

	School of Arts & Science MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT MATH 108-001A Applied Calculus Quarter or Semester/Year
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COURSE OUTLINE

The course description is online @ <http://camosun.ca/learn/calendar/current/web/math.html>

1. Instructor Information

(a)	Instructor:	Laura Shepherd		
(b)	Office Hours:	M – F 9:30 – 11:30 and M, T, Th 12:30 – 2:20		
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(f)	Website:	See Mathematics Department webpage.		

2. Intended Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this course the student will be able to:

1. Find the limit of elementary functions as the independent variable approaches some finite value or approaches infinity.
2. Find the derivative of simple functions using the definition of the derivative.
3. Find the derivative of functions (polynomial, trigonometric, logarithmic and exponential functions) using the product, quotient and chain rule.
4. Find the derivative using implicit differentiation.
5. Solve problems involving rates of change.
6. Find relative and absolute extrema of functions.
7. Sketch graphs of functions identifying such features as relative extrema, intervals where the function is increasing and decreasing, points of inflection, intervals where the function is concave up and concave down, and asymptotes.
8. Solve problems that involve maximizing or minimizing some variable associated with the problem.
9. Find the approximate area under a curve using the area of a set of approximating rectangles.
10. Evaluate a definite and an indefinite integral of polynomial, trigonometric, logarithmic and exponential functions using the Fundamental theorem of Calculus.
11. Evaluate integrals using the method of substitution.
12. Use integration to find the area between two curves.
13. Evaluate a definite and indefinite integral by the method of integration by parts.
14. Solve elementary differential equations using the method of separation of variables.
15. Solve problems using differential and integral calculus that involve applications from business and/or biological sciences.

3. Required Materials

- (a) Texts: RN Greenwell, NP Ritchey and ML Lial, *Calculus with Applications for the Life Sciences*, Custom Edition for Camosun College, Pearson, 2003.

Note: The custom edition of the textbook is a less expensive, paperback version of the regular 1st edition of the textbook with chapters 9, 10, 12 and 13 omitted as they are not necessary.

- (b) Calculator: As per Math Department policy, the only calculator permitted for use on tests and the final exam is the Sharp EL-531X (or EL-531W) scientific calculator. No other make/model of calculator is permitted, nor are other electronic devices such as cell phones, iPods, electronic translators, etc.

4. Course Content and Schedule

Tentative quiz dates:

- Test 1: Friday September 21st.
- Test 2: Friday October 19th.
- Test 3: Friday November 2nd.
- Test 4: Friday November 16th.
- Test 5: Friday November 30th.

5. Basis of Student Assessment (Weighting)

- (a) Quizzes: Five in class quizzes. (50%)
- (b) Exams: Final Exam. (50% or 100%)

*Note: There are **NO MAKE-UP TESTS**. If you miss a test please see me to get a copy of the missed test.

**Note: If you write every quiz and attain an average of 50% or more and your mark on the final exam is higher than your term grade, then your final exam mark will count for 100% of your grade.

6. Grading System

Standard Grading System (GPA)

Percentage	Grade	Description	Grade Point Equivalency
90-100	A+		9
85-89	A		8
80-84	A-		7
77-79	B+		6
73-76	B		5
70-72	B-		4
65-69	C+		3
60-64	C		2
50-59	D	Minimum level of achievement for which credit is granted; a course with a "D" grade cannot be used as a prerequisite.	1
0-49	F	Minimum level has not been achieved.	0

Temporary Grades

Temporary grades are assigned for specific circumstances and will convert to a final grade according to the grading scheme being used in the course. See Grading Policy E-1.5 at camosun.ca for information on conversion to final grades, and for additional information on student record and transcript notations.

Temporary Grade	Description
I	<i>Incomplete:</i> A temporary grade assigned when the requirements of a course have not yet been completed due to hardship or extenuating circumstances, such as illness or death in the family.
IP	<i>In progress:</i> A temporary grade assigned for courses that, due to design may require a further enrollment in the same course. No more than two IP grades will be assigned for the same course. (For these courses a final grade will be assigned to either the 3 rd course attempt or at the point of course completion.)
CW	<i>Compulsory Withdrawal:</i> A temporary grade assigned by a Dean when an instructor, after documenting the prescriptive strategies applied and consulting with peers, deems that a student is unsafe to self or others and must be removed from the lab, practicum, worksite, or field placement.

7. Recommended Materials or Services to Assist Students to Succeed Throughout the Course

LEARNING SUPPORT AND SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

There are a variety of services available for students to assist them throughout their learning. This information is available in the College calendar, at Student Services, or the College web site at camosun.ca.

STUDENT CONDUCT POLICY

There is a Student Conduct Policy **which includes plagiarism**.
It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the content of this policy.
The policy is available in each School Administration Office, at Student Services,
and the College web site in the Policy Section.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AS APPROPRIATE OR AS REQUIRED