# MA 158 general info

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### Who are you?

- Name
- Major
- Something interesting about you or
- Something you are looking forward to this fall

# Internet things

- All homework through Loncapa
- Blackboard
- My webpage: math.purdue.edu/~egbertn
- Course webpage: math.purdue.edu/ma158
- Online discussion via Piazza

# Grading

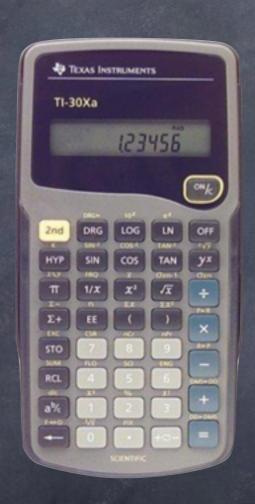
Homework	50 points	
Quizzes	50 points	
Exam 1	100 points	
Exam 2	100 points	
Exam 3	100 points	
Final Exam	200 points	
Total	500 points	

One exam or half the final will be dropped

# Grading

Average	Grade	Average	Grade
98-100	A+	70-74	C+
90-97	А	65-69	С
88-89	A-	60-64	C-
86-87	B+	57-59	D+
78-85	В	50-56	D
75-77	B-	0-49	F

# Calculator policy





TI-30Xa

#### Homework

- 36 HW assignments, 20 points each
- Due 7:00a day of next lecture
- Exception: week 1 assignments due 8/29
- No extensions
- 2 lowest scores dropped
- Consult course calendar

#### Quizzes

- Quizzes given often
- 4 points each, 5-7 minutes
- No make-up quizzes
- No early quizzes
- You must turn in your own quiz

#### Exams

- 3 one-hour midterms
- Comprehensive two-hour final
- All multiple choice
- No make-up exams
- Dates: 14 Sept, 17 Oct, 16 Nov, all at 6:30p

#### Exams

- Exam attendance required except GAPS/MAPS
- No make-up exams
- University-affiliated conflicts: contact Dave Norris (norris@purdue.edu)
- Academic dishonesty is not tolerated

#### Attendance

- Lecture attendance not required, but quiz grades will suffer
- Grief Absence Attendance Policy for Students: notify ODoS at 765-494-1747
- Military Absence Attendance Policy for Students: notify ODoS

#### Students with disabilities

If you have been certified by the Disability Resource Center (DRC) as eligible for academic adjustments on exams or quizzes see www.math.purdue.edu/ada for exam and quiz procedures for your mathematics course or go to MATH 202 for paper copies. In the event that you are waiting to be certified by the Disability Resource Center we encourage you to review our procedures prior to being certified. For all in-class accommodations please see your instructors outside class hours -- before or after class or during office hours -- to share your Accommodation Memorandum for the current semester and discuss your accommodations as soon as possible.

# Getting help

- Math help room
  - MATH 211 MTWR 11:30a 3:30p
  - Opens Wednesday 24 August
- COSINE, WISP, SI, etc. (see webpage)

# Changing to a Lower Course

- If you are finding this class too difficult, you have the opportunity to drop to MA 15300 College Algebra
- You will need a signature from your advisor and the MA 153 course coordinator Patrick Devlin (MATH 804)
- You have until Friday, September 26 to drop back to MA 15300.

# Campus Emergencies

- In the event of a major campus emergency, course requirements, exam dates, deadlines, and grading procedures are subject to change due to a revised semester calendar or other circumstances. Visit the MA 15800 website or contact the course coordinator if you have questions (MATH 810, norris@purdue.edu).
- Emergency Preparedness