

MATH 375 - Tentative Weekly Schedule - Fall 2016

Date	Sections	Topics	Comments
Sep 12 - 16	1.1-1.3 2.1, 2.4	First Order Differential Equations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction and Basics, Linear Equations • Existence and Uniqueness (Theorem 2.4.1) 	Lectures start Monday
Sep 19 - 23	2.4 2.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separable Equations • Exact Equations, Integrating Factor 	
Sep 26 - 30	2.3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Modeling with First Order Equations: Mixing, Radioactive Decay, Heating and Cooling, Electrical Circuits (RL and RC) 	
Oct 03 - 07	3.2, 4.1	Second and Higher Order Linear Differential Equations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction and Basic Theory 	
Oct 10 - 14	3.3, 3.4, 4.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solving Constant Coefficients Homogeneous Equations 	Thanksgiving Monday
Oct 17 - 21	3.5, 4.3 3.6, 4.4 6.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undetermined Coefficients Method • Variation of Parameters Method • Definition of Laplace Transform 	Quiz #1 in Tutorial
Oct 24 - 28	6.2 6.3	Laplace Transform <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Properties: First Shift, Multiplication/Division by t, Periodic Functions, Derivatives, Integral • Unit Step Function, Second Shift 	Midterm Friday 6:15-7:45 pm
Oct 31 - 04	6.4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inverse Laplace Transform • Differential Equations with Discontinuous RHS 	
Nov 07 - 11	7.1 7.4	Systems of First Order Linear Differential Equations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction • Basic Theory 	Midterm Break - Friday
Nov 14 - 18	7.5 7.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homogeneous Constant Coefficients Systems • Complex Eigenvalues 	
Nov 21 - 25	10.2 10.3 10.4	Boundary Value Problems of Mathematical Physics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Fourier Series • Pointwise Convergence • Fourier Cosine and Sine Series 	
Nov 28 - 02	10.5 10.6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separation of Variables • Solution of the One Dimensional Heat Equation 	Quiz #2 in Tutorial
Dec 05 - 09	10.7 10.8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solution of the One Dimensional Wave Equation • Solution of the Two Dimensional Laplace's Equation 	Lectures end Friday

- The above schedule is only **tentative**, it might be modified throughout the term, as some topics could require additional time. The section numbers refer to our text: *Elementary Differential Equations and Boundary Value Problems*, by William Boyce and Richard DiPrima