AP Statistics:

Free Response Questions information:

Free response questions are an integral part of the AP exam in May. They are generally the part of the exam that students do not do so great on. Therefore we as a school need to do extra practice on them.

Students will be given one or two free response questions a chapter. Some will be only for practice in class. Some will be for a grade. The ones that are given as a grade will be announced and given in class. The grading will be using the College Board rubric and will be out of 4 points total.

Each part of a question gets an Essential (E: nothing wrong); a Partial (P: one small mistake) or an Incorrect (I: More than one mistake)

- 4: Complete solution
- 3: Developing solution
- 2: Incomplete solution
- 1: Minimal response.
- 0: Did not attempt.

Expect most free response questions to be given the day <u>before</u> the exam over a unit. (students in the past have actually said they prefer before the test) In semesters past I have dropped the lowest two that are given for a grade. <u>However if a student is absent that would also be one of the free response questions dropped.</u>

Free-response questions just for practice can be given at any time. The ones graded will be announced. Topics could be anything we have done up to that point, but generally will be what we are currently studying.

GRADING:

Generally I give one point for an E, a half a point for a P and no points for an I. This may change depending on the question and the college board rubric. However, the following conversion will be used for entering grades in synergy. (Each FRQ out of 100 points)

4: 100; 3 ½ : 93; 3: 85; 2 ½: 78 2: 72; 1 ½ : 65 1: 60 ½: 50