

# **MA16010 Different Class Structures**

## **Traditional:**

- a. It meets three times a week for 50 minutes each.
- b. The structure of a traditional class is the usual structure that one would expect. Instructors lecture for the majority of the class time.
- c. Graded work includes exams, quizzes and homework.

## **IMPACT:**

- a. IMPACT class meets only twice a week for 50 minutes each.
- b. Students preview the new material by watching the lecture videos and/or reading the e-text before class. In class, students spend most of the time doing hands on problem solving. Students receive immediate feedback and help in class.
- c. Graded work includes exams, worksheets, and homework.
- d. When registering, in addition to selecting the section with the meeting time, students also need to select the independent study section. This is how the registration is set up. No need to worry about the reason why.

## **Notes:**

- a. For all students, traditional or IMPACT, there are free tutoring services available on campus, as well as Piazza, an online discussion forum.
- b. Exams and homework assignments are the same for all students, regardless of the class structure.
- c. As far as total time spent on this course, there is no significant difference for the different class structures.