Instructor

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Class information

Class website: Search for MATH 111 001 on OWL-Space  
Lectures: GRB W212, 11:00am - 11:50am MWF

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Required Textbook

Single Variable Calculus: Early Transcendentals (7E) by James Stewart. The Rice bookstore has a custom-made bundle for Rice students (ISBN: 9781285905068) which includes a WebAssign account. You can also use Stewarts Single Variable Calculus: Early Transcendentals (7th Edition) or Stewarts Calculus: Early Transcendentals (7th Edition), but you will have to purchase a WebAssign account separately.

We intend to cover most of the Sections 1 – 4 of the textbook. If time permits we will also cover Section 5.

OWL-Space

Announcements, schedule changes, homework assignments made outside of WebAssign, reading assignments and grades will usually be posted to OWL-Space. Extra-credit problems and some information may only be available during class.

Homework

There are two components to the homework: WebAssign problems and written problems to be handed in.

1. WebAssign homework will be due every Monday and Wednesday at 9:00PM. It will be assigned through the WebAssign website and made available several days before the due date. Each student needs to sign up for a WebAssign account and become familiar with WebAssign as soon as possible. Most homework problems are to be completed online, and are quite similar to textbook exercises.

The WebAssign.net key for this course is: rice 0816 6323.
It is strongly recommended that you keep full written solutions to the assigned exercises to help you study for exams.

2. Each week I will assign several problems from the text that you have to hand in to my office by Wednesday at 5:30PM. (You may turn them in early in class or slide your solutions under my door if I am not in my office). Homework problems will be announced in class and/or posted to OWL-Space on Fridays preceding their due dates. For complete credit you must show your work thoroughly and neatly.

Homework assignments, whether written or online are not pledged. In fact, you are encouraged to work with other students in class. However, your solutions must be written and understood by yourself individually. It is not permitted to look up solutions in any written form; in particular, you are not allowed to look up solutions online. However, you may use a calculator to check your arithmetic.

You are also encouraged to visit your TA and/or the instructor’s office hours if you need assistance with homework assignments.

No late homework will be accepted. Instead, the two lowest homework grades from WebAssign and the one lowest grade from written assignments will be dropped.

Exams
Midterms will be written during class hours in the usual lecture location. The tentative midterm schedule is as follows, and is subject to change.

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<td>Midterm 1</td>
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<td>Midterm 2</td>
<td>Wednesday, November 11 (in class)</td>
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Calculators, computing devices, notes and books are prohibited on midterm and final exams. Any exceptional materials to be permitted during midterm exams will be specified and made explicit by the instructor.

The cumulative final exam will be scheduled by the Office of the Registrar very late in the semester. You must plan to be on campus during the final exam period. A late final will NOT be given to accommodate any travel plans.

Grades
Your grade will be determined by the following:

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The instructor reserves the right to offer challenge problems, bonus problems, or extra-credit assignments.

**Academic Integrity**

Students are expected to abide by the Rice Honor Code on all assignments and exams.

**Conflicts**

Students with university recognized conflicts or illnesses must notify me as soon as possible to reschedule midterms and final exams. Make-up exams will only be permitted in extenuating circumstances, and exams rescheduled for university-recognized conflicts will be only be conducted after the regularly scheduled exams. The final exam time frame will be scheduled by the Office of the Registrar late in the semester.

**An early final will not be given to accommodate travel plans. Do not plan to travel during the final exam period.**

**Students with disabilities**

Any student with a documented disability needing academic adjustments or accommodations is requested to speak with me during the first week of class. All discussions will remain confidential. Students with disabilities need to also contact Disability Support Services in the Ley Student Center. Please visit [http://students.rice.edu/students/Disability.asp](http://students.rice.edu/students/Disability.asp) for more information.

**Disclaimer**

The instructor reserves the right to update the expectations outlined in this syllabus. Any modifications will be announced in class and a new syllabus will be uploaded to OWL-Space if any changes are to be made.