

Recitation Syllabus
Calculus 2 (MA 114) – Section 006
Fall 2016 Semester

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F 2:00pm - 3:00pm (Mathskeller)

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Recitations

Meeting Times	Meeting Place
Tuesday and Thursday 11:00am 12:15pm	CPB 103

All general information about Calculus 2 can be found in the course web page:

<http://www.ms.uky.edu/droyster/ma114F16/>

Keys for Success

Recitation Section Goals: The goal of the recitation is not actually to get correct answers rather, it is to uncover and identify misunderstandings through dialogue and discussion. Correct answers are important, but most important is finding our flawed thinking. During recitation we are going to solve worksheets, asking questions and discuss about them in groups, and taking quizzes. Only if we finish the worksheet early, we may discuss about homework. If you have any question regarding your homework you may come in my office during my office hours, or you may use Mathskeller. Homework and worksheets are designed to help you learn to communicate and interpret your solutions as well as to receive feedback on your work. The MA 114 exams will contain questions that require you to explain the steps in your solutions and interpret your answer in a clear manner. The materials covered in the homework, quizzes and worksheets provides you with an excellent opportunity to hone your readiness for the each exam.

Come prepared to participate! During recitations, you'll be working in small groups on problems that correspond with material covered in lecture. I will assign groups every two-three weeks. I will be ready to nudge your group in the right direction if you get stuck, but I will never rob you of the satisfaction of discovering the solution for yourselves.

Recitation and Participation Points: There are 100 attendance and recitation points. Web homework will count 160 points, quizzes given in recitation will count 40 points, recitation attendance and attendance in lecture will have 50 points each. At the end, the total will be divided by 3.

Attendance policy: Attendance will be taken each recitation. Students who miss recitation due to illness, family emergency, or a university sanctioned activity should request an excused absence from me. Any other absence is considered unexcused. Failure to participate in recitation, arriving more than 5 minutes late, or leaving more than 5 minutes early (without a valid excuse) will also result in an unexcused absence. If there are special circumstances that will cause you to be late to class on a regular basis, let me know.

About MA194: To receive a passing grade in MA 194, you must (a) receive no more than two unexcused absences in the semester during the recitation *AND* (b) obtain a passing grade (A, B, C, D) in MA 114. Your section number for MA 194 has to equal your section number for MA 114. That means, if you drop or change sections of MA 114, please make sure to also drop or change sections of MA 194! You are responsible to bring with you the worksheet which can be found at the link above.

Disability Accommodations: If you have a documented disability that requires academic accommodations, please see me as soon as possible during office hours. In order to receive accommodations in this course, you must provide me with a Letter of Accommodation from the Disability Resource Center for coordination of campus disability services available to students with disabilities.

Personal Conduct: While class is relatively informal, I ask that you exhibit common courtesy toward me and your fellow students and that you refrain from disruptive behavior. The university, college, and department has a commitment to respect the dignity of all and to value differences among members of our academic community. Students who are disrespectful, not civil, or disruptive in any way may be asked to leave the class.

You can also email with any questions. I will check my email throughout the work week (M-F 8:00am-5:00pm) and I will response "typically" within 24 hours. I reserve the right to change or amend this syllabus at any time. In this event, proper notice will be given in class.