## MATH 187 A/B - Course Syllabus

LTCC Math 187 A/B
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Term: Spring 2013
Monday/ Wednesday 4:00pm - 5:50pm
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Class Dates: 4/9/2013-6/25/13
**Final Exam: Monday, June $25^{\text {th }}$ 4:00 pm -5:50 pm (subject to change based on LTCC Final exam scheduling. TBA)

| MyMathLab Course ID: <br> (MyMathLab.com) |  |
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| 187 A | 187B |
| $6: 00$ pm class: brock87288 | $6: 00$ pm class: TBA |
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## CLASS STRUCTURE

- Review Homework Questions
- Class Lecture
- 10-minute Break
- Class Lecture
- Group Activity (time permitting)
- Homework Nightly

| DATE | LECTURE |
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| $4 / 9$ | $1.1-1.3$ |
| $4 / 11$ | $1.4-1.6$ |
| $4 / 16$ | $1.7-1.8$ |
| $4 / 18$ | Test \#1 |
| $4 / 23$ | $2.1-2.2$ |
| $4 / 25$ | $2.3-2.4$ |
| $4 / 30$ | $2.5-2.6$ |
| $5 / 2$ | $2.7-2.8$ |
| $5 / 7$ | TEST \#2 |
| $5 / 9$ | $3.1-3.2$ |
| $5 / 14$ | $3.3-3.4$ |
| $5 / 16$ | Final $187 A$ |
| $5 / 21$ | $3.5-3.6$ |
| $5 / 23$ | $4.1-4.4$ |
| $5 / 28$ | Test \#1 |
| $5 / 30$ | $5.1-5.2$ |

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| $6 / 4$ | $5.3-5.4$ |
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| $6 / 6$ | $5.5-5.6$ |
| $6 / 11$ | TEST \#2 |
| $6 / 13$ | $6.4,7.5,9.1-9.2$ |
| $6 / 18$ | $9.3-9.4$ |
| $6 / 20$ | $10.1-10.3$ |
| $6 / 25$ | FINAL EXAM |

## Attendance is REQUIRED! Students are required to sign in each day to receive attendance credit.

- Students should be on time for class. If you are tardy, you will receive half credit for the day. Tardy is defined as any time past the start of the class.
- Do NOT BE LATE on TEST DAY! Not only will you miss valuable information about the test, but if I have started the test, I WILL NOT ALLOW you to take the exam. There will be no make-ups. If you feel that you will be late, you MUST discuss this with the instructor at least 24 hours PRIOR to the exam.


## Participation Credit

Every Tuesday students are required to bring in one question that can be discussed in class. The content must relate to current topics being discussed in class.

- Write your name, date, and question on a piece of paper.
- Turn in before class begins.
- If you are late for class, the question will not be accepted.
- Answers will be covered in class.


## Homework

- Homework is managed online at MyMathLab.com.
- You must purchase a license to use. It can be purchased either online or in the LTCC bookstore. You must have internet access to complete your homework.
- The course ID needed when you register (see top of syllabus for MyMathLab codes)

Forms of Extra Credit that will be accepted:

- Hours in the tutoring lab - get printout from lab and submit. (1 hour $=5$ points)
- Study Plan Printout (1 hour $=5$ points)
- Group Study sessions
- Review Tests in MyMathLab (turn in work shown on separate piece of paper - clearly identify extra credit work). Will not be accepted without work shown.
- Extra Credit can ONLY be turned in on TEST DAY.
- Other assignments as assigned by the instructor.


## Quizzes:

| QUIZ | Date assigned on Internet | Date due on Internet |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1.1-1.8$ | $4 / 16$ | $4 / 18$ |
| $2.1-2.4$ | $4 / 25$ | $4 / 30$ |
| $2.5-2.6$ | $4 / 30$ | $5 / 2$ |

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| $3.1-3.2$ | $5 / 9$ | $5 / 14$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $4.1-4.4$ | $5 / 23$ | $5 / 28$ |
| $5.1-5.6$ | $6 / 4$ | $6 / 6$ |
| 6.4 and 7.5 | $6 / 13$ | $6 / 18$ |
| $9.1-9.4$ | $6 / 18$ | $6 / 20$ |

Test Day:

- Tests have an ONLINE EXAM in addition to the CLASS EXAM.
- Do not be late for any test
- If you are late and the exam has been handed out, you will not be given a test nor be given a make-up exam
- You will be given a short review before the exam
- You may use a one page "cheat sheet" to assist you on the exam
- You may not have an addition or multiplication table on your "cheat sheet"
- You may use scratch paper (it must be turned in with your test)
- No Calculators allowed.
- All work MUST be shown on your test to receive credit for your test answers.
- All test answers must be put on the Answer Sheet or it will not be graded.
- If you do not feel that the answer will fit in the space provided, state "see work" as your answer.
- Notebook Check
- See below for notebook check grading rubric.


## Test Dates:

| Test | Date assigned on Internet | Date due on Internet and Date given in <br> Class |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Chapter 1 | $4 / 16$ | $4 / 18$ |
| Chapter 2 | $5 / 2$ | $5 / 7$ |
| 187 Final | $5 / 14$ | $5 / 16$ |
| Chapter 3 and 4 | $5 / 23$ | $5 / 28$ |
| Chapter 5 | $6 / 6$ | $6 / 11$ |
| $187 B$ Final | $6 / 20$ | $6 / 25$ |

## Counselor Meeting \& Summary:

It is a requirement in 187A that all students visit the counselor. A short summary must be written and turned in by the end of the fourth week of class.
The summary must include the following:

- Your Name
- Date of counseling visit
- Counselor's Name
- Brief description of topics discussed
- Reflection statement: What was the most valuable thing you learned from this meeting?


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This is a homework assignment requirement worth 15 points. Due no later than 10/10/2012

## Note from Teacher:

- I am here to help you in any way possible with the content I am teaching.
- My optimal goal is your success in my class.
- I am available to help guide you through the content as best as you allow me. Feel free to contact me anytime for help.
- I will have office hours each week and will meet students in the group rooms across from the MSC. Please call to let me know you would like my assistance.

| Breakdown of Grades \& Percentage Values: |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 187A | gty | pts | total | \% |
| attendance | 6 | 10 | 60 | 8 |
| counselor | 1 | 15 | 15 | 2 |
| homework | 9 | 15 | 135 | 19 |
| participation | 5 | 10 | 50 | 7 |
| quizzes | 4 | 15 | 60 | 8 |
| tests offline | 2 | 50 | 100 | 14 |
| tests online | 2 | 50 | 100 | 14 |
| final offline | 1 | 100 | 100 | 14 |
| final online | 1 | 100 | 100 | 14 |
|  |  |  | 720 | 100 |
| 187B | gty | pts | total | \% |
| attendance | 6 | 10 | 60 | 9 |
| homework | 9 | 15 | 135 | 19 |
| participation | 5 | 10 | 50 | 7 |
| quizzes | 4 | 15 | 60 | 9 |
| tests offline | 2 | 50 | 100 | 14 |
| tests online | 2 | 50 | 100 | 14 |
| final offline | 1 | 100 | 100 | 14 |
| final online | 1 | 100 | 100 | 14 |
|  |  |  | 705 | 100 |

