Math 1A Course Syllabus
De Anza College
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Course: Calculus I; Math 1A.09

Meets: M-F 11:30am-12:20 pm in E36.

Course Description: Fundamentals of differential calculus.

   Prerequisites: Math 43 or equivalent with a grade of C or better, or appropriate score on Calculus Placement Test within the past calendar year.

Required Materials: *Calculus-Early Transcendentals*; 8th edition, by James Stewart. A TI-83, TI-84 or TI-86 graphing calculator is required for this class. A TI-89 or any similar symbolic calculator will not be allowed on exams.

Optional Material:(Strongly recommended) Course notes for the quarter may be purchased in the De Anza College Bookstore. The notes contain all the material and examples that we will cover during lecture for the entire quarter. Many students find that the notes are useful because they have less writing to do during class and can focus on concepts and working out examples rather than copying them down.

WebAssign: All homework will be done online using WebAssign. You will need to register at *www.webassign.net* to use this internet-based software. You will need the class key given below in order to self register.

Class Key: deanza 4751 7374

Attendance: You are expected to attend every lecture. You may be dropped from the class if you miss any classes during the first 2 weeks of the quarter.

Grading:

Exams	300 Points
Homework	50 Points
Quizzes	100 Points
Final	150 Points
Total	**600 Points**

Grade Breakdown:

A+: 97-100%	B+:87-88%	C+: 77-78%	D: 62-66%
A: 92-96%	B: 82-86%	C: 69-76%	D-: 60-61%
A-: 89-91%	B-: 79-81%	D+: 67-68%	F: < 60%

Exams: There will be 3 in class exams. Each exam is worth 100 points. They will be closed book and closed notes. No make-ups will be allowed. In the case of a documented emergency, I will replace a missing exam score with the corresponding portion of your final grade.

Homework: Homework assignments will be submitted via WebAssign. You get 5 attempts for each homework problem. See the course calendar for tentative due dates. All homework must be submitted by 11:00 am on the due date. There will be a total of 10 homework assignments, with each assignment worth 5 points. Do **NOT** message me through WebAssign for homework help. Email me directly or come see me during office hours.

Quizzes: There will 6 in-class quizzes, each worth 20 points. The lowest quiz score will be dropped. No make-ups will be allowed. If you know that you will be absent, see me about taking the quiz earlier than scheduled. See the course calendar for tentative quiz dates.

Final Exam: The final exam will be comprehensive and will be given on *Monday, March* 26th from 11:30am-1:30 pm. The final exam must be taken at the scheduled time.

Student Conduct: Cheating is forbidden. There shall be no talking to, or unauthorized helping of other students during any exam or quiz. You may not share calculators during exams or quizzes. All electronic devices other than a calculator must be put away during quizzes and exams. An exam/quiz grade of a zero, or course grade of F may be given for any of the above infractions. Any student found cheating on an exam or quiz will not be allowed to retake that exam or quiz.

Important Dates:

- The last day to add classes is Saturday, January 20th.
- The last day to drop for a full refund is Sunday, January 21st.
- The last day to drop classes with no record of a grade is Sunday, January 21st.

The last day to drop with a "W" is Friday, March 2nd.

Student Learning Outcome(s):

*Analyze and synthesize the concepts of limits, continuity, and differentiation from a graphical, numerical, analytical and verbal approach, using correct notation and mathematical precision.
*Evaluate the behavior of graphs in the context of limits, continuity and differentiability.
*Recognize, diagnose, and decide on the appropriate method for solving applied real world problems in optimization, related rates and numerical approximation.