

Lecture: 1:40–2:55pm Monday & Wednesday, Room: Engr 107.

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Office hours : 10:45–11:45am MW, or by appointment

Prerequisite: Score 9 or more on algebra diagnostic exam.

Text: College Algebra Essentials, 3/E, R.F. Blitzer, ISBN(13) 0321577817 (9780321577818) Prentice Hall

Outline: An in-depth study of algebraic equations and inequalities. Comprehension of the underlying algebraic structure will be stressed as well as appropriate algebraic skills. The study will include polynomials, rational, exponential, and logarithmic functions as well as systems of equations/inequalities.

Important Dates:

Aug. 24 First day
Sept. 7–8 Labor Day: No classes
Sept. 10 Last day to register/Final day for 100% Drop Refund
Nov. 25–29 Thanksgiving: No classes
Dec. 2 2:35–2:55pm: Instructor Evaluation (FCQ)
Dec. 9 Lecture ends

Exams: There will be two 75-minute-exams and a comprehensive final exam.

Exam 1 1:40–2:55pm, Oct. 12 (Mon.)
Exam 2 1:40–2:55pm, Nov. 18 (Wed.)
Final Exam 1:40–4:10pm, Dec. 14 (Mon.)

There will be NO makeup exam unless arrangements have been made prior to Sept. 11. A missed exam will be counted as a score of **zero** point toward your course grade.

Grade : 100%

10%: Homework
90%: Exams : 30%/each exam
A: 93–100 A–: 90–92.9 B+: 87–89.9 B: 83–86.9 B–: 80–82.9 C+: 77–79.9
C: 73–76.9 C–: 70–72.9 D+: 67–69.9 D: 63–66.9 D–: 60–62.9 F: below 60%

If the mean/median/average is abnormally low, I may curve the grade.

Drop: Please seek counseling from the Dean's office before dropping *any* course.

Important dates:

Sept. 10 – last day to drop and receive a 100% tuition refund.

Oct. 30 – last day to drop without special permission from your Dean.

Disability Statement: If you have a disability for which you are requesting an accommodation, you are encouraged to contact Disability Services within the first week of classes. Contact information: Main Hall, room 105, 255-3354.