

University of South Carolina
Math 111: College Algebra
Section 008
Fall 2008

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Text: Explorations in College Algebra
4th Edition
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Drop Date: Thursday, October 2
Final Exam: Monday, December 8 at 9:00am

1 Learning Outcomes

Students will master concepts and solve problems based upon linear, exponential, logarithmic and quadratic functions, their graphs and properties.

2 WileyPLUS

WileyPLUS is an online homework submission system. All homework assignments will be completed through WileyPLUS. To use it, you will need an access code, which comes bundled with your textbook or may be purchased separately online. The URL for our class is <http://edugen.wiley.com/edugen/class/cls70309>.

3 Grading Scale

A: 90-100, B+: 85-89, B: 80-84, C+: 75-79, C: 68-74, D+: 65-67, D: 58-64, F: below 58

4 Assignments

Homework	150 points total
Participation	50 points total
6 Quizzes	50 points total
3 Exams	300 points total
Final Exam	200 points
Total	750 points

5 Attendance

Attendance will not be taken formally, but we will be doing many graded assignments in class (including quizzes) which cannot be made up if you are absent.

6 Homework

There will be 34 homework assignments worth 5 points each, but only the best 30 will be counted (for a total of 150 points). All assignments will be completed on WileyPLUS. Late work will not be accepted.

7 Quizzes

There will be 6 quizzes worth 10 points each, but only the best 5 will be counted (for a total of 50 points). There will be no makeups for quizzes.

8 Exams

There will be 3 one-hour exams worth 100 points each (for a total of 300 points) and a final exam worth 200 points. If you miss a one-hour exam and your absence is excused, you may schedule a time outside of class for a makeup.

9 Extra Credit

Extra credit reviews will be posted on WileyPLUS prior to each major exam. Each review is worth up to half a letter grade bonus on the corresponding exam.

10 Calculators

You will need a graphing calculator for this course (a TI-83 or TI-84 is recommended).

11 Help Sessions

Walk-in tutoring sessions are available at the following times:

LeConte 105

Monday - Thursday

10am - 4pm

Bates, Columbia Hall, and Sims

Monday - Thursday

6pm - 8pm