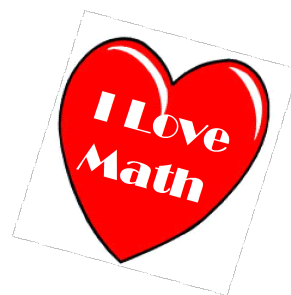


PRECALCULUS



5 Keys to Success

1. Attend class.
2. Care about the **process**—not the answer! Homework & review sheets are the keys to mastering the process. Turn them in on time.
3. Take the portfolio seriously—especially the journals!
4. Seek help.
 - Ask questions in class, during seminar, before school, after school, by text message
 - Check the web site (<http://www.ncthunder.org/smeyer/>) for notes and all other class materials.
5. Keep a positive attitude & give your **BEST** effort!

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Grading

- Points will be accumulated from:
 - Homework
 - Review Sheets
 - Projects
 - Quests
 - Tests
 - Portfolio
- Grades will be assigned using the NCHS Grading Scale; however, *grades will NOT be rounded.*
- Students will receive 4 homework coupons each semester that exempt a student from an assignment. Only two may be used prior to Oct. 15/Mar. 15. At the end of the semester, unused homework coupons will earn 5 pts. of extra credit per coupon. Put them in the **pocket** of the striped file on the back table.
- **Homework is required.** If an assignment has 7 or more problems, two problems may be omitted. They cannot be consecutive problems nor 2 word problems. Assignments with 6 problems or less must have all problems thoroughly attempted. Homework credit is all or none!
- Credit for homework will be granted for legitimately attempting to do the problem, not for whether the correct answer was reached. Answers are provided for all homework problems. **Work must be shown!**
- Assignment penalties:
 - Short 1 problem = -20%
 - Skip 2 in a row = -20%
 - Short more than 1 problem = Fix & Resubmit
 - Late within one week = -20%
 - Late more than one week = -50%
- *Students will be given 50/50 at the start of each semester. Each time a student fails to communicate with the teacher prior to a known absence five points will be deducted.*
- Tests must be completed during class unless prior arrangements have been made. Don't ask to come back later. No retakes!

Need Reminders and Extra Credit?
Send text to: 81010
Purple 2: @ncprecalc2
Purple 3: @ncprecalc3

Happy Teacher Info

Do

- Respond to Mrs. Meyer during class
- Notify Mrs. Meyer of a planned absence and find out what you will miss
- Check homework answers
- Take care of your calculator

Don't

- Bring food or **UNSEALED** drinks to class
- Be distracted by your laptop or cell phone
- Return to the classroom during lunch
- Text Mrs. Meyer before noon on Sunday
- Turn in a homework assignment with only the answers (I gave you) listed!!!!