Day 11 August 18, 2016

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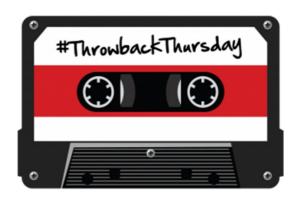
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graduate from the University of

Mississippi in Oxford.



Throwback Thursday
What's one thing you
wish you could go
back and change
about last year?
3 sentence minimum



On Aug. 18, 1963, <u>James Meredith</u> became the first African-American student to graduate from the University of Mississippi in Oxford.

He was the first Black person to attend the school. After being barred on several occasions because of his race, Meredith was formally admitted into the university in October 1962 as transfer student from Jackson State College(presently Jackson State University), an HBCU.

However, his entrance was met with intense rioting on the college campus, and two people died in the clashes. U.S. Marshalls were deployed to the school to keep the peace. Despite facing adversity, Meredith continued on with his studies, graduating with a degree in political science.

Mindfulness Practice Criteria for Success

- 1.) Sit in warrior position.
- -- Bottom touches vertex of chair
- -- Feet flat on ground
- -- Knees under desk
- -- Head supported ONLY by neck muscles
- -- Hands on desk (up or down)
- 2.) Close eyes, following instructions.
- 3.) Remain silent.
- -- Silent voice.
- -- Silent body.
- -- Silent objects.

Math Warm Up Criteria for Success

1.) Complete every problem the best of your ability.

MISTAKES ARE OKAY. Blanks are not.

2.) Show your work on the back OR on looseleaf.

IN YOUR HEAD = COMPLETELY WORTHLESS

3.) Keep your paper all week.

QUIZ EVERY FRIDAY. Come to tutoring if you need.

- 4.) Make corrections.
- 5.) 4 signatures = A 3 signatures = B 2 signatures = C
- 6.) Print it out from the website if you lose it.

Homework Checking Criteria for Success

- 1.) Get a stamp or a signature first.

 This is how Mrs. O'Mara keeps track of your grades.
- 2.) Check if it's correct, X if it's wrong. Use a highlighter or colored pen.
- 3.) Write the correct answer. We use this to study from.
- 4.) Make corrections. If you can find your mistake, fix it,
- 5.) Seek to Understand. Ask questions to make sure you clear up any misunderstandings.



Independent Work Criteria for Success

- 1.) Voice OFF for [6] minutes.

 This helps concentration and focus.
- 2.) Ask 3 before me.

 Use your tokens ask you ask your table mates. People with 1 token left get extra credit.
- 3.) Give HELP, not answers. You are owners of your own learning.
- 4.) Monitor your time for success.

 Use the clock on the board and verbal reminders.





Exit Ticket

 Explain like terms and combining like terms in your own words.

Use:
Definitions
Examples
Pictures
Math
Arrows
Colors

Explain it to a complete stranger, especially someone who has never been in Algebra before.

The best/most complete/ helpful Exit Tickets will get reproduced in everyone's notebook, credited to the author.

