## GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY MATHEMATICS 1200 A3 FALL SEMESTER 1998

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TITLE: LINEAR ALGEBRA I

SCHEDULE: Lectures TR 11:00 - 12:20 J204

Seminars AS1 F 08:00 - 08:50 J204

AS2 R 16:00 - 16:50 B206

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TEXTBOOK: W. Keith Nicholson; LINEAR ALGEBRA with Applications (3<sup>rd</sup>

edition)

COMPOSITION OF THE COURSE GRADE:

Final Exam 50%

Midterm Exam 35% Tuesday, October 13 1998

Assignments 15%

COURSE TOPICS: Systems of Linear Equations

Gauss-Jordon Elimination and Reduced Row Echelon Form

Matrix Algebra Determinates Cramer's Rule

Geometry of vectors in R" Vector Spaces and Subspaces

Linear Combinations, Span and Linear Independence

Basis and Dimension

Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors

Applications

CALCULATORS: No calculators allowed in Exams and Seminars.