

GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE

MATH 0130 A23

COURSE OUTLINE

FULL YEAR; SEPT. 1992 - APRIL 1993

INSTRUCTOR: Sukhvir Sandhu

CLASS TIME: 3:00 p.m. - 3:50 p.m. M, W, F

OFFICE HOURS: Room C204 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m. - 2:20 p.m. T, R
Other times by appointment.

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PREREQUISITE: MA 0120 or MA 0130 placements.
Recommended: at least 5 or 6 in MA 20/MA 0120.

TEXT: 9 Modules which will be supplied by the instructor at no cost to the student one at a time to be returned on test day.

REQUIRED SUPPLIES: Binder, looseleaf, pencil and pen, scientific calculator, math set, graph papers.

COURSE GOALS: This course is designed to provide the students an understanding of polynomials, logarithms, trigonometry, sequence and series, quadratic functions, statistics, permutation and combinations; and probability. This course prepares the student for university transfer mathematics courses. The student will develop problem solving skills and gains an appreciation of the mathematics of modern society.

ATTENDANCE: Regular attendance is expected from all students and is essential for passing the course. Students who miss classes will find themselves falling behind and failing. Any student missing 20% of scheduled class time or more may not be permitted to write the final exam. Classes will start right on time, so please arrive a few minutes early.

TESTS AND ASSIGNMENTS:

There are seven unit tests and four assignments in this course. Module tests will be written on specified dates during classroom time. Any student not attending class on a test date will receive a grade of 0 for that test unless a medical certificate is supplied. College team members must notify the instructor prior to the test date if they are to be away.

There will be the 1st Final Exam after the first three units in the third week of December.

There will be the 2nd Final Exam after the next 4 units in the fourth week of April.

Assignments should be handed over on the specified dates.

EVALUATION:

Assignments	12% [3% each]
Tests	28% [4% each unit]
Mid-term exams	20%
Final Exam	<u>40%</u>
TOTAL	<u>100%</u>

GRADING:

<u>9-point Grade</u>	<u>Percentage Equivalence</u>	<u>Designation</u>
9	90 - 100	Excellent
8	80 - 89	
7	72 - 79	
6	65 - 71	Good
5	57 - 64	
4	50 - 56	- Pass
3	45 - 49	- Fail
2	26 - 44	
1	0 - 25	

1. Any student wishing to withdraw from the course must do so officially before March 5 in order to avoid receiving a failing grade.

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>TOPIC/DESCRIPTION</u>
1	Polynomial Functions - remainder theorem; factor theorem; factoring, zeros and graphing
2	Logarithms - exponential functions, - logarithm laws & applications
3	Trigonometry A and B - circular path; unit circles; graphs; - Amplitude, period, phase shift and vertical translation; solving equations. - Identities; sum formulas; sine and cosine laws.

1ST FINAL **3 HOUR** **3RD WEEK OF DEC**

4	Sequence, series and limits. - arithmetic and geometric series - arithmetic and geometric sequences - infinite series and limits
5	Quadratic Relations A and B - circles - parabola, ellipse, hyperbola and quadratic relations and conic sections.
6	Statistics - Mean and standard deviation of grouped and ungrouped data. - normal distribution - probability of normal distribution.
7	Permutation and Combination - Probability - Binomial Theorem.

2ND FINAL **3 HOUR** **4TH WEEK OF APR**

ASSIGNMENTS:

1st Assignment from Unit 1 and 2

2nd Assignment from Unit 3

3rd Assignment from Unit 5

4th Assignment from Unit 6