

Kings River Community College Syllabus 1997

Math 1 - Elementary Algebra

Mon/Wed/Fri. 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

a. INSTRUCTOR: Tom Fritz

b. TEXT: Elementary Algebra by McKeague, 5th Edition

c. COURSE OBJECTIVE: The student will acquire a knowledge of and appreciation for the general principles and techniques of Algebra, both for its technological applications and as a base for continued growth.

D. GRADING PROCEDURE:

1. Homework

- a) Assigned each meeting
- b) Due next meeting date
- c) Spot checked and recorded
- d) A complete set, on time, is worth a 5% bonus

2. Quizzes

- a) Expect one each week
- b) Based on recent homework
- c) No make-up for absence
- d) Discard one lowest quiz score

3. Major tests

- a) 5 or more tests, chapter based
- b) Discard one lowest or missing test score
- c) Final exam is cumulative.

4. Grading weights:	Homework	20%
	Quizzes	20%
	Tests	50%
	Final	10%

Note: Half of the homework score is based on chalkboard participation.

5. Grading scale

90 - 100% = A/ 80 - 89% = B/ 70 - 79% = C/ 60 - 69% = D/  
Less than 60% = F

e. ATTENDANCE:

Full attendance is reasonable and expected. A student who misses 2 or more consecutive meetings should contact the instructor to maintain current lesson schedules. The student will be subject to dismissal from the course with 5 or more absences.