Math 124, Section 001
Calculus 1 with Algebra
Fall 2019

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Class Time and Location: 12:00-1:15 Rob B108

SAS course: This course is a Scholarly Inquiry Course. "Students will understand how knowledge is generated and disseminated through scholarship, and the importance of scholarship to society," by addressing the following: (1) distinguish between personal beliefs and evidence; (2) evaluate credibility of source information; and (3) understand how knowledge is transmitted within a discipline, across disciplines, and to the public.

Text: WebAssign**,** the online homework system for our text, ***Calculus Early Transcendentals, 14th*** Edition, by Thomas, is required. We will briefly review Chap1-3.5 and then cover Chapters 3.6-5.5. The book is the same as for M123. WebAssign includes an electronic copy of the text. You do not need a hard copy.

Calculators: Calculators are not permitted on in-class quizzes and tests. Graphing calculators will be helpful in class and for homework.

Homework: Homework, both online and written, will be assigned regularly and will be graded for correctness. I expect students to work all assigned homework problems. I encourage students to work together on homework, but any work that is graded must be a student's own work. I will not accept a group solution to a problem. Assignments that are copied will result, at a minimum, in a grade of a zero on the assignment for all participants.

To Enroll in Homework:
http://www.pearsonmylabandmastering.com/northamerica/mymathlab/

Course Name: Math124 Nelson F19
Course ID: nelson74152

Exams: Three midterm examinations will be given during the semester. Tentative dates are Sept 24, October 17 and November 19.
Note: these dates are subject to change. It is the responsibility of the student to be aware of any changes.

Make-up work: There will be no make-up exams.   In general, I will not give make-up quizzes or accept late homework, but I will drop 2 quizzes and two homework assignments.

Quizzes: There will occasional in-class quizzes

Final Exam: **Dec** 12 , 10:30—1:15. The exam will be comprehensive.

Grades: Fina**l** grades will be weighted as follows:

Tests (3):	100 points each
Homework/ quizzes:	100 points
Final Exam:	200 points

The grading scale will be: A's: 90-100%; B's: 80-89%; C's: 70-79%; D: 60-69%; F: 59% and below. "+" and "-" grades may be given to borderline grades, as appropriate.

Important Dates:

Last day to add/drop a class:	September 3
Last day to self-drop a class:	September 17 (50% tuition penalty)
Thanksgiving break:	November 27-Dec 1
Last day of classes:	December 7

Disability Services: If you are a student with a disability and you need academic accommodations, please see me and contact the Office of Disability Services. All academic accommodations must be arranged through that office.
        Office of Disability Services (ODS)
        http://ods.gmu.edu
        Student Union Building I (SUB I), Room 4205
        Phone: 703.993.2474

Honor Code: GMU is an Honor Code university; please see the *Office for Academic Integrity* for a full description of the code and the honor committee process. The principle of academic integrity is taken very seriously and violations are treated gravely.

****Buddy up!   If you must miss class, be sure you have someone who will help you with what you missed and convey any important changes that were discussed