

PreCalculus:

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Description:

Pre Calculus is Math course that continues the Algebraic analysis of polynomial functions. We will also study exponential, logarithmic and trigonometric functions their applications and their graphs. Graphing calculators are very useful and strongly recommended. Pre Calculus is not a standards based class.

Grading Scale:

90% - 100% **A**
80% - 89% **B**
70% - 79% **C**
60% - 69% **D**

Grade:

70% Chapter Tests
15% Assignments/Quizzes
15% Final Exam

Quizzes/Tests/Final:

- Quizzes will be worth around 15 points and be given every week or two. Quizzes may be retaken for the full amount of credit possible within one week of quiz return.
- Tests will be worth around 50 points and be given every few weeks. Tests may be retaken for a maximum of 70%. Tests must be retaken prior to the date of the next test.
- One final, comprehensive exam will be given at the end of each term. Every student will be required to take the final exam. The final will be worth 15% of the final, trimester grade.

Assignments:

Assignments will consist of individual and group homework or classwork. Work will generally be assigned every class period and will usually be due the following class meeting. Assignments will customarily be worth 5 points and graded from 0 - 5 points. Longer assignments will be worth more. Late work will be graded for ½ credit. Students with unexcused absences will not be allowed to make up missed work. Assignments should be handed in to the appropriate upper tray, on the table, at the side of the room. They will be returned, graded in the lower tray.

Chapter Tests:

Students will have one week from the day a test was given to make up any missed test for full credit. Tests can be retaken for a maximum of 70%. All tests must be made up and retakes completed prior to the date of the next test.