

BARUCH COLLEGE  
DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS  
MTH 1030 SYLLABUS

**Text:** *Beginning and Intermediate Algebra*, 7<sup>th</sup> Edition by Elayn Martin-Gay, Pearson  
The material should be purchased as an in-app purchase on MyMathLab.

Items marked with **(BrSp)** may be found on the course Brightspace site

All Homework Exercises are to be done on **MyMathLab** and are assigned by your instructor.  
The Exercise set number corresponds to the section number.

A scientific calculator is required for some topics in this course. A TI-30XS Multiview calculator, or a similar scientific calculator, is recommended.

Graphing calculators **cannot** be used on any Math 1030 exams!

| <b>Section</b> | <b>Topics</b>                                   | <b>Read Pages</b> | <b>Exercises (Use MyMathLab)</b>   |
|----------------|---|-------------------|--|
| 5.1            | Exponents and Polynomials                       | P. 306– 315       | MML 5.1.   |
| Review         |   |                   |  |
| 3.6            | Functions<br>Domain and Range                   | P. 226 - 233      | MML 3.6  |
| 8.1            | Graphs of Functions                             | P. 510 - 515      | MML 8.1  |
| 8.2            | Functional Notation                             | P. 519 - 524      | MML 8.2  |
| 10.2           | Rational Exponents                              | P. 596 – 601      | MML 10.2   |
| 10.5           | Rationalizing                                   | P.617 – 621       | MML 10.5   |
| 10.6           | Radical Equations and<br>Problem Solving        | P. 624 – 629      | MML 10.6:  |
| 10.7           | The Complex Numbers                             | P. 634 – 639      | MML 10.7   |
| <b>BrSp</b>    | Indeterminate Forms (BrSp)                      | P. AA-3 - 4       | P. AA-4: 1 – 4 (all)   |
| Review         |   |                   | P.654: 1, 5, 9, 11, 13, 17, 21, 25, 27, 32, 33, 37, 39,<br>43, 45, 55, 59, 67, 75, 79, 84, 85, 90, 93, 95, 100,<br>102, 105, 108, 113, 118, 123, 126, 132, 135 |
| 11.1           | Quadratic Equations,<br>Completing the Square   | P. 652 – 659      | MML 11.1   |
| 11.2           | The Quadratic Formula                           | P. 662 – 669      | MML 11.2   |
| 11.3           | Solving Equations by Using<br>Quadratic Methods | P. 672 – 677      | MML 11.3   |
| 11.4           | Non-Linear Inequalities                         | P. 682 – 687      | MML 11.4   |
| 11.5           | Quadratic Functions and<br>Their Graphs         | P. 689 – 695      | MML 11.5   |
| 11.6           | Further Graphing of<br>Quadratic Functions      | P. 697 – 702      | MML 11.6:  |
| Review         |   |                   | P. 720: 1 – 43 odd   |

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|----------------|--|-------------------|--|
| 12.1           | Composite Functions                                    | P. 713 – 717      | MML 12.1   |
| 12.2           | Inverse Functions                                      | P. 718 – 725      | MML 12.2   |
| 12.3           | Exponential Functions                                  | P. 729 – 735      | MML 12.3   |
| 12.4           | Exponential Growth and Decay                           | P. 738 – 740      | MML 12.4   |
| 12.5           | Logarithmic Functions                                  | P. 742 – 748      | MML 12.5   |
| 12.6           | Properties of Logarithms                               | P. 750 – 755      | MML 12.6   |
| 12.7           | Common, Natural Logarithms and Change of Base          | P. 757 – 761      | MML 12.7   |
| 12.8           | Exponential and Logarithmic Equations and Applications | P. 763 - 766      | MML 12.8   |
| Review         |  |                   | P. 783: 3, 7, 11, 14, 15, 18, 23, 26, 29, 32, 37, 41, 43, 47, 53, 59, 63, 69, 71, 75, 76, 79, 85, 87, 89, 93, 95, 97, 101, 105, 1098, 117. 118 |
| 13.1           | Circles  | P. 783 – 786      | MML 13.1   |
| <b>BrSp</b>    | Tangent Lines (BrSp)                                   | P. AA-5 – 6       | P. AA-6: 1 – 4 (all)   |
| 13.3           | Solving Nonlinear Systems of Equations                 | P. 797 – 800      | MML 13.3   |

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**LEARNING GOALS OF COURSE:** Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Perform algebraic manipulation on polynomials.
- Factor polynomials and solve quadratic equations.
- Manipulate irrational expressions.
- Determine the domain and range of a function.
- Solve non-linear inequalities.
- Graph quadratic functions and solve related applied problems.
- Compose functions.
- Solve non-linear systems.
- Find an equation for a circle in the plane with a given center and radius.
- Using “completing the square” to find the center and radius of a circle.