هيئة تقويم التعليم والتدريب
Education \& Training Evaluation Commission

## Course Specifications

| Course Title: | Introduction to Mathematics |
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| Course Code: | 140 Math-2 |
| Program: | Preparatory Year |
| Department: | Basic Sciences |
| College: | Art \& Sciences |
| Institution: | Najran University |



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## A. Course Identification


6. Mode of Instruction (mark all that apply)

| No | Mode of Instruction | Contact Hours | Percentage |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Traditional classroom |  | 80 |
| 2 | Blended |  |  |
| 3 | E-learning |  | 2 |
| 4 | Correspondence |  |  |
| 5 | Other | - | - |

7. Actual Learning Hours (based on academic semester)

| No | Activity | Learning Hours |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Contact Hours |  |  |
| 1 | Lecture | 30 |
| 2 | Laboratory/Studio |  |
| 3 | Tutorial | 15 |
| 4 | Others (specify) |  |
|  | Total | 45 |
| Other Learning Hours* |  |  |
| 1 | Study | 30 |
| 2 | Assignments | 30 |
| 3 | Library | 10 |
| 4 | Projects/Research Essays/Theses |  |
| 5 | Others (specify) | 30 |
|  | Total | 100 |

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## B. Course Objectives and Learning Outcomes

## 1. Course Description

This course is designed to cover topics in Algebra enhanced with pre-algebra topics such as arithmetic, fractions, and word problems as need, Trigonometry concepts such as Law of Sines and Cosines will be introduced. Topics include real numbers, linear equations and inequalities in one variable, polynomials, factoring, algebraic fractions, and quadratic equations, review of manipulative algebra; introduction to functions and graphs, including linear, quadratic, rational functions, logarithmic and exponential, and trigonometric functions.

## 2. Course Main Objective

Students able to build strong and sound understanding of Pre-calculus as a solid foundation for subsequent courses in mathematics and other disciplines as well as for applying in the real life.

## 3. Course Learning Outcomes

| CLOs |  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Aligned } \\ \text { PLOs } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Knowledge: |  |
| 1.1 | Describe the basic concepts of equations, inequalities, and functions, and their rules, which will be cover in this course. |  |
| 1... |  |  |
| 2 | Skills : |  |
| 2.1 | Solve the equations and the inequalities, with Absolut value in one variable. |  |
| 2.2 | Find the domain, the range, and the inverse of a function and their properties to sketch curve of it |  |
| 2.3 | Apply the properties of exponential and logarithmic functions for specific equations and applications |  |
| 2.4 |  |  |
| 2.5 |  |  |
| 3 | Competence: |  |
| 3.1 |  |  |
| 3.2 |  |  |
| 3.3 |  |  |
| 3.4 |  |  |
| 3.5 |  |  |

## C. Course Content

| No | List of Topics | Contact Hours |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Real Number System |  |  |
| 2.1 | Sets and Real Numbers. | 3 |
| 2.2 | Exponents and Radicals | 3 |
| 2.3 | Rational Expressions. | 3 |
| 2. Equations and Inequalities |  |  |
| 2.1 | Linear Equations and Applications. | 4 |
| 2.2 | Linear Inequalities | 4 |
| 2.3 | Equations and Inequalities Involving Absolute Value | 3 |
| 2.4 | Quadratic Equations and Applications. | 3 |


| 3. Functions |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 3.1 | Functions | 3 |
| 3.2 | Polynomials and Rational Functions | 3 |
| 3.3 | Combining Functions | 3 |
| 3.4 | Inverse Functions | 3 |
| 4. Functions |  | 3 |
| 4.1 | Exponential Functions | 3 |
| 4.2 | 4.2 Logarithmic Functions | 3 |
| 4.3 | 4.3 Logarithmic and Exponential Equations | 45 |
| Total |  |  |

## D. Teaching and Assessment

## 1. Alignment of Course Learning Outcomes with Teaching Strategies and Assessment Methods

| Code | Course Learning Outcomes | Teaching Strategies | Assessment Methods |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Knowledge: |  |  |
| 1.3 | Describe the basic concepts of equations, inequalities, and functions, and their rules, which will be cover in this course. | Lecture Cooperative learning Problem solving Brain storming Self-Learning | Midterm Exam Final Exam |
| 1. |  |  |  |
| 2 | Skills : |  |  |
| 2.1 | Solve the equations and the inequalities, with Absolut value in one variable. |  | Midterm Exam Final Exam |
| 2.2 | Find the domain, the range, and the inverse of a function and their properties to sketch curve of it |  |  |
| 2.3 | Apply the properties of exponential and logarithmic functions for specific equations and applications |  |  |
| 2.4 |  |  |  |
| 2.5 |  |  |  |
| 2.6 |  |  |  |
| 3 | Competence: |  |  |
| 3.1 |  |  |  |
| 3.2 |  |  |  |

2. Assessment Tasks for Students

| \# | Assessment task* | Week Due | Percentage of Total Assessment Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | $1^{\text {st }}$ midterm Exam | $7^{\text {th }}$ week | 20 |
| 2 | $2^{\text {nd }}$ midterm Exam | $11^{\text {TH }}$ week | 20 |
| 3 | Assignments \& Quizzes | During classes | 10 |
| 4 | Final Exam | At the end | 50 |
| 8 |  |  |  |

## E. Student Academic Counseling and Support

Arrangements for availability of faculty and teaching staff for individual student consultations and academic advice :

- Office Hours
- Blackboard


## F. Learning Resources and Facilities

## 1.Learning Resources

| Required Textbooks | Pre-Calculus Made Simple, A. H. Khashan, S. T. Obeidat and, K. H. <br> Khashan, The King Saud University, 2 |
| :---: | :--- |
| Esd <br> Esential References Year: 2014. <br> Materials | - College Algebra with Trigonometry, 8e by Raymond Barnett Michael <br> Ziegler Karl Byleen. <br> - College Algebra and Trigonometry: Graphs and Models, by Raymond <br> Barnett Michael Ziegle Karl Byleen. <br> - Pre-calculus: Graphs and Models, 3e by Raymond Barnett Michael Ziegler <br> Karl Byleen David Sobecki |
| Electronic Materials | - https://www.ck12.org/book/CK-12-Calculus-Concepts/section/1.7/ <br> - https://zr9558.files.wordpress.com/2013/10/thomas_-calculus.pdf |
| Other Learning |  |
| Materials |  |

## 2. Facilities Required

$\left.\begin{array}{|c|c|}\hline \text { Item } & \text { Resources } \\ \hline \begin{array}{c}\text { Accommodation } \\ \text { (Classrooms, laboratories, demonstration } \\ \text { rooms/labs, etc.) }\end{array} & \text { Classroom } \\ \begin{array}{c}\text { Technology Resources } \\ \text { (AV, data show, Smart Board, software, } \\ \text { etc.) }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Free software as (Geogebra) }\end{array} \\ \hline \begin{array}{c}\text { Other Resources } \\ \text { (Specify, e.g. if specific laboratory } \\ \text { equipment is required, list requirements or } \\ \text { attach a list) }\end{array} & \\ \hline \text { https://www.geogebra.org/graphing }\end{array}\right]$

## G. Course Quality Evaluation



| Evaluation Areas/Issues | Evaluators | Evaluation Methods |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
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Evaluation areas (e.g., Effectiveness of teaching and assessment, Extent of achievement of course learning outcomes, Quality of learning resources, etc.)
Evaluators (Students, Faculty, Program Leaders, Peer Reviewer, Others (specify)
Assessment Methods (Direct, Indirect)

## H. Specification Approval Data

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| Council/ <br> Committee | Dr. Khalid Abd elrazig Awad Allah Elnour |
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|  | Dr. Haroun Doud Suliman Adam |
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[^0]:    * The length of time that a learner takes to complete learning activities that lead to achievement of course learning outcomes, such as study time, homework assignments, projects, preparing presentations, library times

