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2		
9/5	Syllabus Pretest	
9/7	 1.5: Quadratic Equations Solve quadratic equations by factoring, by the square root property, by completing the square, by using the quadratic formula. Use the discriminant to determine the number and type of solutions. Solve problems modeled by quadratic equations. 	Due 9/26 by 10am
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9/12	 1.6: Other Types of Equations Solve polynomial equations by factoring, Solve radical equations, Solve equations with rational exponents, Solve equations that are quadratic in form, Solve equations involving absolute value. Solve application problems 	Due 9/26 by 10am
9/14	 2.1: Basics of Functions and Their Graphs Find the domain and range of a relation. Determine whether a relation is a function. Determine whether an equation represents a function. Evaluate a function. Graph functions by plotting points. Use the vertical line test to identify functions. Obtain information about a function from its graph. Identify intercepts from a function's graph. 	Due 9/26 by 10am

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9/19	 2.2: More on Functions and Their Graphs Identify intervals on which a function increases, decreases, or is constant. Use graphs to locate relative maxima or minima. Identify even or odd functions and recognize their symmetries. Understand and use piecewise functions. Find and simplify a function's difference quotient. 	Due 9/26 by 10am
9/21	Test 1 Review	
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9/26	Test 1 Covers 1.5, 1.6, 2.1, 2.2	All HW for Test 1 due this day by 10am
9/28	 2.3: Linear Functions and Slope Calculate a line's slope. Write the point-slope form of the equation of a line. Write and graph the slope-intercept form of the equation of a line. Graph horizontal or vertical lines. Recognize and use the general form of a line's equation. Use intercepts to graph the general form of a line's equation. Model data with linear functions and make predictions. 	Due 10/24 by 10am

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10/3	 2.4: More on Slope Find slopes and equations of parallel and perpendicular lines. Interpret slope as rate of change. Find a function's average rate of change. 	Due 10/24 by 10am
10/5	 2.5-1: Transformations of Functions Recognize graphs of common functions. (Read this part before class starts) Use vertical shifts to graph functions. Use horizontal shifts to graph functions. Use reflections to graph functions. Use vertical stretching and shrinking to graph functions. 	Due 10/24 by 10am
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10/10	 2.5-2: Transformations of Functions (Cont.) Use horizontal stretching and shrinking to graph functions. Graph functions involving a sequence of transformations. 2.6-1: Combinations of Functions; Composite Functions Find the domain of a function. 	Due 10/24 by 10am
10/12	 2.6-2: Combinations of Functions; Composite Functions (Cont.) Combine functions using the algebra of functions, specifying domains. Form composite functions. Determine domains for composite functions. Write functions as compositions. 	Due 10/24 by 10am

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10/17	 2.7: Inverse Functions Verify inverse functions. Find the inverse of a function. Use the horizontal line test to determine if a function has an inverse function. 	Due 10/24 by 10am
10/19	 2.8: Distance and Midpoint Formulas; Circles Find the distance between two points. Find the midpoint of a line segment. Write the standard form of a circle's equation. Give the center and radius of a circle whose equation is in standard form. Convert the general form of a circle's equation to standard form. Brief Review for Test 2 if time allows 	Due 10/24 by 10am
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10/24	Test 2 Covers 2.3 through 2.8	All HW for Test 2 are due this day by 10am
10/26	 3.1-1: Quadratic Functions Recognize characteristics of parabolas. Graph parabolas. Determine a quadratic function's minimum or maximum value. 	Due 11/28 by 10am

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10/31	 3.1-2: Quadratic Functions Solve problems involving a quadratic function's minimum or maximum value. 3.2-1: Polynomial Functions and Their Graphs Identify polynomial functions. Recognize characteristics of graphs of polynomial functions. 	Due 11/28 by 10am
11/2	 3.2-2: Polynomial Functions and Their Graphs (Cont.) Determine end behavior. Use factoring to find zeros of polynomial functions. Identify zeros and their multiplicities. Graph polynomial functions. 	Due 11/28 by 10am
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11/7	 3.3-1: Dividing Polynomials; Remainder and Factor Theorems Use long division to divide polynomials. Use synthetic division to divide polynomials. Evaluate a polynomial using the Remainder Theorem. 	Due 11/28 by 10am
11/9	 3.3-2: Dividing Polynomials; Remainder and Factor Theorems Use the Factor Theorem to solve a polynomial equation. 3.4-1: Zeros of Polynomial Functions Use the Rational Zero Theorem to find possible rational zeros. 	Due 11/28 by 10am
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11/14	 3.4-2: Zeros of Polynomial Functions (Cont.) Find zeros of a polynomial function. Solve polynomial equations. 	Due 11/28 by 10am

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11/16	 3.5-1: Rational Functions and Their Graphs Find the domains of rational functions. Use arrow notation. Identify vertical asymptotes. 	Due 11/28 by 10am
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11/21	 3.5-2: Rational Functions and Their Graphs (Cont.) Identify horizontal asymptotes. Use transformations to graph rational functions. Graph rational functions. 	Due 11/28 by 10am
11/23	Thanksgiving Day Holiday	
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11/28	Test 3 covers 3.1 through 3.5	All HW for Test 3 are due this day by 10am
11/30	 4.1: Exponential Functions Evaluate exponential functions Graph exponential functions. Evaluate functions with base e. Use compound interest formulas. 	Due 12/14 by 10am

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12/5	 4.2: Logarithmic Functions Change from logarithmic to exponential form. Change from exponential to logarithmic form. Evaluate logarithms. Use basic logarithmic properties. Graph logarithmic functions. Find the domain of a logarithmic function. Use common logarithms. Use natural logarithms. 	Due 12/14 by 10am
12/7	 4.3: Properties of Logarithms Use the product rule, quotient rule, power rule. Expand logarithmic expressions. Condense logarithmic expressions. Use the change-of-base property. 	Due 12/14 by 10am
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12/14	The Final Exam is from 9:30-11:20 on Thursday, December 14 th . The Final Exam is comprehensive with an emphasis on Chapter 4.	

We will try to follow this schedule very closely. However, at times the course structure may need to be adjusted to provide for a better learning environment. Thus I reserve the right to make changes to the syllabus and this schedule. All changes will be announced in class.