

Math 095
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Course Description: The following topics will be covered: review of Prealgebra; linear equations; functions and graphs; graphing linear functions; systems of linear equations; exponents and polynomials; roots, radicals, Pythagorean Theorem.

REQUIRED TEXT and MATERIALS:

Elementary and Intermediate Algebra, Fifth Edition, Baratto/Bergman, McGraw Hill;
ISBN: 978-0-07-338446-7

A graphing calculator is helpful, but not required.
Paper, notebooks, writing implements

GRADING POLICY:

There will be 4 exams and 8-10 quizzes. The exams are each worth 20% of your course grade. The 4 highest quiz grades will be averaged into a test grade comprising the final 20% of your course grade.

You are **REQUIRED** to take all exams and at least 4 quizzes. **There are no MAKE-UPS on exams.** If you miss an exam you will receive a grade of ZERO. If you cannot be in class the day of the exam you **MUST** call or email me prior to the start of the exam so accommodations can be made for a make-up exam.

Reminder, a grade of C (75%) or higher is required to move onto the next math course.

CLASS CANCELLATION: In case of inclement weather, check the college website for class cancellations or call 860-886-0177 for a recorded message on the college phone. Also, sign up for emergency text and/or email messages (see the Three Rivers website for directions).

Plagiarism and Academic Honesty: At TRCC, we expect the highest standards of academic honesty. The Board of Trustees' Proscribed Conduct Policy prohibits cheating on examinations, unauthorized collaboration on assignments, unauthorized access to examinations or course materials, plagiarism.

DISABILITIES STATEMENT; if you have a hidden or visible disability which may require classroom or text-taking modifications, please see me as soon as possible. If you have not already done so, please be sure to register with Chris Scarborough who is coordinating services to students with disabilities.

GRADE EQUIVALENTS:

A 93-100	B+ 87-89	C+ 77-79	D+67-69
A- 90-92	B 83-86	C 74-76	D 60-66
	B- 80-82	C- 70-73	F BELOW 60