

Math 210 - 04 MTWThF 09:30 AM - 10:20 AM, Room E36, CRN 31769 Office Hours: MTTh 12:30 - 1:45 PM and Wednesday 1:30 - 2:45 PM College Math Preparation Level 1: Pre-Algebra

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Prerequisite: Advisory: EWRT 211 and READ 211 (or LART 211), or ESL 272 and 273.

**Course Description:** Use of basic arithmetic in application problems, estimation, the real number system, variables and linear equations, graphs of linear equations and the Cartesian coordinate system, the concept of function.

**Textbook**: <u>Prealgebra: An Applied Approach</u>, 6<sup>th</sup> edition, Aufmann & Lockwood. All homework will be done online using WebAssign. You will need to register at www.webassign.net to use this internet-based software. You will need the class key given by me in order to self-register. Class Key: **deanza 2674 2551** 

**Tutoring Services:** The De Anza campus has a tutorial center for math students where students can get "drop in" help. Students can also register to have a regular, assigned tutor for help throughout a quarter. The tutoring center is located in room S-43.

**Student Conduct:** Do not cheat. If you have a question during a test, you are only allowed to talk to the instructor. Anyone caught cheating on an exam will receive an automatic 0 and be reported to the Dean of the PSME Division. You can be expelled from the class and possibly from De Anza College with a grade of F if you are caught cheating.

**Classroom Behavior:** Please show courtesy for me and your fellow classmates by turning off and putting away your cell phone during class time, especially during exams. Please do not take calls or text message during class. Do not talk while fellow classmates or I are talking. If you have any type of learning disability, please let me know during the first week of classes so that special arrangements can be made, if necessary.

## **Student Learning Objectives:**

- (1) Demonstrate and apply a systematic and logical approach to solving arithmetic and geometric problems.
- (2) Demonstrate and apply the knowledge and skills required to select the correct introductory formulas, procedures, and concepts from algebra and geometry and use them to solve problems.



**Time Management:** You should expect to spend at least 2 hours outside of the classroom for every 1 hour inside the classroom. This time outside of the classroom may include homework, reviewing notes, studying, and attending office hours. If you want to be successful in this class you will need to put time and effort into it.

**Attendance:** Students are expected to attend every class meeting. Make sure you sign the attendance roster at each class meeting. If you miss a day, it is solely your responsibility to seek out another student or myself to find out what you missed. You cannot expect to do well in the class if you fail to attend lectures.

**Homework:** Homework will be assigned every class meeting online and will have a due date. All homework must be submitted by 11:59PM on the due date. You must set up an account by Friday, January 13, 2017 or you will be dropped from the class. If you have a homework problem you were not able to complete, you have the next class session to ask by putting the problem on the board. At the end of the quarter your lowest homework score will be dropped. Homework will count for 13% of your term grade.

**Quizzes:** There will be a quiz every week. Each quiz will be assigned online or in- class intermittently throughout the term to test your skills on the concepts we are covering in class and online. **NO** make-up quiz will be given. To compensate for this, I will drop your lowest quiz score. These quizzes will count for 12% of your grade.

**Midterms:** I will give three in class exams during the quarter. No notes or calculators will be allowed on any exams. These exams will be completed in class and will contain the materials covered in the lectures, online, and in the book. If you are unable to take an exam for any reason, **a makeup exam will not be given**. In the case of a documented emergency, I will replace a missing exam score with your final exam score. These exams will count for 50% of your term grade.

**Final Examination:** If you do not take the final exam, you **WILL NOT** receive a passing grade. There will be a comprehensive final examination on **Tuesday, March 28 from 9:15 am - 11:15 am.** This test will count for 25% of your term grade.

## Grade Breakdown:

A+: 97 - 100%	B+: 87 - 88%	C+: 77 - 78%	D: 62 - 66%
A: 92 - 96%	B: 82 - 86%	C: 69 - 76%	D-: 60 - 61%
A-: 89 - 91%	B-: 79 - 81%	D+: 67 - 68%	F: < 60%

## **Important Dates:**

- The last day to add classes is Saturday, January 21.
- The last day to drop for a full refund no record of grade is Sunday, January 22.
- The last day to request pass/no pass grade is Friday, February 3.
- The last day to drop with a "W" is Friday, March 3.



## Tentative Schedule for Math 210, Winter 2017

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	January 9	January 10	January 11	January 12	January 13
	Syllabus	Section 1.1, 1.2	Section 1.3, 1.4	Section 1.5	Section 2.1
2	January 16 <b>Martin Luther</b> <b>King's Birthday</b>	January 17 Section 2.2	January 18 Section 2.3	January 19 Section 2.4	January 20 Section 2.5
3	January 23	January 24	January 25	January 26	January 27
	Section 3.1	Section 3.2	Section 3.3	Section 3.4	Review
4	January 30	January 31	February 1	February 2	February 3
	<b>Exam 1</b>	Section 3.5	Section 3.6	Section 4.1	Section 4.2
5	February 6	February 7	February 8	February 9	February 10
	Section 4.3	Section 4.4	Section 4.5	Section 4.6	Section 5.1
6	February 13 Section 5.2	February 14 Section 5.3	February 15 Section 5.4	February 16 Section 5.5	February 17 Presidents' Day
7	February 20	February 21	February 22	February 23	February 24
	Presidents' Day	Section 5.6*	Section 5.7	Review	<b>Exam 2</b>
8	February 27	February 28	March 1	March 2	March 3
	Section 6.1	Section 6.2	Section 6.3	Section 6.4	Section 6.5
9	March 6	March 7	March 8	March 9	March 10
	Section 6.6	Section 7.2	Section 7.3	Section 7.4	Section 8.1
10	March 13	March 14	March 15	March 16	March 17
	Section 8.2	Section 8.3, 8.4	Section 8.5	Review	<b>Exam 3</b>
11	March 20 Section 9.2*	March 21 Section 9.3	March 22 Section 9.4	March 23 Introduction of Function	March 24 Review
12	March 27 No class	March 28 <b>Final Exam</b> <b>9:15 - 11:15 AM</b>	March 29 No class	March 30 No class	March 31 No class

5.6\* skip scientific notation, 9.2\* skip similar and congruent triangles

This syllabus is subject to change at the instructor's discretion.

