MATH 208 Discussion Fall Semester, 2020

# Section 608 Tuesday and Thursday at 11:00AM - 11:50AM in EMS W119

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**Office hours virtual only**:

T: 9:00am – 10:00am and F: 10:00am - noon, or by appointment. The office hours are virtual only. A link will be posted on Canvas. Office hours or method of connecting virtually may change.

**Face to Face Class Procedure:**

Discussion sections will take place half online and half in person. You will attend one section per week and watch a recording of the other discussion on canvas. Please view the Split class T/R groups to know which day you should attend in-person and which day you should view the discussion virtually. Our class sessions will be audio-visually recorded and posted on canvas later the same day

**Attendance:**

Attendance will be taken each class. It is important that attend class when you are healthy. If you must miss class, email me as soon as possible, with a valid reason for missing the class. Unexcused absences will result in losing points towards your discussion section grade. If you have any COVID-19 symptoms, or you feel that you may be in any way at risk of have COVID-19, notify me immediately. See the COVID-19 Statement later in this syllabus.

**Canvas**:

Almost all class information (homework, class cancellations, etc.) will be posted in Canvas; some will be posted only there. If I find useful and relevant Internet links during the semester, I will post them as well. If you find some yourself, please let me know; if I agree, I will post them also. **You are responsible for any information posted on the website, so please check it frequently.**

**Homework:**

Homework will be regularly assigned and turned in on canvas. You will need to take a clear picture of your homework and submit it as a PDF. Any other file type will not be accepted.

You should show all your work on homework problems. Write down any equations you used, and any calculation you put into your calculator. In order to get full credit, homework must be turned in prior to the due date, usually Tuesday or Thursday by midnight. Homework is graded on completeness and sufficient demonstration of work. It is possible to get full credit even if your final answer is not correct. Comments on homework and demonstration of problems will mostly be done in class or during office hours.

**Discussion Grade:**

Your discussion section is divided into 100 points. Since this class has never been taught before, and with the covid-19 limitations, the exact distribution of these points is still being determined. They will consist of at least 50 points from homework, and the rest will be divided between attendance, participation, homework, and possible quizzes. If we end up doing quizzes, I will let you know well ahead of time.

**Grades/Exams:**

See the lecture syllabus for information on grade distributions and exam times

**Other Policies:**

UWM Syllabus policies can be found here: <http://www.uwm.edu/Dept/SecU/SyllabusLinks.pdf>

* If you feel you are a student with a disability, please feel free to contact me early in the semester for any help or accommodations which you may need.
* The university has a responsibility to promote academic honesty and integrity and to develop procedures to deal effectively with instances of academic dishonestly.  Students are responsible for the honest completion and representation of their work. Further information can be found at: <http://www4.uwm.edu/acad_aff/policy/academicmisconduct.cfm>
* Sexual harassment is reprehensible and will not be tolerated by the University. Further information can be found at: <http://www.uwm.edu/Dept/SecU/SyllabusLinks.pdf>
* According to university policy, students must take the final exam at the given time in the location that will be determined before the semester ends.
* Please see the extra information on COVID-19, this includes, wearing a mask at all times, washing your hands and using hand sanitizer frequently. Masks protect not only yourself, but everyone around you as well. Masks should cover your nose and mouth especially when talking.