

Course Description

Secondary Math II is a compilation of basic quadratics, rational numbers, complex numbers, probability, circles, right triangles, and others. It is a course in which students utilize their basic algebraic skills to represent higher level ideas and concepts.

ASPIRE

During the school year, students are expected to take a state-written test known as the ACT Aspire to show both how well the student learned the required skills and knowledge as well as how well the curriculum matches the state standards. If you have any questions about the Aspire, feel free to ask me or an administrator.

Course Materials

All students should have a notebook (or keep all notes together in a folder) and pencils. During school, students can borrow calculators as needed or have their own.

Course Requirements

In your Canvas course under Syllabus, you will find the recommended due dates for all tests and assignments. The purpose of the guide is to set a minimum progression pace for your student. They are encouraged to work ahead of that guide, but need to at least keep pace with the schedule.

Remember that all work submitted should be your own. You may give each other advice and help, but each of you is responsible for developing the knowledge and skills on your own. You will demonstrate this through the assessments in the course. These assessments must be taken in class and will be proctored.

Attendance

Attendance is mandatory. You will receive participation points when you come to class. It is important to participate in your math class to progress and learn the skills. If you miss class it is your responsibility to do the accompanied reflection of the lesson.

If you are ahead of the class, you still need to attend your class meeting. You should work independently to get further ahead in your math course. When you have completed all of secondary math II, you will be removed from the attendance sheet and then and only then can you stop attending your assigned math class.

Students will be required to go to all class meetings. If a student is ahead in their coursework, they may work on getting further ahead on a computer inside Mr. Ellis' room. When a student has completed all of Math II they will be removed from the roll sheet.

Grading Procedures

The Salt Lake City School District, and my, grading scale is as follows:

A	A-	B+	B	B-	C+	C	C-	D+	D	D-	F
93%	90%	87%	83%	80%	77%	73%	70%	67%	63%	60%	<59%

Strive for at least an 80% on all assignments, especially on the assessments. Your grade for a term will be calculated when you finish the term of work. Please let me know when you finish the work so that I know to submit your grade.

Grade Submissions

All passing grades will be submitted on the last day of each term. They will also be submitted on the Friday of the following two weeks preceding the last day of the term. It is your responsibility to understand your progress in math.

**Any term not completed by July 31, 2020 students will have to start over in the next school year.*

Extra Help

Innovations has tutors to help you with your school work. You can also make an appointment with me to help you with concepts you are confused with. It is your job to let me know that you are confused. I will only know that you do not know something if you tell me.

Innovations High School
Mr. Joie Ellis
Math II

By signing below, I verify that I have received Mr. Ellis' disclosure statement for Math II and agree to follow all expectations contained therein.

Parent Signature

Student Signature

