What you should do after attending the first class...

1. Purchase/obtain the textbook (Precalculus / Functions & Graphs, 3rd ed. by Mark Dugopolski) ASAP!

2. Read the following three (3) webpages (online links located in the left-hand pane of the course homepage):
   - A. Course Syllabus
   - B. Course Schedule
   - C. Course Info & Policies

3. Look over Class Notes for the following dates (online links are located in the right-hand pane of the course homepage):
   - A. 08/24/09
   - B. 08/25/09
I. Solving Equations –

A. 3 Possible Outcomes...

1. Finite # of solutions (conditional)
   p.9 / Exercise #18
2. No solution (inconsistent)
   p.9 / Exercise #34
3. Infinite # of solutions (identity)
   p.9 / Exercise #28

B. Misc. Examples (p.10): Exercises #50,54

HW: Read pp.1-8 (text)
pp.9-11 / Exercises #1-53 (every other odd)