## **About Foothill College**

Since opening in 1958, Foothill College has been recognized as one of the nation's outstanding community colleges. Each 12-week quarter, Foothill offers more than 1,000 course sections to more than 14,000 day, evening and online students. The Foothill College student population is ethnically diverse, culturally rich and includes students from many countries. In keeping with its philosophy of educational opportunity for all, Foothill College offers classes for every interest, including university transfer, career training, professional development, basic skills improvement and personal enrichment, as well as support services such as counseling, tutoring and financial aid. For more information or to register for classes, access www.foothill.edu.

### **Directions to Foothill College**

Located in Los Altos Hills off Interstate 280, Foothill College is 40 miles south of San Francisco and 20 miles north of San Jose. Exit El Monte Road and travel west to the campus entrance. Foothill College is also accessible by public bus transportation. For bus routes, schedules and fares, access www.511.org. For map and parking information, access www.foothill.edu.

#### **Got Questions? Ask Foothill.**

Never wait in line or on hold! Instead, use the intuitive Ask Foothill online information service at www.foothill.edu/ask to find updated, accurate answers to hundreds of your questions about Foothill College on a variety of topics, including admissions, registration, fees, hours of operation and more. And because the Ask Foothill online service is smart, you can ask questions in simple, everyday language.









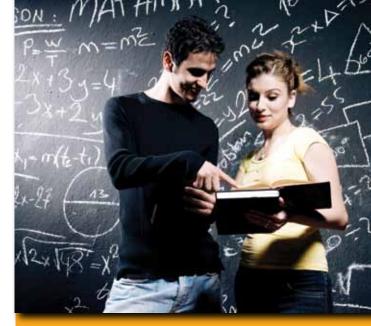






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# Summer Bridge Math Program

A Winning Equation for Math Success

Session 1 Aug. 4–14, 2014 Session 2 Aug. 18-28, 2014



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# One Math Class + Two Weeks This Summer + Caring Instructors + You = Your Math Success in Fall Quarter

#### **Save Time & Money**

The first math class you take in college can impact the overall time it takes you to complete your degree, certificate or university transfer requirements. If you've taken a year off from math classes during your senior year or you haven't taken math classes beyond geometry or Algebra I, the Summer Bridge Math Program is designed especially for you. We'll help you improve your math skills so that you don't spend time, money or energy taking classes that you don't need to graduate and/or transfer.

#### **Multiplying Opportunities for You to Succeed**

When you invest a few hours and just two weeks in a stimulating math environment, you'll retain more math knowledge, remember math concepts and be better prepared to succeed in your math classes when Foothill Fall Quarter courses get under way.

Our program is designed to help you boost your math confidence and brush up on your math skills so that you'll be prepared to advance to the next level of math instruction as you work to achieve your educational goals.

#### **Add Value to Your Math Skills Set**

- You'll review and improve your math skills in this free seminar; and
- You'll prepare for the math placement test in an anxiety-free environment.

# **Summer Bridge Math Is Student-Friendly**

Every student is different, and math can be more of a challenge for some students. Many students arrive at Foothill and discover that they must take several pre-algebra courses before they're eligible to enroll in college-level math classes. Often, this may be because students experience math anxiety, didn't score high marks on the math placement test, or may have a few gaps in their math knowledge. Our program gives us the opportunity to work with you to improve your placement testing score. We'll help you master key math concepts, and prepare you to be successful and earn good grades in math courses, including intermediate algebra and beyond.

# **Program Eligibility**

You're eligible for our program if:

- you're a recent high school graduate and you're enrolling at Foothill College for the first time.
- you took Foothill's math placement test, the results placed you in a lower-level math class (MATH 235, 230, 220, 217, 108, 105; NCBS 401A/B) and you believe that you're capable of doing well in higher-level math courses.

# Sign Up: It's Easy as 1-2-3!

You must register for the program by Monday, June 30, 2014.

#### To sign up, follow these easy enrollment steps:

- Get a student identification number (SID) by submitting Foothill's online Application for Admission at www.foothill.edu/ admissions.php. There is no fee to apply. You'll then receive instructions by e-mail to activate your SID and MyPortal.fhda.edu account.
- Once you have a student identification number, contact Academic Services Coordinator Craig Gawlick at (650) 949-7240 or gawlickcraig@foothill.edu.
- 3. Take the math placement test before the program begins. You can schedule an appointment at http://foothill.edu/placement. If you have questions, call the Assessment Center at (650) 949-7672.

Be certain that you complete the registration process by June 30. If you have additional questions, the following Foothill College representatives are available:

- Student-Athletes—Call Athletics Counselor Laurie Bertani at (650) 949-7164.
- Students with Disabilities—Call Disability Resource Center Counselor Jess Miller at (650) 949-7104.
- EOPS Students—Call or e-mail April Henderson at (650) 949-7206 or hendersonapril@fhda.edu.

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# **2014 Summer Bridge Math Program Schedule (Choose One Session)**

Session 1 Aug. 4 9–11:20 a.m. Orientation/Pre-Test
Aug. 5–8 & Aug. 11–13 9–11:20 a.m. Math Instruction
Aug. 14 9–10:20 a.m. Math Placement Test
10:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m. Fall 2014 Registration Kick-Off—guest speakers,

raffle, lunch provided. You must be present to win.

Session 2 Aug. 18 9–11:20 a.m. Orientation/Pre-Test

Aug. 18 9–11:20 a.m. Orientation/Pre-Test
Aug. 19–22 & Aug. 25–27 9–11:20 a.m. Math Instruction
Aug. 28 9–10:20 a.m. Math Placement Test
10:30 a.m.—1:30 p.m. Fall 2014 Registration Kick-Off—guest speakers, raffle, lunch provided. You must be present to win.

Schedule subject to change.