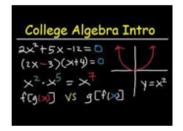
PONCHATOULA HIGH SCHOOL

2024-2025 COLLEGE ALGEBRA SYLLABUS



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Sign in to MathXL

CLASSROOM RULES

All Rules in the Student Handbook apply!

MANDATORY CLASS SUPPLIES

- PENCIL ink pen is not allowed
- Binder (may be shared with other classes)
- Loose-leaf paper
- The TI-30XII (solar or battery) is required.
 NO OTHER CALCULATORS ARE ALLOWED

TARDINESS





COURSE GRADE COMPONENTS

4 Unit Tests = 40% of course grade
Comprehensive Final Exam = 30% of course grade
11 Quizzes = 15% of course grade
22 Homework Sets = 15% of course grade

COURSE GRADING SCALE

A 89.50% - 100%
B 79.50% - 89.49%
C 69.50% - 79.49%
D 59.50% - 69.49%
F below 59.50%

Homework, quiz and test scores are reported immediately by MathXL upon submission.

The current overall course grade is available at all times through the Results page in MathXL.

Final exam is 105 minutes.

Tests are 75 minutes.

Final exam grade cannot be dropped.

The lowest unit test grade will still be dropped.

The 2 lowest HW and 2 lowest Q grades will be dropped.

Students who withdraw from 1610 may not continue in 1620/1630/2410 for credit without first retaking 1610 for credit.

We will write all problems with steps labeling each section on loose-leaf paper in a binder. This will be checked for participation points periodically.









YOU SHOULD ALWAYS CHECK MATHXL WHEN YOU ARE ABSENT. YOU CAN WORK ON MATHXL FROM HOME AT ANY TIME. IF IT IS A NEW LESSON, USE MY WEBSITE TO DO AS MUCH AS YOU CAN.



Class website: www.holliethompson.org

My website is an extremely useful tool that has EVERY problem worked out with each step in a different color to enhance understanding.