

Welcome to MATH1113 - Precalculus

Section: 29581

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- See syllabus for grade lines.

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Your final grade cannot be more than one letter and a third grade higher than the grade on your final exam. For example, if your total score results in an A- but your final exam grade is a C, then your final grade will be a B+. Also, if your score on the final is a D you cannot be given a class grade greater than C+.

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