MATH 2413: Calculus I
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Lone Star College-North Harris

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Prerequisite: MATH 2412 (Precalculus)

Required Materials:


Pencils: All work must be done in pencil. NO INK!!!

Calculator: A scientific calculator will be needed, and a graphing calculator is very useful. There may be some exams on which no calculators are allowed. Calculators that perform symbolic calculus will not be allowed on exams.

Course Evaluation and Grades:
Daily Grade: The daily grade will include quizzes, MyMathLab homework submitted online, and other assignments. Homework problems from the book will be assigned and posted on the website, but generally will not be turned in for a grade. It is important to work these, because the exams are paper-based and will include problems that cannot be evaluated in the MyMathLab environment. Some quizzes may be based on class participation. Assignments submitted late may not be accepted or may be penalized. Students unable to turn in an assignment on time should discuss the situation with the instructor.

Attendance: Regular class attendance is very important for success in this course. You are responsible for material covered and announcements made in class, whether or not you are in class. If you have no absences, and never arrive late or leave early, you will receive 2 bonus points, equivalent to 2% of the overall course grade on your final grade.
Regular Exams: There will be three regular exams and a final exam. The dates for these exams will be announced in class and posted on the website. (See the section on make-ups.)

Final Exam: The final exam is comprehensive and mandatory. It will be held at the date and time listed on the Lone Star College final exam schedule. **In addition to having a passing course average, you must score at least 50% on the final exam to pass the course.**

Final Letter Grades: Exams and daily grades will be weighted as follows:

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<td>3 Regular Exams</td>
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Your final letter grade will be determined by the following table. **Remember, in addition to having a passing course average, you must score at least 50% on the final exam to pass the course.**

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Make-Ups:
Make-ups are generally not allowed for quizzes or daily assignments.

No student is guaranteed a make-up for a missed exam. If you know ahead of time that you must miss an exam, and you contact your instructor well in advance, you may be allowed to take it early. If you miss an exam due to an extreme emergency, and you wish to be considered for a makeup exam, you must contact your instructor as soon as possible, definitely before the next class meeting.

Release of Grades:
“The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 U.S.C. § 1232g; 34 CFR Part 99) is a Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records.” Under the regulations of FERPA, instructors are not allowed to give out student grades except to the student and only in person. **So, please do not ask for grades via telephone or e-mail.**

Withdrawals:
Do not expect to be dropped by your instructor if you stop participating. If for some reason you are not able to complete the course, it is **YOUR** responsibility to fill out the paperwork and drop the course on or before the Lone Star College withdrawal deadline. Students still enrolled at the end of the course cannot receive a W and will receive an A, B, C, D, or F. Students who first enrolled in college during Fall 2007 or later are subject to the 6-drop limit of SB 1231.

Modifications:
Any modifications to this syllabus will be announced during class and posted on the website. It is the student’s responsibility to check for such announcements.