## Algebra 2: Part 1

Course number: MA053_20_1

Credits: . 5 credit
Prerequisites: None

## INSTRUCTIONAL TEAM

Our Academic Advisors are also available to help you when you need it. They are trained to provide answers to your questions about the course or program.
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## Course Materials

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- Look over the syllabus, paying close attention to the course and lesson objectives.
- Read each objective. Pay close attention to main concepts and definitions.
- Complete each assignment as you come to it.
- When you've completed each assignment, look over the lesson review.
- When you're confident you understand the material, complete the lesson exam.


## COURSE DESCRIPTION

The Algebra 2: Part 1 course focuses on graphing, interpreting and transforming functions, including linear, absolute value, quadratic, and polynomial functions. You'll solve quadratic equations, work with complex numbers, and factor polynomials. Most importantly, you'll apply this new understanding to everyday situations through new problem-solving techniques.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After completing Algebra 2: Part 1, students will be able to:

- Write and graph linear and absolute value functions
- Write quadratic equations that produce parabolas
- Use five strategies for solving quadratic equations
- Apply the Fundamental Theorem of Algebra to polynomials

| LESSONS |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Lesson 1: | Introduction to Functions |
| Lesson 2: | Quadratic Functions |
| Lesson 3: | Quadratic Equations and Complex Numbers |
| Lesson 4: | Polynomial Functions |
| Graded Exam: | Final Exam |

## GRADING

The following point totals correspond to the following grades:

## POINTS GRADE

100-90 A
89-80 B
79-70 C
65-69 D
Below 65 F

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Exams are timed and once you begin an exam, the timer runs continuously, even if you leave the course. Refer to the exam instructions for the time limit (in most cases 3 hours), but the time limit cannot be spread over multiple days.

## GRADE WEIGHT

| TOPIC | ACTIVITY | PERCENTAGE |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lesson 1: Introduction to Functions | Quiz | $18 \%$ |
| Lesson 2: Quadratic Functions | Quiz | $18 \%$ |
| Lesson 3: Quadratic Equations and | Quiz | $19.5 \%$ |
| Complex Numbers | Quiz | $19.5 \%$ |
| Lesson 4: Polynomial Functions | Assignment | $25 \%$ |
| Graded Exam: Final Exam |  |  |

## ACADEMIC AND COURSE POLICIES

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## Algebra 2: Part 2

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Prerequisites: None

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## COURSE DESCRIPTION

The Algebra 2: Part 2 course focuses on graphing, interpreting and transforming functions, including exponential, logarithmic, rational, and trigonometric functions. You'll also evaluate sequences and series. Most importantly, you'll apply this new understanding to everyday situations through new problem-solving techniques.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

After completing Course Title, students will be able to:

- Solve and graph radical functions ?
- Solve and graph logarithmic functions
- Apply operations to rational expressions and functions
- Use sequence notation to write terms in a sequence
- Demonstrate an understanding of trigonometric functions by graphing

| LESSONS | Radical Functions |
| :--- | :--- |
| Lesson 5: | Exponential and Logarithmic Functions |
| Lesson 6: | Rational Functions |
| Lesson 7: | Sequences and Series |
| Lesson 8: | Trigonometric Ratios and Functions |
| Lesson 9: | Final Exam |
| Graded Exam: |  |

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## GRADE WEIGHT

| TOPIC | ACTIVITY | PERCENTAGE |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Lesson 5: Radical Functions | Quiz | $15 \%$ |
| Lesson 6: Exponential and Logarithmic | Quiz | $15 \%$ |
| Functions | Quiz | $15 \%$ |
| Lesson 7: Rational Functions | Quiz | $15 \%$ |
| Lesson 8: Sequences and Series | Quiz | $15 \%$ |
| Lesson 9: Trigonometric Ratios and | Assignment | $25 \%$ |
| Functions |  |  |
| Graded Exam: Final Exam |  |  |
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