



Welcome to ITV - The Week-End College!

You are enrolled in:

Mathematics 125 (7996) 5 Units

Intermediate Algebra

Fundamental laws, exponents, radicals, equations (linear, quadratic, and some of higher degree), systems of equations (linear and quadratic), graphic representation, logarithms and binomial theorem.

The Weekend College classes combine video lessons with online activities and weekend class meetings. You should complete all three components to successfully pass the class. The course requirements are in the online syllabus. If you have questions contact your instructor via email or by telephone during their office hours listed above.

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Office Hours
Tuesdays, 1:00 – 8:00 PM

Getting Started

Even though you do not meet with your instructor until the first weekend after the semester begins, your class begins on April 13, 2008. Follow the checklist below to get started in your class now.

1. Choose a Campus

Select the campus to attend your weekend class and make note of its time and location. Directions and maps to the campuses can be found at: www.laccd.edu/our_colleges/.

2. Buy Your Books

The back of this page lists the required and recommend books for your course. Buy your books as soon as possible so that you can get started on your assigned readings. Textbooks can be purchased at City, Southwest, Mission, Valley, and Pierce Colleges or from most online bookstores.

3. Log In

The class website opens **Apr. 13**, log in and read your course syllabus. It will list all assignments and quizzes times and due dates. You can find log-in instructions on the last page of this letter.

4. Email Your Instructor

Once you have logged in, email your instructor and let him know that you have successfully logged in to the class website.

5. Plan Your Schedule

Weekend College courses are fast paced—covering a lot of material in a short period of time. At a minimum, you can expect to spend 10 to 12 hours per week completing the assignments. Schedule time in advance for reading the textbooks and completing the online assignments.

Classroom Location Schedule

Attend class at any one of the four campuses: L.A. City, L.A. Pierce, L.A. Southwest or L.A. Valley College. The instructor teaches at all four locations.

Day	Campus	Time	Location
Saturday	L.A. Southwest	9:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon	Lecture Lab., Rm. 111
	L.A. City College	1:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	DaVinci Hall, Rm. 304
Sunday	L.A. Valley College	9:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon	Foreign Language Bldg., Rm 102
	L.A. Pierce College	1:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.	Business Bldg., Rm 3201

Attendance at the class meetings is expected.
If you fail to attend, you may be dropped from class.

Spring 2009 CALENDAR

April 13 – June 7, 2009

Important Dates and Deadlines

Last Day to Add classes by STEP or Online	Apr. 12
Semester Begins	Apr. 13
Last Day to Drop or Change Classes	Apr. 18
<i>(without Incurring Fees)</i>	
Last Day to ADD by FAX or in-person.....	Apr. 24
Last Day to Drop Classes Without a "W"	Apr. 30
<i>(no refund)</i>	
Last Day to File for Credit/No Credit	May 6
Last Day to Drop with a "W"	May 25
<i>(After this date a grade must be issued)</i>	

Class Meeting Schedule

Class Meeting	Apr. 18 & 19
Class Meeting	Apr. 25 & 26
Class Meeting	May 2 & 3
Midterms Exams.....	May 9 & 10
Class Meeting	May 16 & 17
Class Meeting	May 23 & 24
Class Meeting	May 30 & 31
Final Exams.....	June 6 & 7

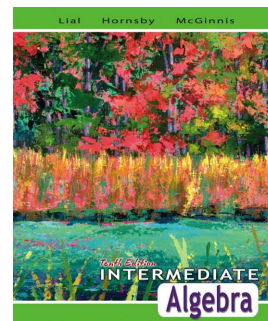
A photo ID is required to take exams.

Required Textbook

Your instructor has approved an online version of the text available at a significantly lower cost. For the online version go to: coursecompass.com. or you can purchase a hardcover textbook.

Course ID: LIN95616

Title: Intermediate Algebra plus MyMathLab Student Starter Kit
Edition: 10/E, 2008
Author: Lial, Margaret L.
Publisher: Addison-Wesley
ISBN: 0-321-50721-5



Using the Online Component

How to Log on

Apr. 13th, is the official start date of the term. You must log in separately for each course you are enrolled in. The instructions below are specifically for Math 125.

In order to register for the required MyMathLab online course component, you must have:

- ✓ **Valid email address**
- ✓ **Course ID**
- ✓ **Student access code** (bundled with the textbook)

The **Student access code** is packaged *with* the textbook. Please be sure that you have the correct textbook: *Intermediate Algebra* plus MyMathLab Student Starter Kit, by Lial, tenth edition 2008, Addison-Wesley (ISBN: 0-321-50721-5).

Step1. How do I register for the MyMathLab course Web site?

Before you can log on, you must first register. Go to the CourseCompass Web site at <http://www.coursecompass.com> and under **Students**, click on the **Register** button.

- Using the **Course ID**
- and your **e-mail address** (You can get a free e-mail from Yahoo, Hotmail or Excite)
- and **Student access code**
 1. At the prompt "ready to register", click next and enter your access code.
 2. Your school zip code for LA Mission College: **91342**
 3. Course ID: **LIN95616** (no spaces)

Step 2. Where do I go to log on after I have registered for the MyMathLab course Web site?

- Go to <http://www.coursecompass.com>
- Under **Students**, click on the **Log In** button.
- Enter the **login name** and **password** you created during registration.
- From the **MyCourseCompass** page, select the class **LIN95616** no spaces).
- **Before you can do homework or take quizzes, you must download the MyMathLab Software Installation Wizard after clicking on Course Information.**



Write your login name and password below and save this information.

- Course Title: _____
- Section number: _____
- Login name: _____
- Password: _____

E-mail your instructor once you have successfully logged in to the course.

Questions? Contact your instructor via email, call during his Office Hours or at the Class Meeting.

For Product Support, including access code help call 1-800-677-6337. Staff is available to troubleshoot your technical problem Monday through Friday, from 9 AM to 6 PM Eastern time (US and Canada).

NOTE TO AOL USERS: Launch the Internet Explorer browser after you connect using AOL and minimize the AOL Browser. DO NOT USE THE AOL BROWSER.