Extra Credit Assignment 13

Due Friday, November 20, 11:59 PM

Why should L'Hopital's rule be true? Explore.

Extra Credit Assignment 14 (last one!)

Due Thursday, December 3, 11:59 PM

(I am telling you this assignment well ahead of time because reading a book can take a while.)

Read one of the following:

- 1. Zero: The Biography of a Dangerous Idea by Charles Seife.
- 2. The Man Who Loved Only Numbers by Paul Hoffman.
- 3. Fermat's Last Theorem by Simon Singh. (Sometimes this book is also entitled Fermat's Engima.)
- 4. The Code Book by Simon Singh.

Tell me which one you read, and then write whatever comes to mind. What ideas were interesting? What history was interesting? What were some things you thought a teacher should have told you already?

The point of this assignment is for you to read something interesting and fun about mathematics. You can be honest with your submission, and just tell me your honest reactions.