Mathematics
Northwest College – Katy Campus
Math 2413: Calculus I
89478 – Fall 2015
Room 216 | 9:00 – 1:00 pm | Mon -- Fri
4 hour lecture course / 64 hours per semester
Textbook: Calculus, Tenth Edition, by Ron Larson & Bruce H. Edwards
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Additional Resources: www.khanacademy.org
                                 www.wolframalpha.com
                                 www.mathway.com

Course Description
Math 2413: Calculus I. An integrated study of differential calculus with analytic geometry including the study of functions, limits, continuity, differentiation, and an introduction to integration.

Prerequisites
MATH 2412 or consent of the Department Chair

Course Goal
This course provides the background in mathematics for sciences or further study in mathematics and its applications

Course Student Learning Outcomes (SLO):
1. Demonstrate efficiency in algebraic manipulation of elementary and trigonometric functions.
2. Show an understanding of limits and their relationship to the concept of continuity.
3. Differentiate elementary and trigonometric functions and apply the derivatives to sketches of curves.
4. Calculate integrals, both approximate and exact, of algebraic and exponential functions, compute the average value of a function over an interval, and apply integrals to solve applied problems, including finding areas of defined regions.

Learning outcomes
Students will:
1.1 Describe the basic concepts of mathematical functions and the various types of functions, which exist.
2.1 Demonstrate knowledge of the concept of the limit of a function at a point and the properties such limits possess.
2.2 Demonstrate knowledge of the idea of continuity of a function
2.3 Recognize the discontinuity points of certain types of elementary functions.
3.1 Differentiate various types of mathematical functions and know the meaning of the various orders of the derivatives including applications.
3.2 Differentiate the trigonometric functions with applications.
3.3 Use calculus to sketch the curves of certain types of elementary functions
4.1 Demonstrate the ability to find antiderivatives involving polynomial and trigonometric functions.
4.2 Demonstrate the ability to evaluate a definite integral using Riemann sums.
4.3 Solve applied problems using definite integrals.
4.4 Find indefinite integrals with a change of variable.
4.5 Find the area of regions under curves using methods which include the Trapezoidal Rule and Simpson's Rule.
4.6 Demonstrate the ability to compute the average value of a function over an interval.
4.7 Demonstrate an understanding of the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

Instructional Method:
As an instructor, I want all my students to succeed in their endeavors. In order for one to succeed in this and any class two things will be expected of you (i) that you are prepared and (ii) that you are consistent in doing your homework. (i) Preparation requires that you have the relevant pre-requisite for the course. It also means that you attend class regularly you read and re-read as necessary the previous class material so that you are ready for the new material. I am always available to my students so if you have any questions please feel free to speak with me or e-mail me as necessary. (ii) Homework. In order to be successful in this course requires a level of commitment from you to do your home consistently. As the old adage goes "Math is not a spectator sport." In order to be successful in math requires that you DO math. This may mean that you may need to work on your homework daily, if there is a concept that you do not understand, you go to (i) tutoring , (ii) you seek assistance from your fellow classmates, (iii) you go online to valid websites to get help with understanding or reinforcing certain concepts and (iv) seek your professor's assistance.

Assessments

<u>**Grading Policy**</u>:

90 – 100	**A**
80 – 89	**B**
70 – 79	**C**
60 – 69	**D**
Below 60	**F**

<u>**Evaluation:**</u>

Three Exam (18% each)	**54%**
Final Exam	**25%**
Quiz	**6%**
Homework	**15%**
Total	**100%**

Tests:
Approximately 3 in-class major exams and a **comprehensive** final will be given. Absence on a test date is severely discouraged! If an exam is missed for any reason, then the exam must be made up in the Testing Center prior to the next exam. Do not contact me if you miss an exam; I will not respond, but I will place your make up exam in the Testing Center. ***NO exam will be "dropped" or replaced.*** Extra credit will not be added to make up exams. The exams are closed-notes, closed-book non-collaborative exams. The exams will definitely take place at the dates prescribed in the included class schedule at the scheduled exam times (barring an event that closes the college), so please plan your schedule accordingly.

Homework: Most homework will be completed online using Webassign.net

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Class Key: hccs 6503 8784

Calculator: A scientific or graphing calculator is recommended for this course. Please see your professor.

HCC Policy Statement - ADA

Services to Students with Disabilities

Any student with a documented disability (e.g. physical, learning, psychiatric, vision, hearing, etc.) who needs to arrange reasonable accommodations must contact the Disability Services Office at his or her respective college at the beginning of each semester. Faculty members are authorized to provide only the accommodations requested by the Disability Support Services Office. Persons needing accommodations due to a documented disability should contact the ADA counselor for their college as soon as possible. For questions, please contact Donna Price at 713.718.5165. To visit the ADA Web site, please visit www.hccs.edu then click Future students, scroll down the page and click on the words Disability Information.

HCC Policy Statement: Academic Honesty

A student who is academically dishonest is, by definition, not showing that the coursework has been learned, and that student is claiming an advantage not available to other students. The instructor is responsible for measuring each student's individual achievements and also for ensuring that all students compete on a level playing field. Thus, in our system, the instructor has teaching, grading, and enforcement roles. You are expected to be familiar with the University's Policy on Academic Honesty, found in the catalog. What that means is: If you are charged with an offense, pleading ignorance of the rules will not help you. Students are responsible for conducting themselves with honor and integrity in fulfilling course requirements. Penalties and/or disciplinary proceedings may be

initiated by College System officials against a student accused of scholastic dishonesty. "Scholastic dishonesty": includes, but is not limited to, cheating on a test, plagiarism, and collusion.

Cheating on a test includes:
- Copying from another students' test paper;
- Using materials not authorized by the person giving the test;
- Collaborating with another student during a test without authorization;
- Knowingly using, buying, selling, stealing, transporting, or soliciting in whole or part the contents of a test not yet administered;
- Bribing another person to obtain a test that is to be administered.

Plagiarism means the appropriation of another's work and the unacknowledged incorporation of that work in one's own written work offered for credit.

Collusion mean the unauthorized collaboration with another person in preparing written work offered for credit. Possible punishments for academic dishonesty may include a grade of 0 or F in the particular assignment, failure in the course, and/or recommendation for probation or dismissal from the College System. (See the Student Handbook)

HCC Policy Statements

Class Attendance - It is important that you come to class! Attending class regularly is the best way to succeed in this class. Research has shown that the single most important factor in student success is attendance. Simply put, going to class greatly increases your ability to succeed. You are expected to be on time at the beginning of each class period. For complete information regarding Houston Community College's policies on attendance, please refer to the Student Handbook. You are responsible for materials covered during your absences. Class attendance is checked daily. Although it is your responsibility to drop a course for nonattendance, the instructor has the authority to drop you for excessive absences. Attendance is key for your success. After 12.5% absences (3) the instructor can withdraw the student unless notified that there are extenuating circumstances. **Final day for students withdrawing is December 30th 2015.**

If you are not attending class, you are not learning the information. As the information that is discussed in class is important for your career, **students may be dropped from a course after accumulating absences in excess of six (6) hours of instruction**. The six hours of class time would include any total classes missed or for excessive tardiness or leaving class early.

You may decide NOT to come to class for whatever reason. As an adult making the decision not to attend, you do not have to notify the instructor prior to missing a class. However, if this happens too many times, you may suddenly find that you have "lost" the class.

Poor attendance records tend to correlate with poor grades. If you miss any class, including the first week, you are responsible for all material missed. It is a good idea to find a friend or a buddy in class who would be willing to share class notes or discussion or be able to hand in your work if you unavoidably miss a class

HCC Course Withdrawal Policy

If you feel that you cannot complete this course, you will need to withdraw from the course prior to the final date of withdrawal. Before, you withdraw from your course; please take the time to meet with the instructor to discuss why you feel it is necessary to do so. The instructor may be able to provide you with suggestions that would enable you to complete the course. Your success is very important. Beginning in fall 2007, the Texas Legislature passed a law limiting first time entering freshmen to no more than **SIX** total course withdrawals **throughout** their educational career in obtaining a certificate and/or degree.

To help students avoid having to drop/withdraw from any class, HCC has instituted an Early Alert process by which your professor *may* "alert" you and HCC counselors that you might fail a class because of excessive absences and/or poor academic performance. It is your responsibility to visit with your professor or a counselor to learn about what, if any, HCC interventions might be available to assist you – online tutoring, child care, financial aid, job placement, etc. – to stay in class and improve your academic performance.

If you plan on withdrawing from your class, you **MUST** contact a HCC counselor or your professor prior to withdrawing (dropping) the class for approval and this must be done **PRIOR** to the withdrawal deadline to receive a "W" on your transcript. ****Final withdrawal deadlines vary each semester and/or depending on class length, please visit the online registration calendars, HCC schedule of classes and catalog, any HCC Registration Office, or any HCC counselor to determine class withdrawal deadlines. *Remember to allow a 24-hour response time when communicating via email and/or telephone with a professor and/or counselor. Do not submit a request to discuss withdrawal options less than a day before the deadline.* If you do not withdraw before the deadline, you will receive the grade that you are making in the class as your final grade. The last day to withdraw December 30th 2015 .

Repeat Course Fee

The State of Texas encourages students to complete college without having to repeat failed classes. To increase student success, students who repeat the same course more than twice, are required to pay extra tuition. The purpose of this extra tuition fee is to encourage students to pass their courses and to graduate. Effective fall 2006, HCC will charge a higher tuition rate to students registering the third or subsequent time for a course. If you are considering course withdrawal because you are not earning passing grades, confer with your instructor/counselor as early as possible about your study habits, reading and writing homework, test taking skills, attendance, course participation, and opportunities for tutoring or other assistance that might be available.

Use of Camera and/or Recording Devices

As a student active in the learning community of this course, it is your responsibility to be respectful of the learning atmosphere in your classroom. To show respect of your fellow students and instructor, you will turn off your phone and other electronic devices, and will not use these devices in the classroom unless you receive permission from the instructor.

Use of recording devices, including camera phones and tape recorders, is prohibited in classrooms, laboratories, faculty offices, and other locations where instruction, tutoring, or testing occurs. Students with disabilities who need to use a recording device as a reasonable accommodation should contact the Office for Students with Disabilities for information regarding reasonable accommodations

Personal Communication Device Policy:

All personal communication devices (any device with communication capabilities including but not limited to cell phones, blackberries, pagers, cameras, palmtop computers, lap tops, PDA's, radios, headsets, portable fax machines, recorders, organizers, databanks, and electronic dictionaries or translators) must be muted or turned off during class. Such activity during class time is deemed to be disruptive to the academic process. Personal communication devices are to not be on the student desk during examinations. Usage of such devices during exams is expressly prohibited during examinations and will be considered cheating (see academic honesty section above).

Student Course Reinstatement Policy:

Students have a responsibility to arrange payment for their classes when they register, either through cash, credit card, financial aid, or the installment plan. Faculty members have a responsibility to check their class rolls regularly, especially during the early weeks of a term, and reconcile the official class roll to ensure that no one is attending class whose name does not appear on it. Students who are dropped from their courses for nonpayment of tuition and fees who request reinstatement after the official date of record (OE Date) can be reinstated by making payment in full and paying an additional \$75 per course reinstatement fee. A student requesting reinstatement should present the registrar with a completed **Enrollment Authorization Form** with the signature of the instructor, department chair, or dean who should verify that the student has been attending class regularly. Students who are reinstated are responsible for all course policies and procedures, including attendance requirements.

Resources:

Free tutoring is available at **the Katy Campus in Room 150J.** Additional help is also available through Student Support Services. Students can get free assistance, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, in Math, English and other subjects, at www.hccs.askonline.net. Typically, posted questions are answered by an HCC tutor or faculty within 24 hours (usually under 6 hours). There are also several online math resources that you can find with an internet search. You may also find information on the Learning Web site accessible through your specific HCCS campus website.

Administration contact information

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For issues related to your class, please first contact your instructor.
If you need to contact departmental administration, then contact the appropriate Associate Chair.
If further administrative contact is necessary, then contact the appropriate Department Chair.