

Math 105 Homework Policy

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There are three types of homework assignments in this course:

- Online homework through MyMathLab
- Written homework
- Reading assignments

Online Homework: Each chapter will have 2-4 online homework assignments. These can be found on MyMathLab.com, and you need an access code to get into the site. These problems will help you practice basic skills and give you instant feedback on your understanding of the concepts. Each of these assignments is worth 10 points.

Access code:

Written Homework: These will consist of 4-6 problems that are more involved than the ones from the online assignments. They will usually involve written explanations of concepts, and these should be clear and in complete sentences. Written homework is due at the **beginning of class** on the day it is due. Classtime is very limited, so we will not be able to consistently discuss homework questions in class. If you have questions on the homework, you should come in to office hours (*before* the due date!) or send me an email with your question. These assignments are worth 10 points each.

Reading Assignments: These assignments will be assessed by **reading quizzes**. On the day the reading is due, there will be a 5-10 minute reading quiz at the beginning of class. You will be able to use your notes, but it will be **closed book**. This is to encourage you to take notes while you read, so that when we discuss the concepts in class, you will only need to supplement your notes. These are worth 10 points each.

Late homework will not be accepted! At the end of the semester, I will drop three homework grades to make up for any contingencies that may arise. These dropped grades can be missed quizzes or homework. Take care not to miss more than three such assignments!