

Hello Class! Welcome to Financial Accounting (ACCT116A)! I'm Professor Lauren Wade and I am so excited to start our learning journey together! Accounting is the language of business and I'll be here guiding you in this journey.

I hope you're as excited as I am to get started on the course, so I wanted to share a few items to get you started next week.

**Course:** Financial Accounting (ACCT116A)

**Course Number:** 41071 (Fall 2023)

**Course Dates:** This 16-week course starts on Monday, August 21<sup>st</sup>, and concludes on Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup>.

- Canvas will be available on *August 21<sup>st</sup>*, the first day of this class.
- You should login to the course and participate in the following activities by Saturday, *August 26<sup>th</sup>*, to secure your spot in the class:
  - Discussion Board #1 "Meet & Greet" (Module 0) (Due *August 22<sup>nd</sup>*)
  - Complete the Introduction Module (Module 0)
  - Register in MyAccountingLab (MAL) (Due August 23<sup>rd</sup>)
  - Complete the Welcome Survey (Due August 23<sup>rd</sup>)
- Please email me if you are not able to login by Tuesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Canvas:** This fully-online course uses Canvas ([Canvas Login](#)). *You can login on the first day of class.*

- *Canvas Login information:* Type your Username: 10-digit College Student Identification (ID) number Type your Password: mmddyyyy (birthdate with no hyphens, slashes, or spaces).
- If you have trouble accessing the course on, or after, the start date please submit a trouble ticket by clicking on the word HELP on the Canvas homepage and then click on REPORT A PROBLEM. You can also call the 24/7 Canvas Helpline at (844) 612-7421.

**Textbook:** Purchased in the Mesa College Bookstore (includes access code and etext) or through the "MyLab and Mastering" link in the course homepage.

- This is a requirement as all homework, exams, preassignments, extra credit assignments, as well as plenty of practice problems and help resources are found here.
- If you are waiting for financial aid or for your next paycheck, no worries! There is a free 14-day trial where you'll have access to all of the assignments and the etext.
- *Login information is on the Course Homepage in Canvas.*

Just so you know, I'm excited about this class! It is going to be a wonderful semester and I look forward to meeting and working with you. I encourage you to reach out if you have any questions or need something I didn't cover here (LaurenBWadeCPA@gmail.com). Thanks!

**Welcome to Financial Accounting!!** I look forward to working with you!!!

*Prof Lauren Wade, CPA*



