MATH 50
MONDAY & WEDNESDAY
HOUR: 4-5:15
FALL 1999
TEACHER: SERGIO RENTERIA

COLLEGE ARITHMETIC

COURSE DESCRIPTION: Operations with decimals, ratio and proportion, percents, measurement, geometry, statistics, signed numbers, and introduction to Algebra.

OJECTIVES: To review the basics of arithmetic and prepare for a course in algebra

REQUIRED TEXT: Jeffrey Slater & John Tobey, Basic College Prentice Hall publishing, 3rd edition, 1998

ATTENDANCE: Students are expected to attend all class meetings, be on time and be in class the entire class session. Students leaving class before the end of the class will be counted as being absent! Your classmates and I would greatly appreciate that students in the class take care of any needs (i.e., using the restroom, getting a drink) before the class begins. Regular attendance is imperative in a math course in order to maintain continuity of subject matter. Thus, a student who accumulates more than 3 absences by the end of the 9 Th week will be dropped—5 absences/semester. Exceptions for special circumstances only! Last day to drop is Friday August 27, 1999 (a letter grade is issued after this date).

HOMEWORK: Exercises will be assigned regularly. Solutions to these exercises will be due anytime upon request. Each assignment will be worth 10 points.

TESTS: The unit tests will be chapter tests (each test will be worth 100 points). The Final will be worth 200 points. No unexcused late tests! Final test time: Monday December 13, 1999 time to be announced.

GRADING: Points earned on all homework and tests will be totaled to calculate your grade. The following table will be used to determine the grade:

Grade	% of total
A	90 or more
B	80-89
C	65-79
D	50-64
F	below 50

HOLIDAYS: Monday, September 6