

Math 1475 Section 1578 Calculus I Spring 2012

- Lecture:** T,Th 6:00 - 7:40 PM, Namm 718
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- Office Hours:** M, W 7:30-8:00 AM
T, Th 8:00-8:30 PM
- Texts:** Calculus, Early Transcendentals, 6th Edition by James Stewart.
You are expected to bring the book we are scheduled to use with you to class each day.
- Calculator:** You are required to bring to class a graphing calculator. For exams cell phones are not permitted so it is advisable that you bring the calculator you intend to use on exams to class with you each day, so you will be comfortable with it on the days of the tests.
- Make-up and Late work:** There will be NO MAKE-UP exams. Such needs are addressed by the lowest exams being dropped.
- Evaluation:** Exams will constitute 80% of your grade. There will be six tests, two cumulative midterm and a cumulative final. The semester will be broken into two halves. Each half contains 3 tests and 1 midterm. The tests will count once and the midterms will count twice. This means that each half of the semester will consist of 5 exam grades. For each semester the two lowest grades will be dropped. The six remaining grades will be averaged with the final which will count twice. That average is the Exams grade. A sample calculation can be found below.
Homework will represent 10% of your grade. There will be homework every day without an exam. Homework should be presented on the board before class starts. In order to receive full Homework credit you must present homework a total of 10 times.
Class participation will represent 10% of your grade. On days when there is time for students to work on exercise, I will circulate through the room, answering questions and recording the names of students who are not working on the assigned exercises. Each occurrence will subtract 1 point out of ten from that students class participation grade.

In Summary:

Exams	80%	A	93.6 – 100%
Homework	10%	A-	90.0 – 92.5%
Class Participation	10%	B+	87.6 – 89.9%
		B	82.6 – 87.5%
		B-	80.0 – 82.5%
		C+	77.6 – 79.9%
		C	70.0 – 77.5%
		D	60.0 – 69.9%
		F	< 60.0%

Sample Exams Grade Calculation

First Half of Semester		
Test 1	84%	
Test 2	78%	
Test 3	72%	
Midterm 1	68%(×2)	← Lowest 2 scores
Second Half of Semester		
Test 4	70%	
Test 5	66%	
Test 6	59%	← Lowest Score
Midterm 2	62%(×2)	← Second Lowest Score
Final Exam	72%(×2)	
Exams Grade	72	$= \frac{84 + 78 + 72 + 70 + 66 + 62 + 72 \cdot 2}{8}$

Attendance: You are expected to attend all class meetings and are responsible for all the material covered. Attendance is required and will be taken. Lateness and students leaving before the end of the class period will be recorded as half absences. If absences become excessive, the student may be asked to withdraw from the course. Any changes in this syllabus or in the scheduling of exams, assignments, *et cetera* will be announced during class meetings. Students who miss a class meeting should obtain all the information for that meeting.

Academic Integrity: Academic Dishonesty is prohibited in The City University of New York and is punishable by penalties, including failing grades, suspension and expulsion. Examples of academic dishonesty are cheating on exams or turning in someone else's work as your own for credit.