Global Technology

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| Instructor Alyssa McKee Email Alyssa.mckee@polk-fl.net Office Location Building 3, room 104  **Grading policy:**  Bellwork/Classwork/Participation= 20%  Projects=80%  *Grades are available on Student/Parent Portal.* | Course Overview Let me introduce you to an exciting world of invention, innovation, engineering, entrepreneurship, and modern technology. This combination of excitement allows students to experience and apply critical thinking skills, problem-solving techniques, organization and planning skills, also learn how to pay attention to important detail. It is important for students to learn and apply real world skills realizing that making mistakes is inevitable but does not mean give up, self-reflect, learn from your mistake, and encourage yourself to continue to be creative and apply critical thinking.  6th grade students will be focusing on the Design Cycle through creative and interesting projects. This will help them become innovative leaders! As the 8th grade students embark into High School our goal and mission at Lawton Chiles Middle Academy is to have them prepared. In preparation for high school this course will focus on different career fields with an emphasis in creating entrepreneurship ideas for the field of interest through a design cycle.Course Materials  * **Global Tech fee $10.00** * Notebook * Folder * Pencils |

Bathroom policy: I understand that emergencies may happen, I prefer students to use the restroom prior to the beginning of class. Students will need to sign in with the teacher, drop off personal belongings, and then proceed to use the bathroom.

Late Work and No Name Policy: If the student does not have their classwork or projects on the day it’s due, it’s late. All late work in my class is automatically marked down to at least 80%. Late work will not be accepted after 5 days from its due date. Any assignment turned in without a name I will give each student the opportunity to identify their paper.

 Absentee Make– up Work Policy:  If a student is absent from class, they are responsible for all that was covered in class. Please refer to the absentee make-up work policy in the Polk County Student Handbook.