

Math 8 - Introductory Assignment

Name: _____

The purpose of this assignment is to get you familiar with my website pccmath.com and introduce you to the course. It is due on the first day of class.

(1) The Math 8 page

- Go to pccmath.com.
- Click on the link for Math 8 on the left. This is what I refer to as “the Math 8 page”. This is where you will find information about the course such as notes, handouts, syllabus and sample tests.

(2) The Syllabus

The syllabus contains a LOT of information about this course. You should read it thoroughly and refer back to it during the semester.

- On the 8 page....
- Click on “Syllabus”.
 - What time are my office hours ? _____
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 - How much does the online book cost? _____
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 - How much time should you expect to spend on homework? _____
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 - When is the Final Exam? _____
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 - Under what circumstances will late homework be accepted? _____
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 - Where is the Math Success Center? _____

(3) Sample Tests

I provide sample tests for each of the exams. It should be noted that this is not a comprehensive review but an actual test that was given in a previous semester. It can be used as a tool for studying for the exam, but should not be the *only* tool used.

- Go back to the 8 page.
 - Click on Sample Test “2”.
 - What does question (1a) ask? _____

(4) Assignment Sheet

During the summer intersession, I will show on the assignment sheet when each section should be done. Even though homework is not actually turned in until the day of the exam, it is imperative that you keep up and do it on by the day listed. That will be the day you may ask questions on that section and you may be given a quiz on that material.

- Go back to the 8 page.
 - Click on the tab (black bar) for Homework
 - What is the topic of the first assignment (8.1) ? _____
 - What is due on Friday 6/21? _____

(5) Resources

- Go back to the 8 page.
 - Check out some of my favorite online resources.

Do you have any questions you have about the course or is there anything I should know about you to help you be successful in this course? (use the back if needed)