Course Contract: Math 1226 - Calculus  
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Instructor  
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Text  
*Calculus: Early Transcendentals* (8th Edition) with WebAssign Access, Stewart  

Prerequisites  
The prerequisite is Math 1225 (minimum grade of C-) or an equivalent course.  

Websites  
- Marx Homepage: www.math.vt.edu/people/marxg  
- Math 1226 Course Website: www.math.vt.edu/courses/math1226  
- Scholar: https://scholar.vt.edu  
- WebAssign: www.webassign.net  

Grading  
- **Quizzes (10%)**: Your lowest quiz grade will be dropped. No makeup quizzes will be given. If you must miss a quiz, it will count as your dropped grade.  
- **WebAssign (10%)**  
- **Three Tests (20% each)**:  
  You must take tests on the specified date. Usually, makeup exams will not be given. If a student misses an exam for reasons that are serious, unavoidable, and beyond the student's control, the situation will be handled on an individual basis. When possible, the student should notify the teacher before missing the work.  
- **Final Exam (20%)**:  
  Tuesday, May 9 at 7:00PM-9:00PM  
  The final exam is a required class meeting that will not be rescheduled for discretionary reasons, including conflicts with work schedules, conflicts with classes and exams at other colleges, and travel plans.  

A 90% will guarantee an A-, 80% a B-, 70% a C-, 60% a D-.  

**Basic Skills Review:**
The deadline for completing the Basic Skills Review is midnight on Thursday, January 26. You have 6 attempts at the multiple choice quiz, as well as unlimited practice. The quiz and practice can be found on the Math 1226 course website listed above. If you are not able to pass the quiz, please talk to me as soon as possible about switching into Math 1225.

**Attendance and Communication**
Class attendance will be taken daily and kept for Mathematics Department records. Students are responsible for course materials and announcements covered in class. Students are also responsible for information delivered via Scholar or email.

**Honor System**
All assignments, tests, and quizzes submitted will be considered graded work and must be completed on an individual basis. No consultation is permitted on tests and in-class quizzes. WebAssign quizzes may be discussed with other students as well as with the instructor. However, in submitting solutions on a WebAssign quiz, each student works alone (without other students or other students' papers) and certifies that what is written and/or submitted accurately represents the student's own understanding of the material expressed in the student's own words. In working, or in preparing to work, WebAssign quiz problems, students may not consult partial or complete solutions of the problems that have been prepared by anyone else. The prohibited solutions include, but are not limited to, solutions by current or former teachers or students at VT or elsewhere, whether these solutions are posted on the web or available from other sources. The honor code applies to all graded work in this course.

The Undergraduate Honor Code pledge that each member of the university community agrees to abide by states:

“As a Hokie, I will conduct myself with honor and integrity at all times. I will not lie, cheat, or steal, nor will I accept the actions of those who do.”

Students enrolled in this course are responsible for abiding by the Honor Code. A student who has doubts about how the Honor Code applies to any assignment is responsible for obtaining specific guidance from the course instructor before submitting the assignment for evaluation. Ignorance of the rules does not exclude any member of the University community from the requirements and expectations of the Honor Code. For additional information about the Honor Code, please visit: https://www.honorsystem.vt.edu/.

**Grading Disputes**
Grading disputes should be brought to my attention within one week of return of the assignment. Appeals outside of this time frame will not be considered.
**Classroom Courtesy Statement**
You and your classmates are here to learn, and that happens best in an atmosphere of mutual respect with freedom from distractions and disturbances. All of us should abide by the Virginia Tech Principles of Community.

**Special Needs**
If you need adaptations or accommodations because of a documented disability, if you have emergency medical information to share with me, or if you need special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please make an appointment to see me in my office.