

PLEASE READ THE FULL EMAIL!

There are FIVE parts to this email. I have also attached it and our syllabus as a pdf file.

Hello MATH150 (Algebra & Trigonometry) Students -

Classes begin next week online via Zoom and I want to get some overall information from you that can help us succeed in this semester's work.

I. Please email me (crubnst@pratt.edu), by 12:00Noon on the first day of class answers to these questions and be prepared to discuss this during our first class...

1. Your name? What name do you like to be called?

2. I will presume that you are in the greater New York area (or at least on the East Coast and observe Eastern Time) during the semester. If that is not the case, please let me know what time zone you are in. You can also provide your state/country location, but that information is optional.

3. What is your major at Pratt?

4. What is your favorite extra-curricular activity (not your major activities)?

5. How do you learn best?

A: Visually; B: Auditory; C: Kinesthetically (doing); D: Reading/writing; E: A mixture.

8. How much math have you already had?

A: High School math; B: Some college-level math; C: Some math, but many years ago and I have forgotten most of what I thought I knew; D: math is my nightmare.

II. Attached to this email is this semester's syllabus. Please note that as we are having two exams as take home exams, the time we normally use in class is reduced by one session.

III. Please note that September 6 is Labor Day and we will NOT meet next Monday.

IV. I will be posting the syllabus and other materials online. We will be using Canvas this year and I will try to move my normal website to canvas as soon as practical. We will discuss, in class when that occurs. Otherwise please use my website:

<http://www.charlesrubenstein.com/150>

V. I have setup a recurring Zoom Meeting for our class as well as for my Office Hours. All meetings will be recorded. Should you want to review a class please email me and I will forward the URL on to you after class.

The Zoom Meeting information is:

Topic: MATH150-01

Time: Will start on Mondays at 6:25pm; class start at 6:30pm

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://pratt.zoom.us/j/95520863714?pwd=cGhSZk9acmdpMnZlQVNiMWc5VWxydz09>

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That's all for now... Have a great weekend!

(Files attached: syllabus, Math150Email, Week1infoSheet)