Mathematics MTH231: Calculus I

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Office Hours: MW 11:00 - 12:20 Required Text: Larson and Hostetler

Meeting Time and places: M 12:20 - 2:15, W 12:20 - 2:15

Special dates: This class is effected by the academic calendar on 9/2, 9/29, 10/1, 10/8,

10/13 and 10/14 (Monday class on a Tuesday!)

Expectations: This class covers the basics of a standard first semester calculus course. It moves pretty quickly so you will need to keep up.

Homework: Homework for this class will be turned in using the WebWork homework system. This online homework system allows you to get feedback on your homework. The homework will be average into the final grade. More details will be distributed in class.

Quizzes: There will be a series of quizzes during the term. Points earned on these quizzes will be added to your mid-terms grades (tests or homework). There is no penalty for doing poorly on a quiz.

Grading: Your grade will be based on your scores of the 3 in class exams (60%), your homework grade (10%) and your final exam (30%). The official drop date (to receive a W) is November 7th, but you will be able to drop until November 12th (after the second exam has been returned).

Exam Policy: I expect full attendance at all the exams. If you know ahead of time that you will miss an exam, you must make prior arrangements with me before the exam. There will be no make-up exams as a general rule. No accommodations for a missed final exam will be made.

Exam Dates: Our tentative dates for the mid-term exams are The **three** mid-terms will be held on 9/24, 11/5 and 12/3.

Academic Honesty: The CUNY academic integrity policies are available from the website http://www.math.csi.cuny.edu/verzani/classes/CUNYapr.pdf. Cheating on exams will not be tolerated.

Although I encourage you to work together if desired on any assignment for the in-class portion of your grade, this does not mean you can copy another person's work. You should write any work in your own words.