

MTH 126 Course Information Sheet

TEXT: Intermediate Algebra For College Students, 6th ed., by J.Kaufmann
MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT OFFICE: 120 MM, PHONE: 775-2785

INSTRUCTOR: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

OFFICE: _____

OFFICE HOURS: _____

FINAL EXAM DATE AND TIME: _____

Following is a list of the sections to be covered in each class. The homework assignments (listed immediately after the section) should be completed as soon as the material is covered in class. Do all of the assigned problems. Write out the solutions showing all work, just as you would on a test. It is very important that you do the homework faithfully and carefully since you will have a quiz almost every day that there is a homework assignment due.

QUIZZES: There are five (5) homework problems in each assignment which are underlined and bold-faced. These homework problems should be written up separately from the rest of your homework. Your instructor may choose to collect these problems instead of giving a quiz; your score on these problems will count as the quiz grade. There will be 27 four (4) point quizzes that will come directly from the homework assignments. You may drop your 2 lowest quiz grades.

TESTS: ALL sections of MTH 126 take machine scored multiple choice tests prepared by the mathematics department. * IN ORDER TO BE ALLOWED TO MAKE UP A MISSED TEST YOU MUST:

1. HAVE A **VALID, DOCUMENTED** EXCUSE!
2. CONTACT YOUR INSTRUCTOR WITHIN 24 HOURS OF THE MISSED TEST.
3. MAKE UP THE TEST WITHIN 1 WEEK OF THE TEST DATE.

REVIEW MATERIALS FOR MTH 126: There is a package of review materials available in the bookstore. The package includes a review sheet for each test, three (3) old final exams, and answers to all of the above.

GRADING SCALE: The grading scale to be used on quizzes and exams is as follows:

A: 90 - 100 B: 80 – 89 C: 65 - 79 D: 55 - 64 F: < 55

GRADES: 5 tests: 10% each
Average of quizzes: 10%
Final exam: 40%

TUTORS: Tutors are available through the Tutoring Services Office, 040 Rike, 775-2280.

MATH LEARNING CENTER: The Math Learning Center is located in 240 MM and is open 10:00 – 1:50, M – F and 4:00 – 7:50, M – TH.

ATTENDANCE: Since mastery of new mathematical concepts depends on mastery of previous concepts, it is essential that you attend every class. Attendance at every class is expected.