

MATH 256: Topics Before Algebra (Spring 2017) – Reedley College
MW: 6:00 - 7:15 PM – FEM Room 7

Homework Assignments: Homework will be assigned after virtually every class. It is the responsibility of the student to complete the homework assignment and be prepared to ask questions during appropriate times in class. Homework will be turned in on the day of the exam at the beginning of class. Homework must be clearly labeled with the page number(s) and assignment highlighted at the top of the page. Additionally, all work must be shown with problem numbers and final answers highlighted. No credit will be given if these instructions are not followed. Homework will be graded as either complete or not complete.

Late Homework Will Not Be Accepted – No Exceptions.

Homework Title Example: Chapter 8 Review pg. 680-681 #1-65 Odd

***Note: This schedule is subject to change at the discretion of the instructor.**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lecture</u>	<u>Topics + Homework Assignments</u>
1/9/17	Class Intro	*Syllabus + Class Expectations *Steps for Success PowerPoint
1/11/17	Chapter 1-2 Review	*Whole Numbers *Integers *Chapters 1-2 Cumulative Review pg. 143-144 #1-30 all
1/16/17	No Class	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day observed (no classes held, campus closed)
1/18/17	3.1	*Translating & Evaluating Expressions
1/23/17	3.2	*Intro to Polynomials; Combining Like Terms
1/25/17	3.3	*Adding & Subtracting Polynomials
1/30/17	3.4	*Exponent Rules; Multiplying Polynomials
2/1/17	3.5	*Prime Numbers and GCF
2/6/17	3.6	*Exponent Rules; Introduction to Factoring
2/8/17	Test Review	*Practice Test pg. 141 #1-27, pg. 220 #1-22
2/13/17	TEST CHAPTER 3	Chapter 3 Homework Due: pg. 211-218 #4-62 even
2/15/17	4.1	*Equations & Their Solutions
2/20/17	No Class	Washington Day observed (no classes held, campus closed)
2/22/17	4.2	*The Addition Property of Equality
2/27/17	4.3	*Multiplication Property of Equality
3/1/17	4.4	*Translating Word Sentences to Equations
3/6/17	4.5	*Applications and Problem Solving
3/8/17	Test Review	*Practice Test pg. 268 #1-16
3/13/17	TEST CHAPTER 4	Chapter 4 Homework Due: pg. 264 -266 #1-24 all
3/15/17	8.1	*Introduction to Percent
3/20/17	8.2	*Solving Basic Percent Sentences
3/22/17	8.3	*Solving Basic Percent Problems (Portions)
3/27/17	8.4	*Solving Problems Involving Percent of Increase or Decrease
3/29/17	8.5	*Solving problems Involving Interest
4/3/17	Test Review	*Practice Test pg. 580 #1-25

4/5/17	Test Review	
4/17/17	TEST CHAPTER 8	Chapter 8 Homework Due: pg. 575 -579 #1-34 all
4/19/17	9.1	*Points, Lines, and Angles
4/24/17	9.2	*The Rectangular Coordinate System
4/26/17	9.3	*Graphing Linear Equations
5/1/17	9.4	*Applications with Graphing
5/3/17	Test Review	*Practice Test pg. 642 #1-25
5/8/17	TEST CHAPTER 9	Chapter 9 Homework Due: pg. 632-641 #1-34 all
5/10/17	Final Review	*Practice Test for Final
5/15/17	FINAL	Final – 6 PM – 7:15 PM