



Lassiter High School
Reaching Excellence and Climbing Higher
Math Department
Fall Semester 2018



Course: GSE Algebra II

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GSE Algebra II consists of the following 7 Units, we will be covering the **first 3 and ½ Units** during **fall** semester.

Unit 1: Quadratics Revisited

Unit 5: Exponential and Logarithms

Unit 2: Operations with Polynomials

Unit 6: Mathematical Modeling

Unit 3: Polynomial Functions

Unit 7: Inferences and Conclusions from Data

Unit 4: Rational and Radical Relationships

Textbook:

You will be given an online access code for the textbook for your reference.

Materials

You will need a three-ring binder, notebook paper, pencils/erasers, and a Graphing Calculator (**TI-84, TI-83**). **You should always bring paper, pencils, your binder, and a calculator every day.**

- It would be greatly appreciated if each class period could donate items from the list below.

3rd Period: Hand Sanitizer

5th Period: Dry Erase Markers/colored pencils

6th Period: Kleenex

Tests and Quizzes

We will have many tests and quizzes throughout the year. You will receive a calendar at the beginning of every unit with the dates of all tests and quizzes. If you miss a test or quiz, you will have **ONE WEEK** to schedule a make-up with Coach Barton. The make-up sessions for the math department are **TUESDAY MORNINGS OR THURSDAY AFTERNOONS**, which will be posted on Coach Barton's board. **IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY** to find the correct room for your make-up.

Make-Up Work

Attendance is an extremely important part of this class. Your success depends on being in class every day. If you are absent **it is your responsibility** to get the notes and assignments that are missed. Please check the class blog to find out what we covered in class and any assignments that may have been given. If you are absent, you have one day for each day of excused absence plus one more day to make up the work. **If you are absent on the review day before a test/quiz and return on the day of the test/quiz you will be expected to take the test/quiz as scheduled.**

Homework:

Homework will be given often and checked every day. Assignments will be checked using a variety of methods for both completion and accuracy. You should always show your work and clearly state your answer. Credit will NOT be given for answers only! It is your responsibility to check your homework for accuracy, make corrections during class, and ask questions when necessary.

Final Exam:

There will be a Final Exam given at the end of the semester. This will be multiple-choice and a cumulative test that covers all material from the semester.

Classroom Expectations

- Be respectful to all teachers and students. Keep hands, feet, objects, and comments to yourself.
- Be on time and come to class prepared. Try not to rely on classmates to provide you with materials.
- **If you receive 3 or more unexcused tardies to my class, you will receive an administration referral.**
- Try your best. Don't give up if you begin to struggle.
- Advocate for yourself. If you need help, ask and/or attend tutoring. Don't wait until it's too late.
- Use your time wisely, stay on task and working during class time.

Help Sessions

All of your teachers are available for tutoring. Check on the Math Department tutoring schedule posted inside the classroom. I will be a Morning from 7:45 – 8:15.

Cell Phones

Cell phones are **not** allowed in class unless allowed by the teacher as part of an assignment. Phones **will be** taken up and if they are seen in use.

Cheating:

You are expected to uphold the highest standards. Cheating is considered a serious matter. For this course, cheating is defined as, but not limited to the following:

- Copying anyone's answers to any assignment (CW, HW, Tests/Quizzes, Projects)
- Looking onto another student's paper during a test or quiz
- Having any test aids visible during any assessment
- Having a cell phone visible at any time during any assessment
- Talking or communicating in **any manner** during a test or quiz

Grading:

Tests	50%
Quizzes	25%
Classwork/Homework	10%
Final Exam	15%

Helpful Math Websites:

<http://www.kahnacademy.org>
<http://www.purplemath.com/>
<http://mathforum.org/library/drmath/drmath.high.html>
<http://moodle.gavirtualschool.org/>
<https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/practice/daily-practice-app>

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Please check in the blanks to the left indicating your agreement with the following:

_____ I have reviewed the class syllabus and understand the grading policy.

_____ I have read and understand the academic integrity policy.

_____ I am willing to be contacted by email and have provided my email address below.

_____ I have access to the Internet and will check on my student's progress in GSE Algebra II on ParentVUE.

_____ I am willing to check the teacher's blog at <http://lhsblogs.typepad.com/barton/> so that I am aware of important dates for upcoming assignments and assessments.

Student Name: _____
(Please print.)

Class Period: _____

(Student's Signature)

(Parent's Signature)

Parent's E-mail Address

Parent's Phone Number

RETURN THIS PAGE WITH BOTH SIGNATURES
NO LATER THAN Friday, August 10th.
