# **AP Precalculus Syllabus**

## **Teacher Contact Information**

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## **Course Topics**

- \*Unit 1 Polynomial & Rational Functions
- \*Unit 2 Exponential & Logarithmic Functions
- \*Unit 3 Trigonometric & Polar Functions
- \*Unit 4 Parametric Functions, Vectors, & Matrices
  - \*Unit 4 will NOT be on AP Exam\*

## **Expectations**

- 1. Follow your grades on Power school.
- 2. No Cell phones.
- 3. No Ear plugs during lecture time.
- 4. Do your assignments EVERY day.
- 5. Be Ready when bell rings for class.
- 6. Take Notes and be involved in your learning.

## **Required Materials**

## Graphing Calculator TI-84 or TI-83

- 1. Notebook paper and Graph paper
- 2. 3 Ring Binder
- 3. Colored Pencils or Pens

#### **Grading Scale**

A 100-90 B 89-80 C 79-70

D 69-60 F 59 and below

Homework 10%. Quizzes 30% Tests 60%

#### **Assignment Policy**

- 1. Tests will be given at the end of each unit and sometimes halfway through the unit if it is a big unit. When absent on a test day, the test must be made up **ASAP**.
- 2. Quizzes may be given 1-2 times per week. When absent on a quiz day, the quiz must be made up **ASAP**!
- 3. Classwork may be assigned daily and must be completed before leaving or it will go down as a zero.

- 4. Homework will be assigned daily and it will be due the next school day. Homework that is not completed will go down as a zero.
- 5. GCS School Policy is you get 3 days to make up any assignments or assessments.

## **Assignment Grades:**

- \*Homework will be graded by a variety of methods: walking about room for completion grade, Ticket-Out-the-Door, and sometime taking up certain assignments for accuracy and completion.
  - 0 Absent
  - 1 Told me "They did NOT Complete it"
  - 2-50% completed
  - 3 75% completed
  - 4 100% completed
- \*\*Some quizzes might not be announced, therefore, always ask if you missed a quiz.

## Absences: Makeup Work:

- 1. All makeup work must be completed and turned in within three school days.
- 2. It is <u>your responsibility</u> to obtain any missing assignments from me.
- 3. If you are absent due to a school activity, you are expected to inquire about your assignment <u>before</u> being absent and will be due the next day.

#### **Tutorial Schedule**

\*During WIN and before school.

#### **Electronics Policy**

• **NO** Cell phones or Ear plugs of any kind.

#### **REMIND.COM**

TO: 81010

MESSAGE: @f489bb

# **Note to students:**

- 1. Assignments and Assessments will be graded and documented in Power School.
- 2. Please follow your grades on power school. I will do my best to update grades weekly.
- 3. All assignments, notes, and/or other information will be on Canvas Calendar.

#### To be successful:

- 1. Attend class regularly and actively participate!
- 2. Do your homework daily PRACTICE
- 3. Work during class and ask questions when you don't understand an idea.

Start preparing for tests early by reviewing your notes, reworking key problems, memorizing definitions and formulas, participating in review activities and getting extra help when needed.

- 4. Refer to online resources such as, <u>www.khanacademy.org</u> or <u>www.mathisfun.com</u>
- 5. Please sign up for Remind.com I will be sending out answer keys and reminders.
- 6. Come to TUTORING!

# *AP EXAM DATE: MONDAY, MAY 13, 2024 12:00PM*

Sign up for AP Precalculus Classroom using the following codes below at myap.collegeboard.org

1<sup>st</sup> period: V7M6A7 4<sup>th</sup> period: YLAA23

I will provide a fun, positive, and respectful learning experience. I will do my very best to teach you mathematics. In return, I expect you to give your very best each day. I expect the same respect from you as I will bestow on you. Remember, it is your persistence and hard work that will earn you great grades and a positive learning experience. If you do your best to complete all assignments, master the quizzes and tests, and get help when needed, you will have amazing success.

# **Note to parents:**

- 1. Parents please sign up for <u>Power</u> <u>school</u> to watch your child's grades. (Northwest website has instructions).
- 2. Please contact me or set up a conference to discuss Any questions or concerns.

I will do my best to send emails informing parents and students about important information. So, please provide an email address that is current and that is read frequently. If your email changes throughout the year, please let me know ASAP so I can update my records.

I'm here to help your child to be the best they can be and to help them be successful in math and beyond. Please let me know what I can do make this year a great success for your child. Thank you for all your support.