

**Math 102<sup>03</sup> Algebra**

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**Text Book:** Algebra For College Students (6 th edition), Gustafson and Frisk.

**Course Description:**

Our goal is to cover Chapters 1 through 9 of your textbook skipping some sections here and there. The major topics to be covered are the real number system, linear and quadratic equations, equations of lines, systems of linear equations, and the study of polynomials.

**Quizzes:**

There will be daily quizzes. The quizzes will be based on the class discussion or the previous lectures homework problems. The quiz will be held the last 10 minutes of class. Quizzes cannot be made up.

**Homework:**

Homework will be assigned and collected, just to make sure that it has been completed. The quizzes, tests and final questions will be based on homework problems.

**Test:**

There will be two tests. The dates for the tests will be announced.

**Final:**

On the date given in the students schedule the final will be given.

**Grading:**

Quizzes and Homework	25%
Test 1	20%
Test 2	20%
Final	30%

**Grade Scale:**

A = 90% or better, B = 80% to 90%, C = 70% to 80%,  
D = 60% to 70%, D = less than 60 %