

# Math N-48 "Pre - Algebra"

## Intersession 2015 (Ticket # 92154 )

### M-Th. 5:00-9:30pm Room R-113

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you must take the stairs

**Textbook:** Beginning Algebra, Tobey and Slater, 8th edition, Pearson/Prentice Hall,  
**ISBN** 9780321769527 or ISBN: 032176952X- *we will not use any online HW programs*

**Chapters Covered:** 1 - 5, 7.1-7.3 See class calendar for specific dates.

**Materials Needed:** Scientific calculator (can be used on all exams except Chapter 0), graph paper

**Student Resources:** Video tapes/ CD's are available in the MSC and library. Tutorial software is available on the computers in the MC (Math Center hours to be determined) Website "Interact Math". The Math Center will be open during intersession from 10-6pm located in the L-building second floor.

**Student Learning Outcomes:** Students will be able to use linear equations in one variable to correctly solve basic word problems by the end of the semester.

**Grades:** Grades will be determined by earning points. 90-100% of the total points equals an "A", 80-89% is a "B", 70-79% is a "C". If you earn below 70% of the total points you will not pass the class, and it must be repeated to move on.

**Exams:** We will have 3 exams. , each worth 100 points, and a 200 point comprehensive Final Exam. You will need an Apperson 100AS form for the multiple choice part of the final.

**Quizzes:** Quizzes are given daily, except exam days. Each quiz is 10 points. Usually a total of 8-12 quizzes will be given during the course.

**Homework:** Each homework section should be done on separate paper. Write the section and problems at the top of the page. When homework is collected it will be graded for completeness and accuracy. Show your work! A list of answers will not earn any points. Homework will be collected on the day of the exam. Each packet is worth 20 points. Because of the nature of Intersession and the pace that must be followed, you may elect to be graded based only on Quizzes, Exams and Class work.

Class work: Problems worked in class or worksheets will be randomly collected. (2-5 points) Students must be present to earn these points.

Notebook: Students should keep a notebook. I recommend a 3 ring binder where all HW, handouts and materials can be kept.

**Extra Credit:** TBA

**Make-ups:** There are no make-ups for quizzes or exams. For exams, if an unforeseen problem occurs, students need to talk with the instructor before the Exam to see if a possible solution can be found.

**Honesty Policy:** Students are expected to do their own work. During all exams and quizzes, calculators cannot be shared, students are not to communicate with others, and your eyes should remain on your paper. If a question arises during the assessment see the instructor. You may not leave class during the exam until the exam is complete. Any student violating this policy shall be subject to school policy, which includes being dropped from the class with an "F".

**Academic Accommodations:** Any student with a disability, who would like to request an academic accommodation, is responsible for identifying herself/himself to the instructor and to the Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS). To make arrangements for academic accommodations, contact the Physical Disability Center in Johnson Center, U-103, or phone (714) 564-6264, TTY (714) 564-6284 for a referral to the appropriate DSPS Department. It is the student's responsibility to inform the instructor in a timely manner.

**Attendance:** Any student with 3 or more absences will be dropped from the class, as noted in the school attendance policy.

**Note:** In consideration of others please turn all cell phones and pagers off or put in silent mode during class.

I recommend getting a few Names and phone numbers (or E-mails) of fellow students in case of absence or to form study groups!!

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