GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE MATHEMATICS 1600 WINTER 2008—COURSE OUTLINE

Title: Higher Arithmetic

Schedule: Lecture A3 M 1:00 pm – 2:20 pm J 226

F 11:30 am – 12:50 pm J 226

Seminars AS1 T 11:30 am - 12:20 pm J 229

AS2 R 11:30 am - 12:20 pm J 226

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Textbook: Mathematics For Elementary Teachers, 7th edition, Musser, Burger and Peterson

Wiley

Grading: Seminar Assignments 15%

Quizzes 20% Mid-term 25% Final Exam 40%

Quizzes will be held weekly at the beginning of the Monday Lecture period, and seminar assignments will be written weekly during the seminar period.

The mid-term will be held during class on Friday, February 15 (tentative).

The use of calculators is not permitted in this course.

Course Description

MA 1600 3(3-1-0) UT 60 Hours

Pre-requisite: Pure Math 30

Transfers:

Athabasca University MATH 2xx(3)
Concordia University College of Alberta MAT 1xx(3)
University of Alberta MATH 160(3) or AUMAT 107(3)
University of Calgary Jr. MATH (3)

Content: Selected topics in chapters 2 to 11 and Topic 2 of the textbook

- Ch 2 Sets, whole numbers, numeration, relations and functions
- Ch 3 Whole numbers—operations and properties
- Ch 4 Whole number computations—algorithms in base ten and others
- Ch 5 Number theory—primes, composites, tests for divisibility, gcf, lcm
- Ch 6 Fractions
- Ch 7 Decimals, ratio, proportion, and percent
- Ch 8 Integers
- Ch 9 Rational numbers, real numbers, and algebra
- **Ch 10 Statistics**
- **Ch 11 Probability**
- Topic 2 Clock Arithmetic (possibly with supplementary material)