

To Create your MathXL Account:

Go to the MathXL website (<http://mathxl.com>) and use the Register button. You will need an email address and your MathXL Access code. Follow the directions.

To Access the MA217 Course Page:

1. Relogin to mathxl.com
2. Enter your username and password and then click Login.
3. Click on the button that says Enroll in New Course
4. Choose the first option "I am taking a course that is using MathXL, and need to enroll in my instructor's course."
5. Then enter the course ID: XL0B – U1HH – 601Y – 9FK2
(Note: Those are "zeros" and NOT the letter "O")
6. Click the Enroll button on the right.

To do the online homework:

1. Login to mathxl.com
2. Enter MathXL and then select the MA217 (Fall 2009) link.
3. Use the Homework and Tests Button on the left.
4. Select the homework you wish to do and follow the instructions.
5. You may do the homework as many times as you wish until the due date.

To take Quizzes

(Please wait until I have assigned them in class before you attempt them!)

1. Login to mathxl.com
2. Enter MathXL and then select the MA217 (Fall 2009) link.
3. Use the Homework and Tests Button on the left.
4. Select the Quiz you wish to take. Remember that you only have one attempt up until the due date. You can go back and forth between problems by using the Next and Previous buttons. When you are finished, use the Submit button. Once the quiz is submitted your score will be recorded.
5. If you are disconnected or have technical difficulties with the quiz simply shut down the window and then log back in. As long as you do not submit your quiz you should be able to return to finish the quiz. Once the quiz is submitted your score will be recorded.
 - Any quiz not submitted by the due date will receive a score of 0.
 - After the due date you can review your quiz and see the correct answers.

To take practice tests (optional):

1. Log in to mathxl.com and enter MathXL and then select the MA217 (Fall 2009) link.
2. Use the Homework and Tests Button on the left.
3. Select the Quizzes and Test Link at the top and then choose the practice test you would like to use. You can take these as many times as you want. There are no deadlines.
[Please note that I have not checked these for content or accurateness.]

For those without computers:

There are 2 PCs available in the Math Center (BNW 129A) that can access MathXL. Therefore, you can use these 2 computers for taking online quizzes. The Math Center will open around September 14, 2009 and is typically open 5 days a week. I will announce the hours in class and they are also on the door of the Math Center (BNW129A).