# (possibly incomplete list of) **Topics Covered from Chapter 1 to Section 4.5**

## Chapter One: Statistical Thinking

Population	their definitions and how they are related, why do we
Sample	take a sample? why should it be representative?
Representative Sample	how do these relate to making inferences?

Quantitative vs. Qualitative data

## Chapter Two: Descriptive Statistics

Class, Class Frequency, and Relative Class Frequency

How to construct and read a *relative frequency histogram*. The use of size to represent probability, in particular area in histograms.

Mean (of a sample)	how to calculate these statistics, and
Median	when we would use each one
Mode	

Rangeyou will be given the formula for the variance,Variance (of a sample)you will be given the formula for the variance,Standard Deviation (of a sample)but will need to know how to use it

Skewed right or skewed left, and how this relates to the mean and median

Empirical Rule (68, 95, almost all) and when it applies Chebyshev's Theorem, you will be given the formula  $1-1/k^2$  what does it mean?

z-scores Percentiles Interquartile Range When to use the IQR instead of the SD What a box plot says about the shape of a distribution, how it is constructed, and how to use it to identify outliers

**NOT:** Stem and Leaf Plot

#### Chapter Three: Probability

Sample Point Sample Space Event

 $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$  $P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B|A)$ 

You need to remember these two!

Mutually Exclusive Independent Complement their definitions, and how they affecte the multiplicative and additive rule

Factorials Binomial Coefficient what they are, how they are used

#### Chapter Four: Random Variables

Random Variable Discrete Random Variable Continuous Random Variable

Discrete Probability Distribution Mean (of a discrete random variable) Expected Value (of a discrete random variable) Variance (of a discrete random variable) Standard Deviation (of a discrete random variable) if given the formula, how to calculate these, and what they tell us about the variable

Recognize the formulas for the *Binomial* and *Hypergeometric* distributions (you will be given them, but won't be told which one is which), know what the parameters mean, and how and when we would use them. Know the formula for the mean and variance of the binomial (but you will be given them for the Hypergeometric)

Continuous Probability Distribution Normal Distribution Standard Normal Changing a Normal to a Standard Normal

Know that probability is area for continuous random variables. Be able to use a normal table to calculate probabilities for a Normal random variable.