Math 155: Intermediate Algebra. Spring 2018. Section 5220. David Collier, Instructor.

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Class Hours: MW, 5:00-7:00 p.m., Shuhaw Hall, Rm 1765 Office Hours: MW, 7:00-7:40 p.m. Bussman Hall, Rm 1484

Text: Intermediate Algebra, Graphs and Models, 4th Ed., Bittinger, Ellenbogen, & Johnson.,

ISBN-13: 9780321725554, TI 84-Plus Graphing Calculator REQUIRED.

MyMathLab Course ID: collier71063

Grading: Final—40%; Tests—30%; Homework—5%; Quizzes—20%; Attendance—5%

- Final Exam: Monday, May 21, 4 6:45pm. The time is different from the normally scheduled class time. Attendance at this date and time is mandatory—no makeups.
- Tests: There are two in-class tests. The test dates are Feb 28 and Apr 18. You can make up a test in advance of the scheduled test date, but only if you make arrangements with me first. Your final exam grade can substitute for one of your test grades—so if you miss a test or bomb a test there is still hope.
- Quizzes & Homework: We will cover about five text sections per week. Each section covered will have an associated homework and an associated quiz to be completed online in MyMathLab. To take a quiz, you must have at least 80% on the associated homework. You can retake a quiz once if you have at least 90% and twice if you have 100% on the associated homework. You will be unable to take or retake a quiz after Sunday of the week following the week the quiz was assigned. The lowest 6 quiz scores will be dropped from your final grade.
- Attendance: Your attendance will be graded with participation exercises done in most, but not all, classes. You must fully participate in the exercise to be graded present for the day. You can miss two participation exercises and still get full credit.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE of CLASS ACTIVITIES

Monday		Wednesday	
Jan 15	No Class	Jan 17	1.5, 1.6, 1.7
Jan 22	2.1, 2.2, 2.3,	Jan 24	2.4, 2.5
Jan 29	3.1, 3.2, 3.3	Jan 31	3.5, 3.8
Feb 5	4.1., 4.2, 4.4	Feb 7	4.5
Feb 12	5.1, 5.2, 5.3	Feb 14	5.4, 5.5, 5.6
Feb 19	No Class	Feb 21	5.7, 5.8
Feb 26	Review	Feb 28	Test 1
Mar 5	6.1, 6.2, 6.3	Mar 7	6.4, 6.5
Mar 12	6.6, 6.8	Mar 14	7.1, 7.2, 7.3
Mar 19	No Class	Mar 21	No Class
Mar 26	7.4, 7.5	Mar 28	7.6, 7.7
Apr 2	8.1, 8.2, 8.3	Apr 4	8.4, 8.5
Apr 9	8.6, 8.7	Apr 11	8.8, 8.9
Apr 16	Review	Apr 18	Test 2
Apr 23	9.1, 9.2	Apr 25	9.3, 9.4
Apr 30	9.5, 9.6	May 2	9.7
May 7	11.1, 11.2	May 9	11.3, 11.4
May 14	Review	May 16	Review
May 21, 4 – 6:45pm	Final Exam		