the grade will be changed from a Missing to a 0.
- ▶ Notebook check grades are not lowered but will go in as Missing until they are turned in.



Parent-Teacher Partnership

- ▶ Parent & Teacher Team Work- Let's team up to ensure your child's success!
- ▶ Check website and student grades frequently
- ▶ Encourage your student to be a self-advocate—have them send the email or come in and talk to me
- ▶ Please don't text or call your child during the school day. Contact office in case of emergency.
- ▶ Please be mindful of attendance. Block day absences deny your child two full days of learning.
- ▶ Friday email blasts



Cell Phones

- ▶ Yes, we are a “Bring Your Own Technology” school
- ▶ However, they can only be used with teacher permission
- ▶ They should be out of sight and on silent or put in the organizer
- ▶ If I tell a student to put his/her phone away more than twice, they will be issued a lunch detention and you will be contacted.



Final Thought!

Children Are Like Kites

By Erma Bombeck

You spend a lifetime trying to get them off the ground.

You run with them until you are both breathless.

They crash. They hit the rooftop.

You patch and comfort, adjust and teach.

You watch them lifted by the wind and assure them that someday, they'll fly.

Finally, they are airborne;

They need more string and you keep letting it out;

But with each twist of the ball of twine,

There is a sadness that goes with joy.

The kite becomes more distant and you know it won't be long before that beautiful creature will snap the lifeline that binds you two together and will soar as it is meant to soar, free and alone.

Only then do you know that you did your job.

Questions/Concerns:

- ▶ Please don't hesitate to contact me at any time!

