

## Algebra 2

**The study of patterns in numbers**

**Guaranteed Course Content:**

Equations and Inequalities  
Linear Relations and Functions  
Systems of Equations and Inequalities  
Quadratic Functions  
Polynomial Functions  
Radical Equations and Inequalities  
Rational Expressions and Equations  
Exponential and Logarithmic Relations  
Conic Sections  
Sequences and Series  
Probability and Statistics  
Trigonometric Functions  
Trigonometric Graphs and Identities

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## Pre-Calculus

**The study of advanced algebraic relationships and trigonometry**

**Guaranteed Course Content:**

Polynomial and Rational Functions  
Exponential and Logarithmic Functions  
Trigonometry  
Analytic Geometry  
Sequences and Series  
Introduction to Calculus

## Calculus

**The study of patterns in change**

**Guaranteed Course Content:**

Limits and Continuity  
Derivatives  
Applications of Derivatives  
Differential Equations  
Integration  
Applications of Integration

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## Math Department Curriculum Map

*The essence of mathematics is not to make simple things complicated, but to make complicated things simple.*

—Stan Gudder

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## To The Students

**M**athematics is an essential element in building the skills needed in students' career fields. Our mission is to provide a broad general mathematics background while including aspects of every pathway. Mathematics at Mat-Su Career and Technical High School has a traditional academic curriculum base with the integration of pathway-related materials and assignments throughout the courses. In the end, it is essential for all to see that no matter what the career, mathematics is important!

At Career Tech our goal is that students won't have to ask, "When are we ever going to use this?" CTHS focuses on preparing students for their chosen career field. Math isn't just about symbols, equations, and graphs. It is really about understanding the relationships between ideas, being able to communicate them, and developing reasoning and problem-solving skills which can be used in a variety of situations.

Math is not a spectator sport – be engaged in your learning!

## Algebra 1

**The study of patterns in numbers**

**Guaranteed Course Content:**

The Language and Tools of Algebra

Solving Linear Equations

Functions and Patterns

Analyzing and Graphing Linear Equations

Solving Systems of Linear Equations

Solving Linear Inequalities

Polynomials

Factoring

Quadratic and Exponential Functions

Square Roots and Radicals

Rational Expressions and Equations

Statistics

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## Geometry

**The study of patterns in shapes**

**Guaranteed Course Content:**

Points and Lines

Logic and Reasoning

Angles and Arcs

Probability

Geometric Transformations

Mathematical Proofs

Congruence and Similarity

Polygons and Symmetry

Triangle Congruence

Pythagorean Theorem

Perimeter and Area

Surface Area and Volume

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