



## **MATH 120 - Calculus I Course Outline**

**Approval Date:** 03/10/2022

**Effective Date:** 08/12/2022

### **SECTION A**

**Unique ID Number** CCC000561098

**Discipline(s)** Mathematics

**Division** Mathematics

**Subject Area** Mathematics

**Subject Code** MATH

**Course Number** 120

**Course Title** Calculus I

**TOP Code/SAM Code** 1701.00 - Mathematics, General / E - Non-Occupational

**Rationale for adding this course to the curriculum** COR update.

**Units** 5

**Cross List** N/A

**Typical Course Weeks** 18

**Total Instructional Hours**

#### **Contact Hours**

**Lecture** 90.00

**Lab** 0.00

**Activity** 0.00

**Work Experience** 0.00

**Outside of Class Hours** 180.00

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**Total Contact Hours** 90

**Total Student Hours** 270

**Open Entry/Open Exit** No

**Maximum Enrollment** 35

**Grading Option** Letter Grade Only

**Distance Education Mode of Instruction** On-Campus  
Hybrid

Entirely Online  
Online with Proctored Exams

## SECTION B

**General Education Information:**

## SECTION C

### Course Description

**Repeatability** May be repeated 0 times

**Catalog Description** Math 120 is the first semester of a three course sequence in differential and integral calculus. Topics include functions, limits and continuity, techniques and applications of differentiation and integration, and the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus. Primarily for students majoring in mathematics, engineering or sciences. Transfers to both UC/CSU

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## SECTION D

### Condition on Enrollment

#### 1a. Prerequisite(s)

- MATH 108 with a minimum grade of C or better and
- MATH 106 with a minimum grade of C or better or
- appropriate placement

**1b. Corequisite(s):** *None*

**1c. Recommended:** *None*

**1d. Limitation on Enrollment:** *None*

## SECTION E

### Course Outline Information

#### 1. Student Learning Outcomes:

- A. Compute derivatives of elementary functions and their algebraic combinations.
- B. Solve applications involving derivatives.
- C. Evaluate definite and indefinite integrals using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.
- D. Write mathematical proofs.

#### 2. Course Objectives: Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- A. Compute the limit of a function at a real number;
- B. Determine if a function is continuous at a real number;
- C. Find the derivative of a function as a limit;
- D. Find the equation of a tangent line to a function;
- E. Compute derivatives using differentiation formulas;
- F. Use differentiation to solve applications such as related rate problems and optimization problems;
- G. Use implicit differentiation;
- H. Graph functions using methods of calculus;
- I. Evaluate a definite integral as a limit;
- J. Evaluate integrals using the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus;
- K. Apply integration to find area.

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### 3. Course Content

- 1) Definition and computation of limits using numerical, graphical, and algebraic approaches;
- 2) Continuity and differentiability of functions;
- 3) Derivative as a limit;
- 4) Interpretation of the derivative as: slope of tangent line, a rate of change;
- 5) Differentiation formulas: constants, power rule, product rule, quotient rule and chain rule;
- 6) Derivatives of transcendental functions such as trigonometric, exponential or logarithmic;
- 7) Implicit differentiation with applications, and differentiation of inverse functions;
- 8) Higher-order derivatives;
- 9) Graphing functions using first and second derivatives, concavity and asymptotes;
- 10) Maximum and minimum values, and optimization;
- 11) Mean Value Theorem;
- 12) Antiderivatives and indefinite integrals;
- 13) Area under a curve;
- 14) Definite integral; Riemann sum;
- 15) Properties of the integral;
- 16) Fundamental Theorem of Calculus;
- 17) Integration by substitution;
- 18) Indeterminate forms and L'Hopital's Rule;

### 4. Methods of Instruction:

**Discussion:**

**Lecture:**

**Other:** Practice problems

**5. Methods of Evaluation:** Describe the general types of evaluations for this course and provide at least two, specific examples.

### Typical classroom assessment techniques

Exams/Tests --

Quizzes --

Projects --

Home Work --

Final Exam --

Additional assessment information:

The Mathematics Department maintains a commitment to diverse teaching methods in courses emphasizing vital quantitative skills and qualitative reasoning ability (PEP Program Mission Statement, 2011). To that end, it is expected that sufficient formative assessments will be given to students that in frequency, length and rigor adequately assess both quantitative skills and qualitative reasoning.

Examples:

1) An exam including differentiation where the student would be expected to calculate derivatives using a variety of techniques (power rule, product rule, quotient rule, and the chain rule).

2) An exam including integration where the student would be expected to find antiderivatives for a variety of functions using manipulation and u-substitutions and calculate definite integrals using area of rectangles and the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.

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**6. Assignments:** State the general types of assignments for this course under the following categories and provide at least two specific examples for each section.

A. Reading Assignments

Read sections from the text, for example:

1. Read the section on the chain rule for derivatives
2. Read the section on the Mean Value Theorem

B. Writing Assignments

Daily homework will be completed from the text, for example:

1. Find the largest open-top box that can be constructed with 200 square feet of cardboard.
2. Find the area under  $f(x) = x$  between  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$  as the limit of a sum.

C. Other Assignments

Other assignments such as research into applications or group projects assigned at instructors' discretion.

**7. Required Materials**

**A. EXAMPLES of typical college-level textbooks (for degree-applicable courses) or other print materials.**

Book #1:

Author: Stewart, James  
Title: Calculus, Early Transcendentals  
Publisher: Cengage  
Date of Publication: 2020  
Edition: 9th

**B. Other required materials/supplies.**

- This text may be accompanied by an online homework component in the platform of the publisher.