Math 30 Syllabus – Winter 2018

Section Number 62643, Class Time: M W F 3:30 – 4:35 PM, O’Connor Hall 106
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Goals and Objectives:
1. Learn, understand, and communicate definitions, examples, fundamental theorems, and applications relevant to the study of calculus.
2. Analyze, solve, and communicate solutions to problems in calculus.

Text: Applied Calculus by Waner and Costenoble, 6th edition, custom for SCU

About this Course: This course covers Chapters 1 - 5 of the text and focuses on differential calculus and its applications.

Homework will be assigned in every class and will be due two classes later (for example: HW assigned Monday is due Friday, HW assigned Wednesday is due the following Monday, HW assigned Friday is due the following Wednesday). Late homework is not accepted.

Exams: We will have two exams and one comprehensive final exam. The dates of the exams are:
   Exam #1: Wednesday, January 31st
   Exam #2: Wednesday, February 21st
   Final Exam: Wednesday, March 21st, 6:30 – 9:30 pm

Review Sessions: There will be review sessions on Monday, January 29th and Friday, February 16th

Department policy does not allow make-up exams, or the rescheduling of finals for any reason whatsoever, including illness. If you are unable to take an exam because of illness or emergency, you must contact me before the time of the exam to let me know, and you must provide proof that you were unable to take it. This can be a doctor’s note, or an email from Student Life, telling me you had an emergency. Without this, a missed test receives a grade of 0. By enrolling in this class, you acknowledge that the exams are on the dates given in the schedule of lectures below, and agree that you will be in class on those days, barring illness or disaster.

Grading Policy: 25% Midterm 1 + 25% Midterm 2 + 30% Final + 15% Homework + 5% Participation

Academic Integrity: The penalty for cheating is a failing grade for the course, and the University may take further disciplinary action. All of the work that you turn in should be your own, and not that of a classmate or copied from another source. Please see http://www.scu.edu/academics/bulletins/undergraduate/Academic-Integrity.cfm for further information.
Disability accommodation policy: If you have a documented disability for which accommodations may be required in this class, please contact Disabilities Resources, Benson 216, www.scu.edu/disabilities, as soon as possible to discuss your needs and register for accommodations with the University. If you have already arranged accommodations through Disabilities Resources, please initiate a conversation with me about your accommodations during my office hours within the first two weeks of class. Students who are pregnant and parenting may also be eligible for accommodations. Accommodations will only be provided after I have verification of your accommodations as approved by Disabilities Resources, and with sufficient lead time for me to arrange testing or other accommodations. For more information you may contact Disabilities Resources at 408-554-4109.