

MATH 141, Fall 2025, QUIZ 0 ANSWERS

1. Reading the textbook for this class is  
☐ a Not very important    ☐ b More fun than you can imagine    ☐ c A crucial part of your learning.
2. The best way to contact Dr. Reading is to  
☐ a Text him on his office phone    ☐ b Email him    ☐ c Wander campus calling “Dr. Reading?”.
3. You should check your email  
☐ a Every few minutes during class    ☐ b At least every day  
☐ c Once at the end of the semester to make sure you didn’t miss anything.
4. If you are sick you should  
☐ a Be generous! Come to class and share    ☐ b Stay home and log into the emergency Zoom meeting  
☐ c Stay home and watch the recording (when you’re well enough).
5. If you have an excused absence on a test or quiz day, you should  
☐ a Contact Dr. Reading immediately or in advance    ☐ b Contact Dr. Reading within a week  
☐ c Contact Dr. Reading sometime before the end of the semester  
☐ d Contact Dr. Reading in Spring 2026 to ask about a grade change.
6. If you have an excused absence on a lecture or recitation day, you should  
☐ a Contact Dr. Reading    ☐ b Contact your TA  
☐ c Contact Chancellor Howell    ☐ d Get a good lawyer.
7. If Dr. Reading ever speaks unintelligibly or writes illegibly, you should  
☐ a Keep quiet, because he’s the professor    ☐ b Throw rotten tomatoes  
☐ c Ask for clarification, even if you have to interrupt.
8. Getting confused in a math class  
☐ a Is normal and leads to learning if you take steps to address your confusion  
☐ b Is fun!    ☐ c Means there is something wrong with you.
9. The lowest test score will be dropped.    ☐ FALSE
10. The final exam is Tuesday evening, December 9, 7:00pm–9:30pm, location TBA.    ☐ TRUE
11. This will be your favorite class.    ☐ TRUE
12. You are not allowed to take pictures of the board.    ☐ FALSE
13. If Dr. Reading is sick but well enough to teach, the class will move to Zoom.    ☐ TRUE
14. Answers to quizzes and tests will be posted online.    ☐ TRUE
15. Answers to quizzes and tests will be posted online before the quizzes/tests.    ☐ FALSE
16. The topic for each week’s quiz is the homework due on quiz day (and related textbook problems).  
☐ TRUE
17. It’s a bad idea to come to office hours.    ☐ FALSE
18. Calculators are allowed on quizzes and tests.    ☐ FALSE
19. Calculus is challenging.    ☐ TRUE
20. You are up to the challenge.    ☐ TRUE
21. This quiz has way too many questions.    ☐ ?????