

OnRamps Discovery Precalculus Course Information

Welcome to Our Class

Welcome to OnRamps Discovery Precal. You have joined a group of fellow students who are going to participate in a unique and exciting approach to math. This is a very challenging course with many requirements. Although the year will be challenging and perhaps even stressful at times, just remember it will be worth it in the end.

High School Grading Procedure (District Policy)

CONTENT ENGAGEMENT - 20%

- 1. Homework
- 2. Presentations

CONTENT UNDERSTANDING - 40%

- 1. Quizzes
- 2. Exploration Checks

CONTENT MASTERY - 40%

1. College Exams

Supply List

The following are supplies for this course. All supplies need to be brought with you daily to class.

- 1 Standard Size Composition Notebook
- 1 Binder 1"
- Pencils, Tissue, Paper (by period, will be discussed on first day of class)

Classroom Rules

- Respect. Respect yourself, your peers and your teacher
- Electronic devices and accessories are not allowed out in the classroom. (1st offense, device can be picked up from me. 2nd offense, device can be picked up from security for \$5.00)
- Follow the dress code. This includes having you I.D. on and visible at all times.
- No working on material from other classes, unless given permission to do so.
- Do not shout answers in the classroom. Raise your hand until called upon.
- You are not LeBron James! Do not attempt to shoot trash into the trashcan.

No food or drink allowed in the class.



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Consequences

1st Offense - Verbal Warning

2nd Offense - 1 on 1 Conference

3rd Offense - Phone Call/Email to Parent/Guardian or Parent/Guardian Conference

4th Offense - Referral to appropriate A.P.

Assignment Expectations

- All homework is to be done in PENCIL ONLY!!! WORK IN INK WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!!!
- Only QUALITY WORK is done in this class. Assignments that fail to adhere to the assignment format and quality expectations will NOT BE ACCEPTED.
- Copying/Cheating will result in an automatic 0 for both/all parties involved and may be subject to further administrative consequences as well.
- Absent work can be found on our website (w/ the exception of tests and quizzes) and is to be discussed and completed outside of class during tutoring hours.
- If turning in absent assignments, date of absence must be written on assignment or late deduction will occur.
- Take pictures of your assignments before turning in.
 This is your backup in case something is missing.

Late Work Policy

- 1 day (1 school day, not the next time we have class) after due date - 30 pt. deduction from COMPLETED assignment.
- Anything beyond 1 day will not be accepted.

EPISD Re-do Policy

Assignments, quizzes, exams (Not 9 Weeks or Semester Exams) can be re-done if a grade of 70% is not earned. You will have 5 school days from the time the grade is posted to come in during tutoring hours to do so. You are allowed a total of 2 re-do opportunities, where the 5 school day policy resets at every grade posting. Failure to come in for the first re-do, forfeits any future opportunity to fix that grade. It should also be mentioned that each quiz/exam re-do will be a completely new version.

Duel Enrollment

OnRamps Discovery Precalculus is a duel enrollment course. This means you get 2 completely separate grades for the course. A high school credit you receive from me. And a college credit that is graded through UT Austin. You'll learn more about this in the UT Austin OnRamps Discovery Precalculus syllabus, along with the orientation you are required to do.

This Year In A Nutshell

Semester I

Unit 1 Function, Rates and Patterns

Unit 2 Algebra and Geometry

Unit 3 Exponentials and Logarithms

Semester II

Unit 4A Trigonometry Pt. I

Unit 4B Trigonometry Pt. II

Unit 5 Limits and Rate of Change Functions

Unit 6 Other Coordinate Systems

Unit 7 Sequences and Series



GO HUSKIES!!!