

Intermediate Algebra, Math 137, CRN 11625

Mondays, 6 to 8:45pm, Room D219

Instructor: Sue Butler

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Text: Elementary and Intermediate Algebra, 5th edition, Baratto and Bergman

Prerequisite: MAT* K095 or MAT* K095I with a "B-#" grade or better or appropriate placement through multiple-measures assessment process.

This course cultivates understanding and different representations of functions. The course covers linear, quadratic, exponential, rational, radical functions, equations and expressions and operations on them with emphasis on modeling and solving real world problems.

Please note: A graphing calculator is required. Instructor will use a Texas Instrument (TI-84).

Measurements:

3 exams will count as 60% of your final grade,

Homework will count as 20% of your final grade,

The final exam will count as 20% of your final grade.

Grade Equivalents:

A 93-100, A- 90-93, B+ 87-89, B 83-86, B- 80-82, C+ 77-79, C 73-76, C- 70-72,

D+ 67-69, D 63-66, D- 60-62, F below 60, N less than 60% of work.

Attendance: It is very important that you attend ALL classes. Your attendance in the classroom, participation in classroom work, and preparation is required and is essential to your success in this course.

Support Services: Tutorial services. Meeting with me for extra help, by appointment only.

Class Cancellation: Check the college website or call 860-215-9000 for the recorded message on the college phone. Instructor cancellation will be posted via email, Blackboard, and the Remind app. Alert System: MyCommNet Alert sends text messages and emails to anyone signed up in the event of a campus emergency or when the college is delayed or closed due to weather.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Students with learning disabilities should contact the Learning Specialist, Matt Liscum, at 860-215-9265 or via email at mliscum@trcc.commnet.edu as soon as possible to ensure timely accommodations. Students with physical disabilities should contact Elizabeth Willcox at 860-215-9289 or via email at ewillcox@trcc.commnet.edu to facilitate accommodations. All testing accommodations MUST be discussed with the instructor in a timely manner, that is, at least one to two class meetings prior to any scheduled test for which accommodations are needed.

Digication: All students are required to maintain a learning portfolio in Digication that uses the (Three Rivers) College Template.

BOARD OF REGENTS FOR HIGHTER EDUCATION AND CONNECTICUT STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES POLICY REGARDING SEXUAL MISCONDUCT REPORTING, SUPPORT SERVICES AND PROCESSES POLICY

Statement of Policy for Public Act No. 14-11: An Act Concerning Sexual Assault, Stalking and Intimate Partner Violence on Campus:

“The Board of Regents for Higher Education (BOR) in conjunction with the Connecticut State Colleges and Universities (CSCU) is committed to insuring that each member of every BOR governed college and university community has the opportunity to participate fully in the process of education free from acts of sexual misconduct, intimate partner violence and stalking. It is the intent of the BOR and each of its colleges or universities to provide safety, privacy and support to victims of sexual misconduct and intimate partner violence.”

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS TITLE IX STATEMENT OF POLICY:

“Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (Title IX) prohibits discrimination based on sex in education programs and activities in federally funded schools at all levels. If any part of a school district or college receives any Federal funds for any purpose, all of the operations of the district or college are covered by Title IX.

Title IX protects students, employees, applicants for admission and employment, and other persons from all forms of sex discrimination, including discrimination based on gender identity or failure to conform to stereotypical notions of masculinity or femininity. All students (as well as other persons) at recipient institutions are protected by Title IX – regardless of their sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, part-or full-time status, disability, race, or national origin-in all aspects of a recipient’s educational programs and activities.”

If any student experiences sexual misconduct or harassment, and/or racial or ethnic discrimination on Three Rivers Community College Campus, or fears for their safety from a threat while on campus, please contact Vicki Baker, the Diversity Officer and Title IX Coordinator: 860-215-9208 (vbaker@trcc.commnet.edu)

Academic integrity is essential in all aspects of college coursework and learning.

Communication or collaboration of ANY sort is ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED during any exam. Academic Misconduct is punishable in a number of ways, including a score of a zero on the assignment where the cheating took place, a grade of an F in the course and/or possible censure on your permanent record. All cases of academic dishonesty will be referred to the Academic Dean. Do not let yourself come under the suspicion of academic dishonesty.)

ACCEPTANCE POLICY: After reading this syllabus, choosing to stay registered for this course exemplifies your acceptance of the syllabus and all policies and consequences outlined in the syllabus. If you do not agree with any of the terms in the syllabus, you are free to withdraw.

The instructor has the right to change/modify this syllabus at any time with proper notification.