

## Three Rivers Community College Syllabus

Course Title: Prealgebra (Mat 075) CRN # 10588

Semester: Spring 2011 ( 1/20 - 5/17 ) T/Th 1:00 - 2:15 Rm. D222

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Course Description: This course focuses on basic arithmetic & pre-algebra skills. Topics include whole numbers, fractions, decimals, proportions, percents, signed numbers, algebraic expressions, equations, and elements of geometry.

This course does not count toward graduation requirements.

NOTE: A grade of C (75%) or better is required to continue onto Math 095.

Required Text: Prealgebra, 6th Edition by Elayn Martin-Gay, Prentice Hall MyMathLab ([www.coursecompass.com](http://www.coursecompass.com)) , will be used for online HW assignments, announcements, and as a tutorial resource. The instructor ID is: adams 80526

Attendance: Attendance is taken every class. Make-up tests will only be allowed under extenuating circumstances with arrangements made prior to the test.

Homework: HW is assigned every class and must be completed. It is a tool that reinforces understanding of the material presented in class and it allows the student and teacher to assess progress.

Student Evaluative Criteria: There will be 8 Chapter Tests given, and a Departmental Final Exam, having a value of 2 tests. Attendance and Homework are other factors considered in the evaluation of student performance.

Disabilities Statement: Students requiring any special accommodations during class and/or testing situations must contact the Disabilities Counseling Service.

Class Cancellation: Students are alerted to any school closings & delays through the Three Rivers web site:( [www.trcc.commnet.edu](http://www.trcc.commnet.edu) )

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## Math 075 Tentative Schedule

### Class Date: Topic:

Th 1/20 Intro ( 1.2 – 1.6 )  
T 1/25 ( 1.7 – 1.8 )  
Th 1/27 **Test** Ch. 1 / ( 2.1 – 2.3 )  
T 2/1 ( 2.4 – 2.5 )  
Th 2/3 No Class – Prof. Day  
T 2/8 ( 2.6 ) / Review  
Th 2/10 **Test** Ch. 2 / ( 3.1 )  
T 2/15 ( 3.2 – 3.3 )  
Th 2/17 ( 3.4 ) / Review  
T 2/22 **Test** Ch. 3 / ( 4.1 – 4.2 )  
Th 2/24 ( 4.3 )  
T 3/1 ( 4.4 – 4.5 )  
Th 3/3 ( 4.6 )  
T 3/8 ( 4.7 )  
Th 3/10 ( 4.8 ) / Review  
3/15, 3/17 No Classes- Spring Break

### Class Date: Topic:

T 3/22 **Test** Ch. 4 / ( 5.1 – 5.2 )  
Th 3/24 ( 5.3 – 5.4 )  
T 3/29 ( 5.5 )  
Th 3/31 ( 5.6 – 5.7 ) / Review  
T 4/5 **Test** Ch. 5 / ( 6.1 )  
Th 4/7 ( 6.2 – 6.3 ) / Review  
T 4/12 **Test** Ch. 6 / ( 7.1 )  
Th 4/14 ( 7.2 – 7.3 )  
T 4/19 ( 7.4 )  
Th 4/21 ( 7.5 )  
T 4/26 ( 7.6 ) / Review  
Th 4/28 **Test** Ch. 7 / ( 9.2 )  
T 5/3 ( 9.3 ) / Review  
Th 5/5 **Test** Ch. 9 / Final Review  
T 5/10 Final Review  
Th 5/12 **Final Exam**  
T 5/17 (To be used, if necessary. )