

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

PERIOD: 5

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School Year 2024-2025

## AP PRECALCULUS (DCC MAT 185) CLASS EXPECTATIONS

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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 DCC 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 "Calculate84" 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. All assignments will be due by the start of the next class period 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 are expected to be completed by the start of class the day they are due and can be worth up to at least 45 points. *Graded assignments will be accepted late; however, several 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 and may not necessarily be announced ahead of time. 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 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 will cover topics which are part of the DCC MAT 185 curriculum only. The use of a calculator is not permitted on the DCC Final 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 2, 4 & 7. 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: \_\_\_\_\_

