Information about MyMathLab

MyMathLab is an interactive online computer software package that accompanies the text or can be purchased without a textbook. **MyMathLab is required in this course.** Make sure you purchase access to this program [either by itself (because it comes with the book and solutions online) or with a NEW textbook].

If you choose to buy a book, you must buy ACC’s Custom Edition of the book from an ACC Bookstore. The book is loose-leaf, cannot be sold back, and requires a 2-inch, 3-ring binder to hold the loose pages.

**Be sure the book has MyMathLab Access.** All NEW textbooks purchased at an ACC bookstore include MyMathLab access. USED books and E-BOOKS do NOT include MyMathLab Access. MyMathLab Access may NOT be included with a NEW book purchased at a different bookstore.

Purchasing MyMathLab

If you are repeating this SAME course using the SAME book, it is highly recommended that you enroll in an on-campus section of this course. In addition to enrolling in this course, please consider simultaneously enrolling in a one-hour math lab course MATD 0011 Developmental Math Lab, which provides regular help with this course but is not offered in summer.

In addition to purchasing either a MyMathLab Access Kit (with online book and solutions) or a NEW textbook with MyMathLab Access from an ACC bookstore, here are some other ways to purchase MyMathLab:

- You may purchase Student MyMathLab Access online from Pearson Higher Ed by following the Registration Instructions at the end of this handout.
- Student MyMathLab Access Kits are available at other retailers, such as amazon.com. Use caution, as the product is not guaranteed by Pearson when purchased anywhere other than an ACC bookstore or the Pearson website found in the Registration Instructions at the end of this handout.

**Included in MyMathLab (visit www.mymathlab.com for more information):**

- Online access to all pages of the textbook, including solutions
- Online homework problems similar to those in the textbook
- Multimedia learning aids (videos & animations) for select examples and exercises in the textbook
- Online pretests and quizzes linked to sections of the textbook
- Personalized study plan based on performance on online exercises and quizzes

Login Information

To use MyMathLab, you'll need:

- Your ACC email address (info is at http://www.austincc.edu/acccmail/)
- Course ID (found in this course at http://acconline.austincc.edu/ under "MyMathLab Course ID")
- Student Access Code (30 capital letters provided with MyMathLab access), or Credit Card or PayPal

Minimum Computer Requirements

- Internet connection: Cable/DSL, T1, or other high-speed for multimedia content; 56k modem (minimum) for tutorials, homework, and testing
- Memory: 64 MB RAM minimum
- Monitor resolution: 1024 x 768 or higher
- Plug-ins: You may need certain plug-ins and players from the MyMathLab Browser Check or Installation Wizard (found inside your course)

For more info, visit http://www.mymathlab.com/system.html from the computer(s) you intend to use.
Getting Started

To register and enroll in your MyMathLab course, you will need the following:

- Your ACC email address (info is at http://www.austincc.edu/accmail/)
- Course ID (found in this course at http://acconline.austincc.edu/ under "MyMathLab Course ID")
- Student Access Code (30 capital letters provided with MyMathLab access), or Credit Card or PayPal

ACC email address

You need an email address to register for MyMathLab. For this and all other ACC-related activity, you should use your ACC student email address. If you have not set this up already, visit http://www.austincc.edu/accmail/ for instructions. If you do not check this account regularly, set it up to forward to an email address that you do check. Instructions for doing this are included at the link above, in this paragraph.

Course ID

Your course ID will be found in this course in Blackboard (http://acconline.austincc.edu/) by clicking on "MyMathLab Course ID." **Make sure you register with the correct Course ID and spell your instructor's last name correctly.** If you register with a course ID for a class that uses a different book, you will not be able to change it to the class that you are enrolled in without purchasing a new access code.

Student Access Code

The student access code (30 capital letters) comes with MyMathLab access, or a Credit Card or PayPal account.

Registration Instructions

Now you are ready to register. Go to http://pearsonmylab.com/ and follow these steps:

1. Click **Student** under **Register** on the home page.
2. Enter your Course ID, found under "MyMathLab Course ID" in Blackboard shortly before the semester begins.
3. If you are already enrolled in MyMathLab, log in and follow the instructions provided.
4. If you are NOT already enrolled in MyMathLab, click on CREATE. You will be asked to:
   a. Provide your MyMathLab Access Code (30 capital letters), or Credit Card or PayPal account information, or select the option for Temporary Access (more info on using temporary access & changing it to full access within 14 days is available at http://www.austincc.edu/jbickham/MMLTempAccessInfo).
   b. Create a login name and password that you will remember.
   c. Provide contact info, including an email address that you will check regularly and will at least forward your ACC email to (see "What to Accomplish As Soon As Possible" at http://www.austincc.edu/jbickham/handouts).

At the end of the registration process, click **Log In Now** to enter your course.