Algebra I Syllabus

Textbook: Algebra: Beginning and Intermediate 6th Edition

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Course Description:

This course is the foundation for high school mathematics courses. It is the bridge from the concrete to the abstract study of mathematics. Topics include simplifying expressions, evaluating and solving equations and inequalities, and graphing linear and quadratic functions and relations. Live video demonstrations.

Attendance login requirements: Students must log into class at the scheduled class time and remain until class ends. Student must attend class 165 days per year.

Homework: Homework assignments will be given at the discretion of the instructor.

Class Participation: All class participation will be online. Instructor will give written feedback on progress and acceptable work directly to student online.

Course Grade Policy:

90-100 average = A

80-89 average = B

70-79 average = c

60-69 average =D

Below 60 = F

Tests/Exams: There will be a quiz after each unit of study. You will have two opportunities to pass the test with a grade of 60. Mid-Term and Final Exams will be counted twice in grade averaging.

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Chapter I Real Numbers and Variable Expressions

Unit 1-1 Introduction to Integers

Unit 1-2 Operations with Integers

Unit 1-3 Rational Numbers

Unit 1-4 Exponents and the Order of Operations Agreement

Unit 1-5 Variable Expressions

<u>Unit 1-6 Translating Variable Expressions into Verbal Expressions</u>

Chapter 1 Quiz

Chapter 2 Solving Equations and Inequalities

<u>Unit 2-1 Introduction to Equations</u>

Unit 2-2 General Equations

Unit 2-3 Value Mixture and Uniform Motions Problem

Unit 2-4 Geometry Problems

<u>Unit 2-5 Mark Up and Discount Problems</u>

<u>Unit 2-6 Applications: Problems Involving Percents</u>

Unit 2-7 Inequalities in one Variable

Chapter 2 Quiz

Chapter 3

Linear Functions and Inequalities in two Variables

Unit 3-1 The Rectangular Coordinate System

Unit 3-2 Introduction to Functions

Unit 3-3 Linear Functions

Unit 3-4 Slope of a Straight Line

Unit 3-5 Finding Equations of Lines

Unit 3-6 Parallel and Perpendicular Lines

Unit 3-7 Inequalities in Two Variables

Chapter 3 Quiz

Mid-Term Exam

Semester II

Chapter 4 System of Equations

Unit 4-1 Solving Systems of Linear Equations by Graphing and by the Substitution Method

Unit 4-2 Solving the Systems of Linear Equations by the Addition Method

<u>Unit 4-3 Solving System of Equations by Using Determinants and by Using Matrices</u>

Unit 4-4 Application Problems

Unit 4-5 Solving Systems of Linear Inequalities

Chapter 4 Quiz

Chapter 5 Polynomials

Unit 5-1 Introduction to Polynomials

Unit 5-2 Multiplication of Monomials

Unit 5-3 Multiplication of Polynomials

Unit 5-4 Integer Exponents and Scientific Notation

Unit 5-5 Division of Polynomials

Chapter 5 Quiz

Chapter 6 Factoring

Unit 6-1 Common Factors

Unit 6-2 Factoring Polynomials of the Form x2+bx+c

Unit 6-3 Factoring Polynomials of the Form ax2+bx+c

Unit 6-4 Special Factoring

<u>Unit 6-5 Factor Polynomials Completely</u>

Unit 6-6 Solving Equations

Chapter 6 Quiz

Final Exam