

Welcome to Calculus II!

Please take the time to carefully read the syllabus. You are responsible for knowing the syllabus contents, and for checking the assignment schedule on the course webpage. Additional announcements and quiz information will be posted on my personal webpage.

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Reading: The textbook is essential for the course. You are expected to read the textbook in preparation for class, as well as to supplement the material discussed in class. Some topics will primarily be covered via the text.

A reading schedule is attached and will also be posted on my webpage. The first reading deadline is **Friday, January 20th**.

Quizzes: There will be **9** written quizzes given in class. There will also be **3** quiz grades given for informal presentations and participation in large group discussions.

Each of the three presentation/participation quizzes will be based on four weeks of class.

The goal of presenting your work (or your group's work) in class is not to demonstrate a "perfect" solution to a problem, but rather to share your thought process and pool your knowledge with your peers. The intention is for you to benefit from practicing mathematical communication and for the class community to benefit from your contributions. If presenting to the class poses a particular difficulty, please contact me to see if we can come up with an alternate way to meet these goals.

The written quizzes will draw from assigned readings, class activities and discussion, lectures, and previous assignments.

The first written quiz will be **Friday, January 27th**.

Written Homework: Written homework assignments are posted on the main course webpage. Please read the syllabus instructions carefully. A correct solution includes *a well organized logical argument and complete English and mathematical sentences*. One strategy is to try reading your work out loud as if explaining your solution to a classmate. Edit your solution to include any additional words you find yourself adding. Feel free to bring your homework to my office hours or MARC hours if you are unsure whether you have included enough explanation.

The first written homework assignment will be due **Thursday, January 19th**.

Online Homework: In addition to written homework, there are online homework assignments through WebAssign that are due multiple times per week. Please read the syllabus instructions for getting set up in WebAssign thoroughly, and make sure you are ready to go as soon as possible. The first WebAssign is due **Friday, January 20th**.