

Calculus Syllabus Addendum for Online Teaching

CRNs: 32229 & 26601

Executive Summary

As with all the other university courses, our course is going to be switching to online as of March 17th. As all content will be administered electronically; assignments will be posted and submitted on Blackboard. Everything will be asynchronous, except the third test which will be at its designated time.

Learning Methods

Each lesson will have three approaches:

- Readings in the textbook
- Videos to watch
- Problems to complete

Assessment and Grading Methods

- The third test will be a written test. You may take it wherever you like, but you must be at a computer with a camera capable of watching you take the test. Mark your calendar for April 16th at 8am. This will be the only synchronous event during the rest of the semester. If for some reason this will not be possible, contact me by April 9th to make other arrangements for the test.
- There will be a final project in lieu of a final exam. Details will come later, but the gist is that it will be an open ended project with the goal of “create a short video where you explain the most important things you learned this semester”
- There will be no more activities.
- There will be no more oral problem presentations.
- There will be no more STEM Residential College Activities.
 - This category is reduced to 40 points for the two study groups whose deadlines have already passed. Each other activity that has been completed will count as 4 bonus points.
- The lessons will involve some written problems. Pictures or scans of these will be submitted on Blackboard

The gradebook will be adjusted as follows

	Old	New
Test 1	15%	15%
Test 2	15%	15%
Test 3	15%	15%
Quizzes	4%	1.5%
Activities	8%	5%
Oral Problem Presentations	7%	4%
STEM Residential College Activities	10%	4%
Good Citizen	1%	0.5%
Lessons	N/A	15%
Final Exam Project	25%	25%

Communication

I will continue to be available via e-mail. A discussion board will also be created on Blackboard. Please use the discussion board for content questions, so that everyone may benefit from the conversation.

Timeline

A timeline of the remaining topics we will cover will be posted to Blackboard. The *start date* is the date that I promise to have the materials uploaded to Blackboard. The *end date* is the due date by which time you must have completed that lesson.