

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

PERIOD: 8

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School Year 2023-2024

## AP PRECALCULUS (DCC MAT 185) CLASS EXPECTATIONS

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**Google Classroom Link:** [Will be distributed in class.](#)

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**Materials** - Graphing calculators will be used often in this course, however, there will be certain times when calculators will not be allowed. This includes the final exam.

If you are interested in purchasing your own graphing calculator (which I highly suggest) I recommend the TI-84 Plus CE as it is the most user friendly. There are also graphing calculator applications available for smartphones. I recommend “calculator x” which is a free app available for most devices.

All students should have some sort of notebook to hold their math notes and handouts.

**Assignments** – There will be an assignment almost every day which will be posted on Google Classroom. Assignments will be randomly checked for completeness and will be worth 2 points based on effort. *Late assignments can be made up for 1 point only if all work is shown.*

**Graded Assignments** – Graded Assignments will occasionally be assigned and posted on Google Classroom. These assignments can be worth up to 45 points. *Graded assignments will be accepted late, however, points will be deducted for each day it is past due.*

**Quizzes/Tests** - Quizzes will be worth anywhere from 5 to 45 points each. Quizzes can be expected at least once a week. There *may* be an exam every two or three weeks. These exams will be announced in advance. If there is an absence on the day of a quiz or test the students are expected to take the exam on the day that they return to school. Tests typically range from 45 to 100 points.

**Midterm/Final Exams** – There is no midterm exam for this course. The DCC final exam or project will cover topics which are part of the DCC MAT185 curriculum only. The use of a calculator is not allowed if the final is an exam. The final will count towards 20% of the final grade for DCC, however, it will only be used as a 4<sup>th</sup> quarter grade for computing the high school final average.

**Averages** - Averages are updated daily and can be viewed on Google Classroom and on Parent Portal.

**Extra Help** - I am available for extra help during the school day, specifically periods 4 & 6. If a student needs to stay before or after school for extra help, they may ask for available dates and times.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

