

Finite
Math 130, Winter 2016

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My schedule: Monday through Friday

9:00-9:50	Math 130
10:00-11:50	Office hours
12:00-12:50	Math 101
1:00-1:50	Math 102
2:00-2:50	Office hours

Required Materials

- Text: Finite Mathematics: Introductory Probability and Statistics by Cutlip and Owen
- A scientific calculator is required. TI-83/84 is recommended. **You will not be able to use your smart phone on tests**
- You will need to be able to access to the **Internet**. **Canvas** will be used to post your grades, assignments, the course syllabus, test dates, and other important information. Your homework Quizzes will be through **WebWork**.

Grading: I will post each assignment as I grade them to Canvas, so you will be able to check your grade as often as you want. Be careful, because canvas only shows you the average over the material graded, any blank will reduce your average.

- 35% Homework Quizzes
- 35% Tests
- 10% Corrections
- 20% Final
- 5% Attendance
- 105% Total

A	A-	B+	B	B-	C+	C	C-	D+	D	D-	F
100-93	92-90	89-87	86-83	82-80	79-77	76-73	72-70	69-67	66-63	62-60	59>

Assignment guidelines:

- All assignments must be **neatly done**, if I **can't read I will assume the answer to problem is wrong**.
- You will need to **box/circle your answer**, you don't want me to miss your correct answer by not being able to find them.
- You must do assignments in **either pencil or black colored ink**, I will not grade anything in other colors.
- All fractions must be reduced by 2s or 5s
- All decimals must have at least 3 decimal places

Homework quizzes:

- I will assign homework from each section of the book that we cover, these will not be turned in.
- You will have 2 types of quizzes, the first is section quizzes on **WebWork**. **These will be assign at the end of the section and will only be open for a few days**, you have unlimited chances to input the correct answer. I will open these up for **partial credit (70%)** from **February 22nd to March 7th**. However, you can work on getting the correct answers anytime, save them for when they open back up for partial credit.
- I will also assign a few take-home quizzes to quiz any material that is not conducive to web-work. Take-home quizzes will be due as announced, and if you are absent, copies will be available on canvas. You can turn in these quizzes early or to my office before the next day. As soon as I hit my office it is officially the next day.
- If you fail to turn in the take home quizzes on time you will have to come in and take a **make-up quiz**. **I will not grade late take-home quizzes**, if you miss a deadline then you will need to take the **make-up quiz**. The last day to take a make-up quiz is **March 7th**.

- Tests:** Tests will be given at the end of each subject section. You will only be able to use a graphing/scientific calculator and a 3X5 notecard (**both sides and handwritten by you**). **No smart phones, not even to listen to music.**
- **Test Make-ups-** It will be **your responsibility** to schedule a make-up test. I will warn you that make-up tests are harder. My reasoning is you have more time to study, so should be better prepared than those who took the test when it was given.
 - If you know you will miss a test, you might want to come to me and arrange to take the original test early. If you are a member of a sports team or part of a school related function, come and talk to me about having your coach/instructor/advisor to proctor your exam on the day that the class takes it. You will need to give me several days to talk to the coach/instructor/advisor and arrange what needs to be done, **the day before you leave is not enough time.**
 - **The last day to take make up tests is Monday, March 7th.**

Test Corrections: I am a firm believer in learning from one's mistakes. If you got a **perfect score on the test you get the 5 points, automatically** (check Canvas and if I did not mark it tell me).

- Quiz/test (1-point)
- On a separate piece of paper you will correct any mistakes you made on the test or take-home quizzes. (2 points)
- Each mistake must have an evaluation of what type of mistake was made, or what was missed, or what needed to be done to get the answer correct (2-points)

Final **Tuesday December 8th at 8:00 to 10:00**

- The final is comprehensive. There will be 55 parts/questions, which will have a total of 110%. If you are a student who does reasonably well throughout the course, you could pass the class and not even have to take the final.
- However, if you have not done well throughout the quarter, and need more than 110% to pass. **The final can act as a last minute save.** Meaning that if you pass the final with a 75% or better you will receive a C for the course.

Attendance: Attendance is not mandatory, but a **bonus. Every absence 0.5% will be subtracted from the bonus. You are responsible** for deciding whether you want to attend class and participate. However, **you are also responsible for the information and assignments given during the classes you missed.** I will attempt to get each days notes posted to Canvas. Check Canvas and WebWork for quiz and test due dates.

Extra Help: Please come to me and either drop in during office hours or schedule an appointment. If you don't feel comfortable with coming to me for help there is the University Math Center, located in ARC on the first floor of Brooks library has tutoring hours. If you need other options please speak to me and we will work out a plan of action.

Cheating: if you are caught cheating you will receive a zero, with no chance to make up or retake the test/quiz. **This includes using your smart phones on quizzes and tests.**

Accommodations: "Central Washington University is committed to creating a learning environment that meets the needs of its diverse student body. If you anticipate or experience any barriers to learning, discuss your concerns with the instructor. Students with disabilities should contact Disability Services to discuss a range of options to removing barriers, including accommodations. Student Disability Services is located in Hogue 126. Call (509) 963-2214 or email ds@cwu.edu for more information."