

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: MATH 101      Title: MATH FOR AA/AS DEGREE  
Full Title: Mathematics for the Associate Degree  
Last Reviewed: 12/12/2022

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	3.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	52.50
Minimum	3.00	Lab Scheduled	0	6	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	3.00		Contact Total	52.50
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 105.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable  
Grading: Grade or P/NP  
Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP  
Also Listed As:  
Formerly:

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Course Completion of Math 150B, or Math 151 or higher; or Qualifying Placement from Math Assessment.  
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**Recommended Preparation:**

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## **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

<b>AS Degree:</b>	<b>Area</b>		<b>Effective:</b>	<b>Inactive:</b>
	B	Communication and Analytical Thinking	Fall 2012	
	MC	Math Competency		
	B	Communication and Analytical Thinking	Fall 2009	Summer 2011
<b>CSU GE:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>		<b>Effective:</b>	<b>Inactive:</b>
<b>IGETC:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>		<b>Effective:</b>	<b>Inactive:</b>
<b>CSU Transfer:</b>		<b>Effective:</b>	<b>Inactive:</b>	
<b>UC Transfer:</b>		<b>Effective:</b>	<b>Inactive:</b>	

**CID:**

**Certificate/Major Applicable:**

Both Certificate and Major Applicable

## **COURSE CONTENT**

### **Outcomes and Objectives:**

Upon completion of the course, students will be able to do the listed objectives from four of the following seven subject areas:

#### **I. Functions**

- A. Define function, domain, and range, and use function notation appropriately.
- B. Use a graphing calculator to analyze the graph of a function.
- C. Solve application and modeling problems that involve functions.

#### **II. Financial Math**

- A. Use simple interest, compound interest, future value, present value, and effective yield formulas to calculate unknown values.
- B. Use a graphing calculator to solve for unknown values.
- C. Create and explore amortization tables.

#### **III. Geometry: Instructor choice of at least three of the following objectives.**

- A. Identify two- and three-dimensional shapes and use basic distance, area, surface area and volume formulae.
- B. Recognize, and apply appropriately, constructions, relationships and formulae involving quadrilaterals; sides and angles of triangles; parallel lines and planes; and chords, secants and tangents of circles.
- C. Describe and apply symmetry and rigid and non-rigid transformations.
- D. Use deductive reasoning to reach conclusions based on underlying axioms or previously

- proved theorems.
- E. Discuss and apply relationships in non-Euclidean geometry.
- F. Recognize types of graphs and use relationships between vertices and edges to discuss and solve problems from graph theory.
- IV. Linear Programming
  - A. Graph systems of linear inequalities.
  - B. Define the feasible region for a linear programming problem and calculate the vertices of the region.
  - C. Calculate the optimum value or values of a function of two variables based on the graph of the feasible region.
  - D. Solve application and modeling problems that involve linear programming.
- V. Probability and Statistics
  - A. Create and use graphical displays of data and frequency distributions.
  - B. Define mean, median, mode, percentiles, variability and standard deviation and compute each for sets of data.
  - C. Use laws of probability.
  - D. Discuss linear regression and correlation, and use technology to compute regression equations for applied problems.
- VI. Reasoning
  - A. Apply inductive reasoning to patterns and sequences.
  - B. Apply deductive reasoning to analyze statements and arguments using logic, Venn diagrams and set theory.
- VII. Trigonometry
  - A. Calculate the lengths of the sides of a triangle using the Pythagorean theorem.
  - B. Define the basic trigonometric functions in terms of right triangle ratios with angles given in degrees.
  - C. Use a calculator to find the values of basic trigonometric functions and angles.
  - D. Solve application and modeling problems that involve trigonometry.

### **Topics and Scope:**

Instructor will choose four of the following seven topics:

- I. Functions
  - A. Variation
  - B. Rates of change
  - C. Population growth
  - D. Other applications and models
- II. Financial Math
  - A. Simple and compound interest
  - B. Future value
  - C. Present value
  - D. Annuities
  - E. Loans
  - F. Effective yield
  - G. Applications
- III. Geometry
 

Topics chosen from:

  - A. Basic figures in geometry
  - B. Deductive reasoning
  - C. Parallel lines and planes
  - D. Similarity and congruence
  - E. Inequalities in geometry

- F. Right triangles
- G. Circles
- H. Constructions
- I. Areas and volumes
- J. Non-Euclidean Geometry
- K. Polyhedra
- L. Transformations and symmetries
- M. Graph theory
- N. Applications
- IV. Linear Programming
  - A. Linear modeling
  - B. Optimization
  - C. Applications
- V. Probability and Statistics
  - A. Counting techniques
  - B. Probability rules
  - C. Sampling and collecting data
  - D. Organizing data
  - E. Measures of center and spread
  - F. Graphical display of data
  - G. Linear regression
  - H. Applications
- VI. Reasoning
  - A. Inductive reasoning including patterns and sequences
  - B. Deductive reasoning including logic and sets
  - C. Applications
- VII. Trigonometry
  - A. Angles
  - B. Basic definitions
  - C. Right triangles
  - D. Pythagorean Theorem
  - E. Applications

### **Assignment:**

1. Weekly reading (20-50 pages)
2. Problem set assignments from required text(s) or supplementary materials chosen by the instructor (1-6 per week)
3. Quizzes (0-4 per week)
4. Exams (3-8)
5. Projects (for example, computer explorations or modeling activities, 0-10)

### **Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:**

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

None, This is a degree applicable course but assessment tools based on writing are not included because problem solving assessments are more appropriate for this course.

Writing  
0 - 0%

**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

Homework problems

Problem solving  
5 - 20%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

None

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0 - 0%

**Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Multiple choice and free response exams; quizzes

Exams  
60 - 95%

**Other:** Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Projects

Other Category  
0 - 25%

### **Representative Textbooks and Materials:**

The Nature Of Mathematics. 13th ed. Smith, Karl. Brooks/Cole. 2016

Mathematics: A Human Endeavor. 3rd ed. Jacobs, Harold. W.H. Freeman. 1994 (classic)

Instructor prepared materials