

Geometry Syllabus
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Please make sure to read this syllabus thoroughly before beginning the course.

Technical Information:

This course does not provide computer instruction. You will only be instructed in the content of the course.

If you have technical difficulty while you are taking the test, please have your counselor/proctor contact the High School Online office at 662.325.1457.

Course Videos:

Videos for the course content are provided for instructional resources, if needed. The videos are not required. However, the videos do align with the course practice.

Course Practice:

In order to be able to study for the quizzes and exams, you will need to do practice problems. The problems will be aligned with the course videos.

Prerequisites:

It is your responsibility to ensure that you have met any prerequisites required to earn credit for this course. Refunds will not be issued outside of the refund policy because prerequisites were not met prior to enrolling in or taking the course.

Objective of the Course:

The fundamental purpose of this course is to formalize and extend students' geometric experiences from the middle grades. Students explore more complex geometric situations and deepen their explanations of geometric relationships, moving towards formal mathematical arguments.

Test:

The tests are designed to provide an understanding of the content related to the courses. Each test contains key terms and problems. Please be thorough in your answers. When identifying key terms, don't merely copy the book's definition – provide an example. When working through problems, provide as much information as is needed to completely answer the question. You are allowed to use notes and your textbook for the test. Test will be 25% of your final grade.

Mississippi State University's Student Honor Code will be enforced. To view this policy, visit <http://www.honorcode.msstate.edu/policy/>.

Grades:

You will receive a numerical grade for each lesson that you submit. Your test grades will count as 25% of your final grade, the mid-term is 35% and the final exam is 40%. As lessons and tests are graded, your grade will be posted. While I strive to grade your lessons and tests in a very timely fashion, please note that there are certain times when there may be a delay in grading (holidays, weekends, etc).

Final Grade:

Once you have submitted all assignments for grading and your final average is calculated a completion letter will be mailed to the student and the school. The school will issue the letter grade and add the course to your transcript.

Communication with your Instructor:

Outside of discussion board posts, all communication with your instructor should be via email.

Course Completion and Graduation:

If you are graduating in the current school year, all coursework must be completed by April 1 in order to ensure that your official documentation is received by your school counselor in time for graduation. It is your responsibility to submit all discussion boards, quizzes, and exams by this deadline.