

MAT8002 – Numeracy and Logic

Course Section Information (CSI)

- Topic guide for the course
- Please pay close attention to (%) breakdown for all evaluations

BrightSpace (BS) – Learning Management System

- Main page announcements for anything important including all upcoming exams/tests

Online Assignments and HWK Quizzes

- Each assignment and HWK quiz will have a due date
- All HWK quizzes are online and can be found under the Quizzes section on Brightspace
- HWK quizzes have multiple choice type questions (3 attempts – 2 hour time limit for each attempt)
- Assignment activity can be found under the Quizzes section on Brightspace
- Assignment template and drop box can be found under Assignments section
- Assignments have fill-in the blank type questions (2 attempt – 4 hour time limit to input answers into BS activity)

MAT8002 – AC Policies and Tests/Exams

Algonquin College Policies you should be familiar with

- AA18 Academic dishonesty and discipline
- AA20 Plagiarism

Exams and Tests

- All exams and tests will be written during the 2 hour class period
- You will have assigned seating during the test/exam periods
- If you miss a test/exam for whatever reason (illness or other emergency...), then please contact me to make an alternative arrangement
- There are no re-writes for any test or exam in this course
- Please do not ask for free points at any point in the course...you will earn every point in this course on your own
- Please do not ask for an alternative test or assignment or “task”... in case you do not do well on a particular assessment...

MAT8002 – Accommodations and Exemptions

Letter of Accommodations (LOA)

- If you have a LOA from the The Centre for Accessible Learning (CAL), then please send me a copy of that letter so that time allocation for tests and exams can be made accordingly.

Course Exemption

- If you have taken a similar type course in your previous degree accomplishments, then you can apply for a course exemption through ACSIS....you will need to submit documentation (transcripts, syllabus...)
- Only college or university level courses will be considered for exemptions
- High school or secondary school courses will not be considered for an exemption
- The math coordinator for the department will make the final decision for your exemption

MAT8002 – Attendance & Illness

Attendance

- We keep track of attendance throughout the semester but you do not receive any grade (%) just for attending class each day
- It is highly encouraged that you attend classes especially if you are having difficulty learning the material

Illness

- If you become SEVERELY ill, then please take a few days off until you are well enough to rejoin the class
- It will be unproductive if you continue to attend class while being sick...not be able to focus on learning and prolong your recovery...
- If you have mild symptoms, then please wear a MASK to protect others from becoming ill...please be respectful of others

MAT8002 – Classroom Management

Classroom Management

- All students have a right to attend class (paid tuition and registered for the course)...but
- No student has the right to disturb others during the learning process while in class
- Please be respectful of others who are in attendance and who want to learn

MAT8002 – Goals/Skills

By the end of this term, in this class we hope you achieve the following goals and skills...

- Problem solving skills
- Critical thinking skills
- Time management skills

Learning Comparison

Teaching/Learning comparison between a high school course and a college and/or university course

- Ontario High School – one math class 1.25 hours per day for 90 days for a semester = **112.5 hours per semester**
- Ontario College Course – a 3 hour per week course for one semester (14 weeks) = **42 hours per semester**