Mrs. Medlen AP Calculus AB Lesson Plans



	Monday 9/4	Tuesday 9/5	Wednesday 9/6	Thursday 9/7	Friday 9/8
College Board	Use information from a table to estimate the instantaneous rate of change at a given time (2.1B1)				
Curriculum	Understand AROC vs IROC and express AROC as a difference quotient (2.1A1)				
Framework	The derivative of a function is a limit of the difference quotient as h approaches 0. (2.1A3) Know the different notations for derivative $(dy/dx, f'(x), and y')$ (2.1A4)				
Objectives:	The derivative is IROC and can be used to find rates of change. The derivative is the slope of the tangent line. (2.3)				
Before:	Labor Day	*Homework	*Homework	*Homework	*Homework
	(Holiday)	Discussion	Discussion	Discussion	Discussion
			(Cumulative Review		
			is due)		
During:		*Lesson: Product	*Lesson: Equations	*Lesson:	*Lesson: Tabular
		and Quotient	of Tangent Lines	Horizontal	Data (Derivatives)
		Rule (Ex 6,7)	(Ex 8,9)	Tangents	(Ex 11, 12)
				(Ex 10)	
After:		*Group	*Group	*Group	*Group
		Collaboration:	Collaboration Set:	Collaboration	Collaboration Set
		p37, 12, 15	p39, 28-33	Set: p39, 34-36	(p40, 37-44)
			(HW if not		
		*HW Set: p38,	completed)	*HW Set:	*HW Set: Derivative
		19-27		Derivative	Rules Practice Set #2
				Rules Practice	
				Set	
Desired	-	Students will be	Students will be able to	Students will be	Students will be able to
Outcome:		able to find	write equations of	able to find the x-	find derivatives using a
		derivatives using	tangent lines using	value in which a	table of values.
		the product and	techniques of	function contains	
		quotient rule.	umerentiation.	tangent	
Formative/	Student questioning during lessons and group collaboration, homework practice (self-				
Summative:	assessment), homework discussion/feedback				
Critical		Explain how to use	Explain how to write an	What is a	Explain how to use
Questions:		the product and	line How do you find	norizontai tangent? Where	tabular data to find derivatives How do you
		derivatives.	the slope of a tangent	does this occur on	find a second derivative?
			line?	a graph? Explain	
				how this relates	
				to differentiation.	