

MA 511: Advanced Calculus I — Course Calendar

Spring 2026 Course Calendar

The table below lists the planned schedule for this course. See the [course syllabus](#) for additional course information. Typos are possible. You are responsible for tracking university closures, final exam schedules, etc. through the [NC State University Academic Calendar](#).

Due dates for assignments should be confirmed through Moodle, always check the assignments themselves for specific dates. These due dates are tentative based on the start of the semester; dates may change on Moodle without changing on this schedule.

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Week	Date Range	Lecture / Session	Sections Covered	Assignments
1	Jan 12 – Jan 16	Introduction to real numbers; logic and proof writing; sets and functions; bounded sets (supremum and infimum); Nested Interval Property.	This week we cover the basics of logic and proofs and introduce sets of real numbers. The textbook in this course is not required; however, if you have it, note the section numbers for each lecture (we begin with a slightly different ordering of topics). Major concepts: Introduction to real numbers. Logic and proof writing. Sets and functions, bounded sets (supremum and infimum) and the Nested Interval Property.	Introduce yourself on the class forum.
2	Jan 19 – Jan 23	Cardinality and density; basic topology of open and closed sets; the Cantor set and a quick look at dimension.. <i>Martin Luther King Jr. Day</i>		Quiz 1
3	Jan 26 – Jan 30	Sequences: definition, convergence, boundedness; limit theorems for sequences.		Quiz 2; Homework 1; Labor Day (no class on Monday).
4	Feb 02 – Feb 06	Cauchy sequences; subsequences; Monotone Subsequence Theorem; Monotone Convergence		Quiz 3

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		Theorem; Bolzano–Weierstrass Theorem.		
5	Feb 09 – Feb 13	Continuity; consequences of continuity on closed intervals $[a,b]$.		Quiz 4; Homework 2; Wellness Day (university holiday on Tuesday).; Midterm 1
6	Feb 16 – Feb 20	Partitions, lower and upper sums; integrability.. <i>Wellness Day</i>		Quiz 5
7	Feb 23 – Feb 27	Integrating discontinuous functions using measure; beginning of differentiability.		Quiz 6; Homework 3
8	Mar 02 – Mar 06	Mean Value Theorem and preliminary results; Fundamental Theorem of Calculus; inverse functions.		Quiz 7
9	Mar 09 – Mar 13	Review and assessment week for Midterm 2.		Quiz 8; Homework 4; Fall Break (no class Monday–Tuesday).; Midterm 2
10	Mar 16 – Mar 20	Spring Break		
11	Mar 23 – Mar 27	Sequences of functions and convergence.		Quiz 9
12	Mar 30 – Apr 03	Limit theorems for sequences of functions; sup norm; metric spaces and examples.		Quiz 10
13	Apr 06 – Apr 10	Contraction mapping; series of real constants.		Quiz 11; Homework 5
14	Apr 13 – Apr 17	Weierstrass M-test for series of functions; power series and why they are useful.		Quiz 12
15	Apr 20 – Apr 24	Taylor series (coefficients); an introduction to Fourier series.		Quiz 13; Homework 6
16	Apr 27 – Apr 28	Wrap up, including a student choice activity.		Thanksgiving Break (no class Wednesday–Friday).

Final exams for courses with set meeting times are determined before the semester begins; find your final exam schedule here: [NC State University Final Exam Calendar](#) for the date and time of all of your final exams. I recommend that you schedule the final exam for this course early in the semester.