

Spring 2015 MTH-107-60 Math for Liberal Arts

TR: 11-12:15

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Text: *Thinking Mathematically*, 5th Edition, Robert Blitzer (Prentice-Hall)

Course Description: Math for Liberal Arts is designed for students intending to major in a Liberal Arts area other than Math for the Physical Sciences. Students taking this course will be exposed to an assortment of mathematical methods and ideas and will examine their significance and interconnection, historical development, and applicability.

A scientific calculator will be helpful for this class. You may not use your phone for tests.

Attendance Policy: In order to succeed in this class it is to your benefit to attend all classes. If you are absent for any reason you are responsible for the material covered in class as well as any announcements made during class. **In the event that you are absent the day of an exam you must call or e-mail me within 24 hours and have a documented emergency in order to take a make-up exam.** The make-up exam will be different than the in class exam and consist of fewer questions. This make-up exam will be given **at the end of the semester** during final exam time. It is your responsibility to confirm and make arrangements for this make-up, I will not be reminding you that it must be taken.

Cell Phones: Cell phones should be silenced during class and there should be no texting during class. NO CELL PHONES are to be used or even seen when taking a test, this will be treated as cheating.

Exams: There will be 4 exams each worth 100 points.

MyMathLab: Assignments will be posted on MML but these assignments **do not** contribute to your final grade. They are to be used as additional practice.

Homework: Homework will be assigned as the end of each class. A list of problems are also available on my website listed by section. These assignments will not be collected or graded.

Grading: The lowest test grade of the first 3 exams will be dropped. Your final grade will be found by adding the two best grades from the first 3 tests and the grade on the 4th test, this sum will then be divided by 3. The grade on the 4th exam will NOT be dropped. The following scale will be used to determine your letter grade:

A 90-100

B 80-89

C 70-79

D 60-69

F Below 60

The NA grade will be given only to students who stop attending before the first exam and/or graded assignment. Anyone who does not officially withdrawal by the school deadline (03-24-15) and stops attending after the first exam will receive an F.

Note: The grade you earn is the grade that you will receive.