DIXIE STATE COLLEGE - - Spring 2009 MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

Room Number: NIB 144 Jan 5 to Apr 27 **Instructor**: Ross Decker **Office Room Number**: NIB 139

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Office Hours: 10:00-10:50 Daily (or by appointment)

Text: Intermediate Algebra (5th Edition) **Author**: K. Elayn Martin-Gay

Prerequisites: C or better in MATH 990 or ACT Math score of 18 or higher.

Exam dates and points possible are as follows:

Exam 2	January 14-18	100 points
Exam 3/4	February 4-8	100 points
Exam 5	February 23-26	100 points
Exam 6	March 9-12	100 points
Exam 7/8	April 6-9	100 points
Exam 9	April 20-23	100 points
Final Exam	April 27	200 points
	(5:00-7:00 PM)	
Homework	(5 points each)	235 points
TOTAL POINTS:		1035 points

ATTENDANCE: Any student who misses the first two days of class will be dropped from the class.

DISHONESTY: If it is determined that you cheated, you will receive a zero for that exam. If cheating occurs a second time, you will receive an F for the course.

DISABILITIES: If you are a student with a medical, psychological, or learning disability, and would like accommodations or think you might have a disability, contact the Disability Resource Center (652-7516) in the Student Services Center, Room 201. The Disability Resource Center will determine eligibility based on your professional documentation and determine the appropriate accommodations related to your disability.

GRADES: Your semester grade will be based on the following scale: **A**(92-100%), **A**-(89-92%), **B**+(86-89%), **B**(82-86%), **B**-(79-82%), **C**+(76-79%), **C**(72-76%), **C**-(69-72%), **D**+(66-69%), **D**(62-66%), **D**-(59-62%), **F**(0-59%)

GENERAL REMARKS: It is the responsibility of each student to make time each day to read the text, attempt all homework problems, study for exams, and get extra help. Your work should be neat and easily read. Problems will be graded more for the work shown than for the final answer. Assignments should be considered a minimum and many students should work additional problems to reach mastery. Course schedules, assignments, and exam dates are subject to change as circumstances dictate.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

All mathematics classes at Dixie State College will:

- 1. Require students to perform mathematical processes including fractions, percentages, decimals, proportions/rations, algebraic equations and/or calculus techniques.
- 2. Provide students with application problems that use a variety of methods including arithmetical, algebraic, and geometric methods.
- 3. Challenge students to make inferences from mathematical models that include formulas, graphs, and tables.
- 4. Provide students with real-life applications that use a variety of mathematical functions.

Upon successful completion of MATH 1010, a student will demonstrate through testing, the ability to:

- 1. Perform basic mathematical operations on rational numbers with and without a calculator, including fractions, percents, and decimals.
- 2. Use algebraic processes to solve algebraic equations in one, two, and three unknowns.
- 3. Demonstrate the concept of equivalence including the use of variables to define relationships.
- 4. Work with functions that serve as models or real-world problems including polynomial, quadratic, exponential, and logarithmic functions.

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1/19 MLK Day	1/21 3.1 & 3.2	2.5 1-65eoo, 81-83, 85 2.6 1-65eoo, 75-77	
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4/6 Review Ch 7/8	4/8 9.1 & 9.2	6.4 1, 3, 5, 29, 30 6.5 1-45eoo, 31	
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4/20 9.6, Review Ch 9	4/22 Final Review	7.1 1-81eoo, 109 7.2 1-85eoo, 86	
4/27 Final Exam (5:00-7:00)		7.3 1-89eoo 7.4 1-73eoo 7.5 1-65eoo	
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Testing Center Hours			

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
1 PM to 10 PM	9 AM to 10 PM	2 PM to 10 PM	4 PM to 10 PM

Important Dates for Spring Semester 2009

Jan 5	Classes Begin
Jan 7	Last Day to Add Without Signature
Jan 19	Martin Luther King Day
Jan 20	\$50 Late Registration/Payment Fee
Jan 27	Last Day for Refund
Jan 27	Last Day to drop without receiving a W grade
Jan 27	Pell Grant Census
Jan 28	Students dropped for non-payment
Jan 30	Last Day to Add Classes
Feb 16	Presidents Day
Feb 23	Mid-Term Grades Due
Feb 27	Last Day to Drop/Audit Classes
Mar 16-20	Spring Break
Mar 27	Last Day for Complete Withdrawal
Apr 23	Classwork Ends
Apr 24-30	Final Exams
May 1	Commencement