Class: Advanced Placement Calculus (BC)

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Textbook: Calculus-Graphical, Numerical, Algebraic-A Complete Course, (fourth edition), by Finney, Demana, Waits, & Kennedy.

## **Required Supplies:**

Basic school supplies: binder, folder, paper, pencils, etc...

> Graphing Calculator: TI-84 Plus highly recommended.

## **Grading Policy:**

Grade Entered into IC	Meaning of Grade
Advanced (AD) = 100 %	The student exhibits exceptional mastery of the course objective.
	<ul> <li>Means that you understand and solve problems with <i>no errors</i>.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Exceeding grade level expectations.</li> </ul>
Proficient (PR) = 85%	The student provides evidence of mastery of the
	course objective.
	<ul> <li>Means that you understand, but make</li> </ul>
	computational errors.
	<ul> <li>Meeting grade level expectations.</li> </ul>
Basic (BA) = $65\%$	<ul> <li>The student provides evidence of a beginning</li> </ul>
	understanding of the course objective.
	<ul> <li>Means that you almost understand, but make</li> </ul>
	conceptual errors.
	<ul> <li>Just below grade level expectations.</li> </ul>
Minimal $(MI) = 50\%$	<ul> <li>The student attempts the task but provides no</li> </ul>
	evidence of mastery of the objective.
	<ul> <li>Means that you are still learning and make some</li> </ul>
	major errors.
	<ul> <li>Far below grade level expectations.</li> </ul>
No Evidence (0)	<ul> <li>There was no attempt or plagiarized.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Means that you were absent or copied off</li> </ul>
	someone else.

The content of this course will be broken down into main content standards or objectives. Within each standard, assessments will be given one of the following grades; **AD**, **PR**, **BA**, **MI**, **or O**. As new pieces of evidence in each standard will be collected through tests, projects, portfolios, presentations, assignments, etc., older grades can be replaced. This is to help ensure that final grades reflect current knowledge of the student, rather than a student's early efforts.

The evidence/assessments will be 75% of your semester grade. The semester exam will be 20%. IC will then convert the AD, PR, BA, MI, and O using the conversions above and average the percentages. The report card will then use that average and show a standard letter grade based on the following scale:

## Late work will NOT be accepted!

## **Reassessments:**

In order to reassess an objective you must do **ALL** of the following:

- 1. All daily assignments must be completed for that section/chapter. A "Good Faith Effort" must be demonstrated on ALL assignments, meaning all must be attempted by **YOU**. As in no cheating, copying, or plagiarizing.
- 2. Retakes may only be completed within the six week snapshot that the original assessment was taken. You may retake only 1 quiz and 1 test a snapshot.
- **3.** Corrections must be made on the original assessment and resubmitted at the time of the retake.
- **4.** The reassessment must be taken during office hours or amnesty days.

All Students will take part in the class final near the end of the semester (TBA)

- Students who need to complete or revise/redo any part of the Final will have the opportunity to do so during the "official" Finals week (December 19 21).
- Students who satisfactorily complete all requirements and the Final will receive an
  excused absence form for that Finals period (Parents must sign and turn form in
  before Finals week).

Almost all colleges, universities, and tech schools utilize a formal Finals process. Riverside's version of Finals is to help us assess your College Readiness as well as your overall mastery of the Standards covered in class."