

**THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO**  
**COLLEGE OF SCIENCE**  
DEPARTMENT OF Mathematical Sciences

Course #: Math 2301  
Course Title: Math for Social Sciences II  
Credit Hrs: 3.0  
Term: Summer I 2018  
Course Meetings & Location: MTWRF 11:40am-13:50pm  
Prerequisite Courses: An adequate score on a placement examination, or Math 1320 or Math 1508 or TCCN Math 1314.  
Course Fee: (if applicable) N/A  
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Office Hrs: Monday 4:20-5:20pm - Thursday 4:20-5:20pm, but stop by anytime you need.  
Textbook(s), Required: **Mathematics for Social Sciences II, UTEP last**  
Materials: **edition, by Stefan Waner, Steven R. Constenoble.**

. Strongly encouraged: TI-83 or TI-84 Calculator

Course Objectives (Learning Outcomes):  
1. Use matrix algebra for different applications.  
2. Learn the meaning and applications of the derivative.  
3. Learn how to apply several Techniques of Differentiation  
4. Learn the meaning and applications of the integral.

Chapter 5 - Matrix Algebra and Applications  
Chapter 10 - Introduction to the Derivative  
Chapter 11 - Techniques of Differentiation with Applications  
Chapter 12 - Further Applications of the Derivative  
Chapter 13 - The Integral

Course I will assign homework, and quizzes (in class)  
Activities/Assignments: that will be based in the textbook homework problems.

Assessment of Course Objectives: **Exams:** Two midterm exams will be given. There are no make-ups.

**Quizzes and hw:** Quizzed and hw will be given each week. There are no make-ups.

**Final Exam:** There is a comprehensive final exam.

Course Schedule: Tentative Course Schedule:

**6/11 - 6/15**

Chapter #5, Section 5.1 Matrix Addition and Scalar Multiplication, Ex 1, Matrix Addition and Subtraction. Scalar Multiplication. Section 5.2 Matrix Multiplication, the Product row x Column. Section 5.2 The product of two matrices General Case. Identify Matrix. Properties of transposition. Section 5.3 Matrix Inversion, Example 1. Finding the inverse of a Matrix. Inverting and  $n \times n$  Matrix. Using the inverse to solve a system of  $n$  Linear Equations in  $n$  Unknowns. Example 4. Chapter #10, Section 10.1 Limits: Numerical and Graphical Approaches. Ex 1. Definition of a Limit. Example 5. Section 10.2 Limits and Continuity.

**6/18 - 6/22**

Section 10.3 Limits and Continuity: Algebraic Approach. Theorem: Continuity of Closed-Form Functions. Limits at Infinite. Theorem: Evaluating the Limit of a Rational Function. Section 10.4 Average Rate of Change of a Function Using Numerical Data. Using Graphical Data. Examples. Review.

**Exam #1 on Thursday, 6/21**

Chapter 11, Section 11.1 The Product and Quotient Rules. Calculation Through Experiment, Applications, Ex 4.

**6/25 - 6/29**

Section 11.2 The Chain Rule. Chain Rule in Differential Notation, Example 5. Section 11.3 Derivatives of Logarithmic and Exponential Functions. Examples. Section 11.4 Implicit Differentiation, Examples. Chapter 12 Section 12.1 Maximum and Minima. Examples. Section 12.2 Application of Maxima and Minima. Section 12.3 The second Derivative. Differential Notation. Concavity. Section 12.4 Related Rates.

**Exam #2 on Friday, 6/29**

**Drop Deadline - Friday, June 29, 2018**

**7/2 - 7/6**

Chapter 13, Section 13.1. The Integral. Review.

**Final Exam: Monday, July 9, 1:00pm-3:45pm**

Grading Policy: **Quizzes, homework and class participation 25%**  
**Two in class exams 20% each**  
**Final exam: 35%**

The usual standard grading scale will be used (90-100% = A, 80-89% = B, 70-79% = C, etc.).

Make-up Policy: Make-up exams and quizzes will be given only in extraordinary circumstances, which must be documented as early as possible. No late homework accepted. **There is no makeup final exam.**

Attendance Policy: It is the student's responsibility to attend every class, if you miss a class, you will miss a lot of information. If you try to go from one class to another without studying, you will most likely be completely lost during the next class. Students are expected to arrive for class on time and to remain for the class entire period. It is essential to pay attention in class and take legible notes. It is essential to read the textbook and work through the example problems given in the book and class. Failure to accomplish the above, as a minimum almost invariably ensures a less than satisfactory grade for this course.

**The Drop Date is Friday June 29, 2018.**

**Final Exam: Monday, July 9, 1:00pm-3:45pm**

Academic Integrity Policy: The University policy is that all suspected cases or acts of alleged scholastic dishonesty must be referred to the Dean of Students for investigation and appropriate disposition. Any student who commits an act of scholastic dishonesty is subject to discipline. Scholastic dishonesty includes, but is not limited to cheating, plagiarism, collusion, the submission for credit of any work or materials that are attributable in whole or in part to another person, taking an examination for another person, any act designed to give unfair advantage to a student or the attempt to commit such acts. Each student is responsible for notice of and compliance with the provisions of the Regents' Rules and Regulations, which are available for inspection electronically at <http://www.utsystem.edu/bor/rules/homepage.htm>

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Civility Statement: Calculators may not be shared during quizzes and exams. Please do not use cell phones, pagers, iPods, MP3 players, blue tooth devices, etc. during class. Cell phones and pagers should be set to silent or vibrate, and any calls should be taken outside of class. Please do not wear headsets or blue tooth devices during class. Please don't talk in class. Cell phone calculators may not be used on quizzes or exams. Active participation in class is expected, teamwork in class will be implemented.

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Military Statement: If you are a military student with the potential of being called to military service and/or training during the semester, please contact me by the end of the first week of class