Supplement to the Departmental Syllabus for MAT 295

Calculus I

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Course Information:
MAT 295: Calculus I
Section 9
Lecture: MWF 9:30-10:25 AM Carnegie 120
Recitation: T 8:00-9:20 AM Carnegie 115

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If you have any issues with the course, please talk to your instructor. Any problems that can’t be resolved with your instructor should be brought to the attention of the course supervisor.

Resources for Extra Help: Feel free to drop by during office hours to ask questions. The math department also has a math clinic and calculus clinic that you may use for extra help. The hours for the math clinic and calculus clinic can be found at http://math.syr.edu/Help.htm.

WebAssign: You will need to create your WebAssign account at http://www.webassign.net in order to submit your online homework. You will “self enroll” into this section of MAT 295 by using the following class key: syr 2012 7398. You should set up your account using your SU username. Please do this as soon as possible! The first assignment in WebAssign is due at 11:30 PM on September 1!

WebAssign access for the first two weeks of the course is free. After that, you will need to enter an “access code” to continue using WebAssign. See the departmental syllabus for more information.

Written Homework and Recitations: Written assignments will be given in recitations. You are encouraged to work on assignments together in recitation. Some problems from this assignment will be collected on Friday of the same week. Late work will not be accepted. With this in mind, the “Example” problems in WebAssign count as extra credit.

Quizzes: Quizzes will be given every week in recitation (with the exception of exam weeks). No make up quizzes will be given, but the lowest two quiz scores will be dropped at the end of the semester.

Exams: There will be three midterm exams for the course. Tentative exam dates are as follows:
   Exam 1: Friday, September 25
   Exam 2: Friday, October 23
   Exam 3: Friday, November 20.

The material covered on each exam will be announced in class (usually about a week in advance). No make-up exams will be given. If you miss an exam and have an acceptable written excuse, your missed exam score will be replaced by your score on that portion of the material on the final exam. A missed exam without an acceptable written excuse will be counted as a zero.

See the departmental syllabus for more information about the Final Exam.

Cell phones: Cell phones should be turned off and put away during class. Use or availability of cell phones or other electronic devices at quizzes or exams will be a violation of the Academic Integrity Policy.