



MWF PERIOD 6, MAT 103, Section 7860 of MHF 3202.

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 11:45 – 12:10 and 1:55 – 2:20.

This course is an introduction to formal mathematics. The emphasis in this course is not on learning facts, but rather on learning how to write clear and rigorous proofs. Some of the material covered in this course may be quite familiar to you. The goal is to understand and write about this material in a formal mathematical way. In addition to attending class, you are expected to carefully read the appropriate sections in the text, and spend time working problems. You are encouraged to get together with other students to discuss problems. Of course, for the problems which you turn in for a grade, you must write up your work individually, and you may not copy from another student.

Text: Daniel J. Velleman, How to prove it, a structured approach, second edition, Cambridge University Press, New York, NY 10013.

The assignments will be added here, as the course progresses. These assignments will not be turned in for a grade. Students are expected to do the assignments as part of the preparation for the exams.

Read the Introduction Pages 1 – 6, and Section 1.1, Pages 8 – 13. Work problems # 1, 2, 3, 4, 7 (all parts of each).

Some homework assignments will be turned in for a grade. These will be added here.

Exam dates will be added here. Also, links to Sample Problems will be added here.

Grades will be based on three exams given in class during the semester, a cumulative final exam, and homework assignments. Each of the three exams during the semester will be worth 40 points. The final exam will be worth 50 points. Homework will be worth a total of 30 points. So there are 200 possible points. The final exam will be given during the regular final exam period for this section, which is Thursday, May 3, 7:30AM – 9:30AM. Grades will be assigned according to the following:

A: 180-200 A-: 175-179 B+: 170-174 B: 160-169 B-: 155-159
C+: 150-154 C: 140-149 C-: 135-139 D+: 130-134 D: 120-129

Closed-book policy: No use of calculators, or books will be allowed during any in-class tests.

Policy related to make-up exams: Written medical documentation is required for makeup exams.

Policy on class attendance: Daily attendance is required as consistent with university policies that can be found in the online catalog at: <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx>.

University's honesty policy: UF students are bound by The Honor Pledge which states, "We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to hold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honor and integrity by abiding by the Honor Code". On all work submitted for credit by students at the University of Florida, the following pledge is either required or implied: "On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid in doing this assignment." The Honor Code (<http://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code/>) specifies a number of behaviors that are in violation of this code and the possible sanctions. Furthermore, you are obligated to report any condition that facilitates academic misconduct to appropriate personnel. If you have any questions or concerns, please consult with the instructor.

For students with disabilities: Students requesting classroom accommodation must first register with the Dean of Students Office. The Dean of Students Office will provide documentation to the student who must then provide this documentation to the Instructor when requesting accommodation.

Students' evaluations of the course: Students are expected to provide feedback on the quality of instruction in this course based on 10 criteria. These evaluations are conducted online at <https://evaluations.ufl.edu>. Evaluations are typically open during the last two or three weeks of the semester, but students will be given specific times when they are open. Summary results of these

assessments are available to students at <https://evaluations.ufl.edu/results>.

Grades: Grading will be in accord with the UF policy stated at <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/grades.aspx>.

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Class Attendance: “Requirements for class attendance and make-up exams, assignments, and other work in this course are consistent with university policies that can be found at: <https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx>.”

Accommodations for Students with Disabilities: “Students with disabilities requesting accommodations should first register with the Disability Resource Center (352-392-8565, <https://www.dso.ufl.edu/drc/>) by providing appropriate documentation. Once registered, students will receive an accommodation letter which must be presented to the instructor when requesting accommodation. Students with disabilities should follow this procedure as early as possible in the semester.”

Online Evaluations: “Students are expected to provide feedback on the quality of instruction in this course by completing online evaluations at <https://evaluations.ufl.edu>. Evaluations are typically open during the last two or three weeks of the semester, but students will be given specific times when they are open. Summary results of these assessments are available to students at <https://evaluations.ufl.edu/results/>.”

Contact information for the Counseling and Wellness Center: <http://www.counseling.ufl.edu/cwc/Default.aspx>, 392-1575; and the University Police Department: 392-1111 or 9-1-1 for emergencies.

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