

Math 1113
PRECALCULUS
Master Syllabus

Valdosta State University - Mathematics Department

Math 1113 is a 3 credit hour course.

Prerequisites:

Math 1112(Trigonometry) with a C or better or with Math Placement score.

Course Description:

Math 1113 is a study in Advanced Algebra and Trigonometry, Conics and Polar Coordinates.

Learning Outcomes

- 1.)Identify types of functions, their domain and range, and be able to analyze these functions from a numeric, graphical, and symbolic point of view. The functions include linear, quadratic, polynomial, rational, exponential, logarithmic, and trigonometric.**
- 2.)Identify and find the inverse of functions.**
- 3.)Use the various functions to solve application problems.**
- 4.)Apply transformations to various graphs of functions**

***For additional information about your particular course including grading, textbook, assignments and tests, contact your course instructor for your course syllabus.**

General Outline of Topics

- 1.)Graphs and Functions**
 - Transformations with graphs**
 - Composition of functions**
 - Inverses of functions**

- 2.)Polynomial and Rational Functions**
 - Graph the Quadratic, polynomial, and rational functions**
 - Discuss End Behavior of functions and find the zeros.**
 - Variation Problems**

3.) Exponential and Logarithm Functions

- Graph the exponential and logarithm function
- Application problems – Growth, Decay, Compound interest
- National Exponential Function
- Rules and Laws of Logarithms
- Solving exponential equations

4.) Trigonometric Functions

- Angles and their measure – Unit Circle & Evaluate the trig functions
- Reference angles
- Trigonometric identities
- Even and Odd functions
- Graphs of the Trigonometric functions
- Inverse Trig functions

5.) Analytic Trigonometry

- Solving Trig Equations
- More Trig Identities
- Formulas: Sum, Difference, Double-Angle, Half-Angle, Sum-to-Product, Product-to-Sum

6.) Applications of the Trigonometric Function

- Right Triangle Trigonometry
- Law of Sines and Cosines
- Polar Coordinates

7.) Analytic Geometry

- Conic Sections: Parabola, Ellipse, Hyperbola