

Instructor

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Text & Calculator

We will cover chapters 1–5 of **Precalculus** by David Cohen. You are expected to have access to a graphing calculator. If you do not currently own one, the TI-8x series are recommended for this course.

Course Description & Outcomes

This course presents a basic introduction to functions and the exponential and logarithmic functions in particular. More detailed student outcomes are on file at the Mathematics Department and the Office of the Associate Vice President of Undergraduate Studies.

Course Conduct

You are expected to attend class regularly. If you miss class, do not expect the material to be recovered during regular class time. Photos of most classes will be available online and you should get notes from other students who attended class. Homework can be worked on in groups, however, each individual is responsible for turning in his or her own homework. Quizzes and exams are *not* considered group work.

Grades

Grades are determined as follows.

- **Homework:** Ten Assigned, the top 9 will count for 5 points each. Homeworks turned in will receive 5 points, those not turned in will receive 0 points. Homework is due on Wednesday of each week.
- **Quizzes:** Nine Assigned, the top 8 will count for 10 points each. Quizzes are taken on Wednesdays of each week.
- **Exams:** Four taken, they will each count for 75 points.
- **Final:** One taken, it will be worth 125 points.

This provides a total of 550 points ($45 + 80 + 300 + 125$). Final grades will be determined by the following:

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| 97% \rightarrow A+ | 93% \rightarrow A | 90% \rightarrow A- |
| 87% \rightarrow B+ | 83% \rightarrow B | 80% \rightarrow B- |
| 77% \rightarrow C+ | 73% \rightarrow C | 70% \rightarrow C- |
| 67% \rightarrow D+ | 63% \rightarrow D | 60% \rightarrow D- |

ADA Statement

Students who have special needs or disabilities that may affect their ability to access information or material presented in this course should contact the CWU Director of Disability Support Services at 509-963-2171, TDD 963-2143 for appropriate accommodation.