## MAT 127 Syllabus Fall 2019

The textbook is <u>Single Variable Calculus (Stony Brook University Edition)</u> by James Stewart,

This course will cover Chapter 7 and Chapter 8 of this book as well as a section on second order linear equations. A separate set of notes will be available for this last topic, which is not in your text.

Each student will have two options for the course grade. A student may choose which option just before the time of the final. (The final takes place on Monday, Dec 16 from 11:15 AM to 1:45 PM

FIRST OPTION: The course grade will be based on a number of exams in class. Regular class attendance is required. Absence is not an excuse for not taking an exam, however, for the course grade the lowest score on these exams will be deleted and if there is an absence the zero for that test will be the deleted score. There will be no make-ups. THIS OPTION IS EXERCISED BY NOT TAKING THE FINAL.

SECOND OPTION: The in- class exams described in the first option will be entirely advisory. The entire grade will be determined by the final. THIS OPTION IS EXERCISED BY TAKING AND TURNING IN THE FINAL FOR GRADING.

Grading is <u>not based on a curve</u>. We will be very happy to assign all A's if you all earn A grades. However, if you all do poorly we will not hesitate to assign all poor grades. This is not a competition. We hope you all do well.

Homework will be assigned in lecture. This will not contribute to the course grade. We will not use webassign.

If you have a physical, psychological, medical or learning disability that may impact your course work, please contact Disability Support Services, ECC (Educational Communications Center) Building, room128, (631) 632-6748. They will determine with you what accommodations, if any, are necessary and appropriate. All information and documentation is confidential.

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