1. COURSE SPECIFICATIONS

1.1 Division: Mathematical Sciences
1.2 Department: Mathematics
1.3 Subject: Mathematics
1.4 Discipline(s): Mathematics

1.5 Course Information

1.5.1 Title and Number: Mathematics 180S
1.5.2 Descriptive Title: Pre-calculus Support

1.5.3 Catalog Description:
This course is designed to support students concurrently enrolled in Pre-calculus (Math 180). As needed, students review core skills and topics necessary to meet the Pre-calculus student learning outcomes and objectives. Students explore strategies and habits used by successful independent learners. Topics reviewed in this support course may include: a review of the computational skills developed in intermediate algebra; operations on polynomial, rational, radical, exponential and logarithmic expressions; functions and transformations of their graphs; solving equations and inequalities; and solving application problems.

1.5.4 Prerequisite, Corequisite, Recommended Preparation, Enrollment Limitation (specify):

Corequisite: Math 180

Justification: This corequisite course is necessary to satisfy AB 705. Its intent is to strengthen and supplement the algebraic skills needed for success in Pre-calculus.

1.5.5 Grading Method:
☐ Letter ☒ Pass/No Pass ☐ Both ☐ No Grade

1.5.6 Degree Status:
☐ Associate Degree Credit ☒ Non-Degree Credit ☐ Non-Credit

1.6 Course Units, Hours, and Offerings

1.6.1 Credit Units: 2
1.6.2 Hours Lecture: 2 Hours Laboratory: ______ Activity Lab: ______
1.6.3 Maximum Semesters of Credit: 1 Maximum Credit Units: ______
1.6.4 Course Length: Full Term: X or Weeks: ______
1.6.5 Class Size: 35
1.6.6 Number of sections: Fall: ______ Spring: ______ Summer: ______ Winter: ______
1.6.7 Total enrollment per year: ______
1.6.8 Instructor Load: 13.33% WSCH/FTE Ratio: ______
1.6.9 Apportionment:
☒ Daily/Weekly Census ☐ Positive Attendance ☐ Distance Education
☐ Independent Study ☐ Non-Credit

1.7 Transfer and General Education

1.7.1 Proposed Transfer Articulation:

1.7.2 Proposed GE Patterns

El Camino College:

CSU GE:

IGETC:
2. PURPOSE OF COURSE

2.1 Course is designed for:

☐ Transfer
☐ Interdisciplinary
☐ Occupational (preparatory)
☐ Occupational (upgrade)
☒ Precollegiate Basic Skills
☐ Basic Skills (developmental)
☐ Other (explain):_____

2.2 How widespread and established is this course at post-secondary institutions?
☐ Course is well-established and widely offered at many post-secondary institutions.
☐ Course is not yet found in many (or an) other post-secondary institutions.
☐ Traditional as generally offered in corresponding community colleges and/or four-year institutions.
☒ Not Applicable – Not for Transfer.

2.3 Examples of parallel courses at both California Community Colleges and CSUs or UCs. List the institution, the title and number of the parallel course, and the number of units. For each parallel course, attach copies of the appropriate pages of that college's or university's catalog. If the course is proposed for transfer, lower division status must be evident in the CSU or UC courses.

These courses generally did not exist until mandated by AB 705. Two community colleges that are currently piloting the parallel courses are:

Cuyamaca College: Math 076, Intermediate Algebra for Math 176 (Pre-calculus: Functions and Graphs), 2 units.

Mira Costa College: Math 36, Intermediate Algebra-Learning Assistance for Pre-Calculus, 2 units.

Math 180S is a support course for Math 180; therefore, it is not for transfer to CSU or UC.

3. JUSTIFICATION FOR THE COURSE

3.1 Explain how the course relates to the mission and goals of the College:

It is the goal of El Camino Community College to meet the requirements of AB 705; this course has been created to do so.

3.2 Explain how the course strengthens and relates to existing curriculum:

This support course is a review of the core prerequisite skills needed to pass Math 180.

4. COURSE DEVELOPMENT INFORMATION

4.1 The following have been consulted in the development of the course.

4.1.1 Faculty: Mathematics Department
4.1.2 Counselor(s): Ken Key
4.1.3 Students:
4.1.4 Advisory Committee(s):
4.1.5 Other:
4.2 Is the course similar to an existing course at El Camino College?
If yes, identify the similar course(s) and explain why this proposed course should be part of the El Camino College curriculum.

No.

If the similar course exists in a different department, the proposed course must be submitted to that department for review. Record the comments below.

5. COURSE RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS

5.1 Library/Media Resources have been reviewed and determined to be adequate. Indicate the Library/Media Resources personnel consulted and provide the date of the consultation:

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5.2 Is the present faculty and staff adequate to support the offering of the course?
If no, specify proposed additions with anticipated cost and budget allocation.

Yes.

5.3 Are facilities for teaching the course available?
If no, what plans have been made for accommodation?

Yes.

5.4 Are special equipment and/or supplies necessary for teaching the course?
If yes, list, estimate cost, and provide budget allocation.

No.

5.5 Are other special resources necessary?
If yes, list, estimate cost, and provide budget allocation.

No.

6. METHODS FOR EVALUATING COURSE EFFECTIVENESS

☒ Faculty/department review
☐ Review of articulation agreement
☐ Student success/failure analysis
☐ Student surveys
☐ Review of advisory committee recommendations
☐ Review of industry needs and standards
☐ Review of entry-level job requirements
☐ Other (specify):

7. ACCOMMODATIONS FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AND INSTRUCTIONAL DELIVERY

In compliance with ECC Board Policies 1600 and 3410, Title 5 California Code of Regulations, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 - Sections 504 and 508, and the Americans with Disabilities Act, instructional delivery shall provide access, full inclusion, and effective communication for students with disabilities. Instructional delivery methods may include, but are not limited to, Braille/audiotape for print material, on-site interpreter/real-time transcription/live captioning for audio material, captioning for video material, alternative text for images, and captioning of audio information for electronic media materials (such as web and online).
I. GENERAL COURSE INFORMATION

Course Title and Number: Mathematics 180S
Descriptive Title: Pre-calculus Support
Discipline: Mathematics
Division: Mathematical Sciences
Course Length: ☒ Full Term ☐ Other (specify): __________________________
Hours Lecture: __________________________ Hours Laboratory: 0
Course Units: 2
Grading Method: ☐ Letter ☒ Credit/No Credit ☐ Both ☐ No Grade
Course Type: ☐ Credit, Degree Applicable ☒ Credit, Not Degree Applicable ☐ Non-Credit
Transfer CSU: ☐ Yes ☒ Effective Date _____________ ☐ Pending ☒ No
Transfer UC: ☐ Yes ☒ Approval Date _____________ ☐ Pending ☒ No

Conditions of Enrollment:

Corequisite: Math 180

Catalog Description:

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needed, students review core skills and topics necessary to meet the Pre-calculus student learning
outcomes and objectives. Students explore strategies and habits used by successful independent
learners. Topics reviewed in this support course may include: a review of the computational skills
developed in intermediate algebra; operations on polynomial, rational, radical, exponential and
logarithmic expressions; functions and transformations of their graphs; solving equations and
inequalities; and solving application problems.

II. OUTCOMES AND OBJECTIVES

A. COURSE STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES List 3 student learning outcomes. Provide a short title
for each. We have 4 learning outcomes for all our CM1 courses.

1. Understanding Concepts: Students will explain and demonstrate basic pre-calculus
   concepts by solving equations, inequalities and systems involving algebraic, exponential,
   logarithmic, trigonometric, and absolute value expressions.
2. Solving Problems: Students will use polynomial, rational, exponential, logarithmic, and
   trigonometric equations and functions to set up and solve application and modeling problems.
3. Graphs: Students will create, interpret and analyze the graphs of polynomial, rational,
   exponential, logarithmic, trigonometric, parametric, polar and conic equations.
4. Proofs: Students will analyze and construct proofs, including proofs by induction.
B. COURSE OBJECTIVES  List the major learning objectives for course. These must be stated in behaviorally measurable terms and demonstrate critical thinking skills.

Provide a representative assessment method for each from this list. If you select “other” give an explanation.

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1. Carry out numerical operations and manipulate algebraic expressions, including polynomial, rational, radical, exponential and logarithmic expressions. (Objective Exams)
2. Recognize functional relations in the form of graphs, data, or symbolic equations. (Written Homework)
3. Solve equations using algebraic and graphical methods, including polynomial, absolute value, radical, rational, exponential, and logarithmic equations. (Quizzes)
4. Graph functions using transformations. (Objective Exams)
5. Solve linear, absolute value, quadratic, and nonlinear inequalities (Quizzes)
6. Use numerical, symbolic and graphical methods to model application problems and solve them. (Written Homework)

III. OUTLINE OF SUBJECT MATTER  Topics should be detailed enough to enable a qualified instructor to determine the major areas that should be covered as well as ensure consistency from instructor to instructor and semester to semester.

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<th>Number each with a Roman numeral. I, II, III, etc.</th>
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OPERATIONS AND MANIPULATIONS

Concepts and skills as needed through just-in-time work to support:
A. Operations on polynomial, rational, radical, exponential, logarithmic and absolute value expressions
B. Factoring polynomial expressions
C. Operations on complex numbers
| Lecture |  | Functions and Graphing |
|---------|--------------------------|
| 11 II   | D. Rational exponents    |

**FUNCTIONS AND GRAPHING**

Concepts and skills as needed through just-in-time work to support:

A. Definition of function, domain and range
B. Functions as rules, as sets of ordered pairs, as algebraic equations and as graphs
C. Composite, one-to-one, and inverse functions
D. Determining a function based on a graph or sufficient data
E. Transformations of graphs of functions, including translations, reflections, and scaling
F. The equations and graphs of conic sections

| Lecture |  | Equations and Inequalities |
|---------|-----------------------------|
| 11 III  | E. Using interval notation   |

**EQUATIONS AND INEQUALITIES**

Concepts and skills as needed through just-in-time work to support:

A. Algebraic and graphical methods for solving equations
B. Solving equations by factoring
C. Solving quadratic, rational, radical, exponential, logarithmic, and absolute value equations
D. Finding domains by setting up and solving appropriate inequalities
E. Using interval notation
F. Solving linear and nonlinear inequalities
G. Systems of linear equations (2x2 and 3x3 systems)

| Lecture |  | Applications |
|---------|-----------------|
| 6 IV    | E. Solving problems modeled by systems of linear equations |

**APPLICATIONS**

Concepts and skills as needed through just-in-time work to support:

A. Modeling verbally expressed problems numerically, symbolically, and graphically
B. Solving problems numerically, symbolically and graphically
C. Pythagorean Theorem
D. Pattern recognition strategies
E. Solving problems modeled by systems of linear equations

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IV. PRIMARY METHODS OF EVALUATION AND SAMPLE ASSIGNMENTS

A. PRIMARY METHOD OF EVALUATION
Check the PRIMARY method of evaluation for this course.
☐ Substantial writing assignments
☒ Problem solving demonstrations (computational or non-computational)
☐ Skills demonstrations

B. TYPICAL ASSIGNMENT USING PRIMARY METHOD OF EVALUATION

Find the domain of the function \( f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 7x - 10} \)

C. COLLEGE LEVEL CRITICAL THINKING ASSIGNMENTS

1. Consider the function: \( f(x) = 4 - \sqrt{x + 9} \)
   (a) What transformations of \( y = \sqrt{x} \) lead to the graph of \( f(x) \)?
   (b) What are the y-intercepts, if any?
   (c) What are the x-intercepts, if any?
   (d) What are the domain and range?
   (e) Sketch the graph

2. Find the equation of the parabola in form \( y = ax^2 + bx + c \) that contains the points (1,2), (-1,6) and (2,3). You must set up a 3x3 system and solve it using any method.

D. OTHER TYPICAL ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION METHODS: Select from this list. Use all that apply.

A. Check all planned instructional activities that apply:
   ☐ Class Performance
   ☐ Clinical Evaluation
   ☐ Completion
   ☐ Embedded Questions
   ☐ Essay Exams
   ☐ Fieldwork
   ☒ Homework Problems
   ☐ Journal kept throughout course
   ☐ Laboratory Reports
   ☐ Matching Items
   ☐ Multiple Choice
   ☐ Objective Exam
   ☐ Oral Exams
   ☐ Other Exams
   ☐ Performance Exams
   ☐ Presentation
   ☐ Quizzes
   ☐ Reading Reports
   ☐ Term or Other Papers
   ☐ True/False
   ☒ Written Homework
   ☐ Other (specify)
V. INSTRUCTIONAL METHODS: Select from this list. Use all that apply.

B. Check all planned instructional activities that apply:
   ☒ Lecture ☐ Lab
   ☒ Group Activities ☐ Role play/simulation
   ☐ Discussion ☐ Guest Speakers
   ☐ Multimedia presentations ☐ Field trips
   ☒ Demonstration ☐ Other (specify)

Note: In compliance with Board Policies 1600 and 3410, Title 5 California Code of Regulations, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Sections 504 and 508 of the Americans with Disabilities Act, instructional delivery shall provide access, full inclusion, and effective communication for students with disabilities.

VI. WORK OUTSIDE OF CLASS: Select from this list. Use all that apply.
Two hours work outside of class are required for each hour of lecture or equivalent. Each student in this course will be required to participate in the following work outside of class time. Check all that apply.

   ☒ Study
   ☒ Answer questions
   ☒ Skill practice
   ☒ Required reading
   ☒ Problem solving activity
   ☒ Written work (such as essay/composition/report/analysis/research)
   ☐ Journal (done on a continuing basis throughout the semester)
   ☐ Observation of or participation in an activity related to course content (such as theatre event, museum, concert, debate, meeting)
   ☐ Course is lab only - minimum required hours satisfied by scheduled lab time
   ☐ Other (specify)

Estimated Study Hours Per Week: 1.0

VII. TEXTS AND MATERIALS

A. UP-TO-DATE REPRESENTATIVE TEXTBOOKS


A. REQUIRED TEXTS (title, author, publisher, year)

B. REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY READINGS

C. OTHER REQUIRED MATERIALS
VIII. CONDITIONS OF ENROLLMENT

A. Requisites (Course and Non-Course Prerequisites and Corequisites)

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C. Recommended Preparations (Course and Non-Course)

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D. Recommended Skills

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E. Enrollment Limitations

Enrollment Limitations and Category

Enrollment Limitations Impact

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