

Math 2200
MWF 8am
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Office Hours: TBA. If you need help outside of office hours, I'm always happy to schedule a meeting.

Course Information:

Book: Calculus, Early Transcendentals Version, 6th Edition, by Edwards and Penny.

Syllabus: Chapters 2, 3, 4, and parts of 5.

Midterms: TBA.

Final Exam: Exam: Mon, May 9, 2005, 8:00 - 11:00 am

Grade breakdown: Homework/Quizzes = 25%, Midterm I, II, III = 15% each, Final Exam = 30%.

Homework, Quizzes, etc.:

Selected homework will be assigned for each section of the text. The homework will be collected on a regular basis. The problems I assign should be considered the bare minimum. I strongly recommend you do additional problems. Calculus is an art which is only mastered through lots of practice.

We will have short quizzes most weeks.

From time to time we will have worksheets, group assignments, etc. as the material warrants. The grades for this work will also be counted under the category "Homework/Quizzes."

The two lowest grades in this category will be dropped.

Important Notes:

I have a firm policy of not accepting late work. This is especially true for quizzes and exams. If alternate arrangements need to be made, the work must be completed before the due date. The only exception to this policy is documented medical emergencies and the like.

In all your work, neatness and clarity count. Part of mathematics is the ability to clearly communicate your solution to others. If the reader (e.g. myself, the grader, your fellow student) cannot read or understand your solution, you will invariably lose points. Most people find it helpful to first work out the problem on scratch paper and then to write out their final solution.

You should make every effort to attend class every day. You are responsible for any material covered in class, including the days you are absent. Please get the notes, handouts, assignments from another student or myself. Tardiness is similarly discouraged.

I do grades strictly by the numbers. That is, if you get 90%+ of the available points in class, you will get an A. On rare occasions I make upward adjustments in individuals' grades if there are exceptional circumstances.

Assignments will be announced in class and posted on the course web page.

Academic Honesty:

I consider academic honesty to be at the foundation of a University's activities in education and research. Cheating is an attack on the efforts of myself and fellow students, and above all, on the cheater's integrity. Those caught cheating will be dealt with to the full extent allowed under University policy. Please refer to the University's Academic Honesty Policy for further details.