THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCE

Math 1710-001 College Algebra Fall 2015

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Class Time/Location: MWF 9:10 -10:06Am DH 351

Required Course Materials:

- 1. College Algebra 3rd custom edition for university of Memphis, Spring 2013 Beecher/Penna/Bittenger
- 2. Mymathlab access

Course Description: Analysis of functions (linear, quadratic, polynomial, root, rational, exponential, logarithmic); polynomial division; inequalities; applications. Prerequisite: Minimum score of 30 on the ALEKS Math Assessment.(Review and Chapter 1-5)

Final Grade and Outline

5 Chapter Test 100 pts each

Homework assigned for each section 100 pts Averaged at course end

Final Exam (Required) F, Dec 4, 10:30a - 12:30p 100pts. Comprehensive

Your final grade will be the average of the 5 test grades, the homework average, and the final

A - 90-100% B - 80-89% C - 70-79% D - 60-69% F - below 60%

- 1. There will be absolutely no makeup tests and no drop grades. If a test is missed for any reason, a grade of zero will be given. If you miss one test, your comprehensive final exam grade will replace the zero. You may use the final exam to replace your lowest test grade if it is to your benefit. If you must miss a test due to an official school function, you may take the test at a time prior to the original test date. No other rescheduling will be allowed.
- 2. Homework must be completed before the expiration date.
- 3. Bring your photo id with you to each test
- 4. Any student who arrives late for a test may forfeit his right to take the test if another student has completed the test and left the classroom

- 5. Turn off all cell phones, pagers, and headphones (and remove) when in the classroom. No eating or individual breaks will be allowed during the class period. You will be asked to leave the classroom if you are disturbing those around you.
- Absolutely no cell phones allowed during testing. All cell phones must be turned off and put away out of sight. Use of cell phones during a test will result in academic misconduct.

American Disabilities Act:

If you need course adaptations or accommodations because of a disability, if you have emergency medical information to share with your instructor, or if you need special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, give me the Office for Students with Disabilities prescription form during the second day of classes.

Extra Help Available Outside of Class Time:

The Educational Support Program (ESP) provides extended hours of free tutoring available to all students, (Contact info: call #678-2704 or email Dr. Barbara Bekis bbekis@memphis.edu) For online free tutoring: www.memphis.edu/onlinetutoring