

Principles of Accounting I - ACCT 2301 03

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1 Contact Information

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2 Course Material (Required)

- Textbook
 - *Financial & Managerial Accounting*, by Warren, Jones, and Taylor, 15th Edition.
 - CengageNOW software (Code and ebook come together)
- 6 function calculator, (add, subtract, multiply and divide)- No cell phones will be used as calculators during class

3 Registration

1. Connect to
<https://www.cengage.com/dashboard/#/course-confirmation/E-Y84EUA63M4BP8/initial-course-confirmation>
2. Follow the prompts to register your CengageNOWv2 course.

4 Course Objectives

1. Develop an understanding of accounting concepts and procedures as they apply to the business cycles of revenue, expenditure, and conversion.
2. Use accounting information for short-term planning and decision-making.
3. Be able to record accounting transactions and complete the accounting cycle.
4. Apply internal control principles and procedures as they apply to cash.

5 Operating Procedures

- Every student must purchase an access code for Cengage. The electronic book comes with the access code. **You must have Cengage to be able to do the homework.**
- You have to read the chapter by the first day it is assigned.

- You are expected to bring your book, paper, pencil, and calculator to class each day to actively work/solve problems in class.
- No cell phones will be allowed at any time during class and must be silenced and in your backpack at all times. If there is an emergency, please step out of class to answer a phone call or to text someone.

6 Assignments, Quizzes, Exams, and Related Policies

6.1 Homework Assignments

Homework assignments are done on Cengage and the due dates are indicated in the schedule (Section 8- Assignments and Course Schedule). You have unlimited takes to do the homework up until the due date. Homework will NOT be accepted after it is due and please remember to click submit when finished. Homework grades will be based on percentage and quality of completion. For every homework completed on Cengage, you will receive a grade based on your score, ex: if you score 100% you will receive 10 points, if you score 85% you will receive 8.5 points. Listed on the schedule at the end of the syllabus (Section 8- Assignments and Course Schedule) are the due dates for homework assignments.

6.2 Pre-lecture Quizzes

Points are given based on the student's completion of the pre-lecture quiz on Cengage. These pre-lecture quizzes must be completed before 11:55 a.m. on the day we start the chapter (except the exam day). There is only one take for the pre-lecture quiz. For every pre-lecture quiz completed on Cengage, you will receive a grade based on your score, ex: if you score 100% you will receive 10 points, if you score 85% you will receive 8.5 points. Listed on the schedule at the end of the syllabus (Section 8- Assignments and Course Schedule) are the due dates for each pre-lecture quiz.

6.3 Chapter Quizzes

A chapter quiz will be given on Blackboard for each chapter. You must use the Respondus LockDown Browser to take the quiz. Each chapter quiz will include 10 multiple-choice questions and you have 20 minutes to complete the quiz. On the day we end the chapter, the quiz will be given at 12:01 a.m. and must be completed before 11:59 p.m.. There is only one take for the chapter quiz and no make-up quizzes are given. Listed on the schedule at the end of the syllabus (Section 8- Assignments and Course Schedule) are the due dates for each chapter quiz.

6.4 Exams

Three exams are scheduled during the semester. Each exam will include 25 multiple-choice questions and you have 80 minutes to complete the exam. Exams are done on Blackboard and you must use the Respondus LockDown Browser to take the exam. On the exam day, the exam will be given at 12:01 a.m. and must be completed before 11:59 p.m.. There is only one take for the exam and no make-up exams are given. Listed on the schedule at the end of the syllabus (Section 8- Assignments and Course Schedule) are the due dates for each exam.

6.5 Final Exam

The final exam will be given on Blackboard and will include 50 multiple-choice questions. You must use the Respondus LockDown Browser to take the final exam. This exam will be comprehensive and will count 20% of your course grade. It is a common final and all sections taking 2301 will take the final exam on the same day which for this semester **Monday, August 3rd. You have 2 hours and 45 minutes to complete this exam and no make-up final exam is given.** Listed on the schedule at the end of the syllabus (Section 8- Assignments and Course Schedule) are the due dates for the final exam.

6.6 Grading Policy

Component	Percentage of Final Grade
Homework (10 points each chapter)	110
Pre-lecture Quiz (10 points each chapter)	110
Quiz (10 points each chapter)	110
3 Exams (125 points each)	375
Final Exam-Comprehensive	200
Total Points	905

Grading Guidelines	
814.5 - 905	A
724 - 814.4	B
633.5 - 723.9	C
543 - 633.4	D
<543	F

7 Miscellaneous

7.1 Drop/Withdrawal Policy

The student drop deadline is **5:00 p.m. on July 24th**. You must have the drop form signed by your advisor and then you must take the form to Records, Academic Services Building Room 123. Students are responsible for seeing they are dropped by the deadline, and will automatically receive a grade of “W”. After the student drop deadline, Accounting Department policy states that neither the instructor nor the Chair of the department are allowed to sign drop forms.

7.2 Three-time Rule

The University has adopted a policy that limits undergraduate course enrollment. In most instances a student may enroll in an undergraduate class a maximum of three times, except with the permission of the student’s academic dean. This includes enrollments that result in a grade of “W”, “F”, “D”, or “P”. A student may not enroll in a course in which a grade of “C” or higher has been previously earned. Moreover, a student may not enroll in a course in which he or she has an unresolved grade of “I”. A student may enroll more than three times in a course that is identified as “may be repeated for credit.”

7.3 Scholastic Dishonesty

Any student caught using a phone, taking a picture, texting, etc., or using any other type of technology during an exam will be given a zero and turned over to the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution. The University of Texas at El Paso prides itself on its standards of academic excellence. In all matters of intellectual pursuit, UTEP faculty and students must strive to achieve based on the quality of the work produced by the individual. In the classroom and in all other academic activities, students are expected to uphold the highest standards of academic integrity. Any form of scholastic dishonesty is an affront to the pursuit of knowledge and jeopardizes the quality of the degree awarded to all graduates of UTEP. Any student who commits an act of scholastic dishonesty is subject to discipline. Scholastic dishonesty includes, but is not limited to cheating, plagiarism, collusion, and 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. Proven violations of the detailed regulations, as printed in the Handbook of Operating Procedures (HOP) and available in the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution, may result in sanctions ranging from disciplinary probation, to failing grades on the work in question, to failing grades in the course, to suspension or dismissal, among others.

7.4 Student Standards of Conduct

Each student is responsible for notice of and compliance with the Regents' Rules and Regulations and the rules of the University. Copies of the Regents' Rules and Regulations and all University rules are available for review in the office of: President, Vice President for Student Affairs, Dean of Students, Student Activities, and the University Library.

All students are expected and required to obey the law, to comply with the Regents' Rules and Regulations, with System and University rules, with directives issued by an administrative official in the course of his or her authorized duties, and to observe standards of conduct appropriate for the University. A student who enrolls at the University is charged with the obligation to conduct him/herself in a manner compatible with the University's function as an educational institution.

Any student who engages in conduct that is prohibited by Regents' Rules and Regulations, UT System or University rules, specific instructions issued by an administrative official or by federal, state, or local laws is subject to discipline whether such conduct takes place on or off campus or whether civil or criminal penalties are also imposed for such conduct.

7.5 Policy on Disruptive Acts

The obstruction or disruption of any teaching, research, administrative, disciplinary, public service or other authorized activity on campus or on property owned or controlled by the University is prohibited and will subject the student or group of students to disciplinary action.

An instructor may deny a student access to participate in class activity for up to two individual classes (or course related activity periods) for behavior that is disruptive to the learning or teaching environment. Individuals so denied may be immediately referred to the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution for additional disciplinary intervention including withdrawal from the course.

7.6 Campus Carry

Persons who hold a Concealed Handgun License can lawfully carry their gun into a UTEP classroom as long as it remains concealed. Open carry remains prohibited on campus. Should you feel someone is intentionally displaying a gun (or any other weapon for that matter), do not hesitate to call Campus Police (X 5611) or 9-1-1. For more information on campus carry, see <http://sa.utep.edu/campuscarry/>; for more information on overall campus safety, see <http://admin.utep.edu/emergency>

7.7 Students with Special Needs

If you feel you may have a disability that requires accommodations, contact the Center for Accommodations and Support Services (CASS) at 747-5148 or go to room 106 East Union, or email: cass@utep.edu.

7.8 Additional Services

- Student Counseling Center (202 Union West):
 - (915) 747-5302
 - <http://sa.utep.edu/counsel/>
 - Walk-ins encouraged
- Student Health Center:
 - (915) 747-5624
 - <https://www.utep.edu/chs/shc/>
 - Many services free to students paid for through student health fee
- Center for Accommodations and Support Services (106 Union East):
 - (915) 747-5148

- <http://sa.utep.edu/cass/>
- Student Engagement and Leadership Center (106 Union West):
 - (915) 747-5670
 - <http://sa.utep.edu/selc/>
 - Includes study space with workstations and family friendly room with lactation space
- Career Center (103 Union West):
 - (915) 747-5640
 - <http://sa.utep.edu/careers/>
- Minetracker:
 - <https://minetracker.utep.edu/>
 - Events, news and organizations

8 Assignments and Course Schedule

All homework and pre-lecture quizzes will be done in CengageNow.

Homework Assignments Schedule

Chapter	Exercises	“B” problems	Due Dates
1	1,4,6,8,13,16,17,18	1	July 12, 11:55 p.m.
2	2,4,5,6,8,13,16	2	July 12, 11:55 p.m.
3	1,6,8,18,19,24,26	2,5	July 19, 11:55 p.m.
4	1,2,3,8,10,16,22	1	July 19, 11:55 p.m.
5	2,3,5,8,11,20,29	1,2,5	July 19, 11:55 p.m.
6	3,4,12,13,23,26	1,2,3,7	July 26, 11:55 p.m.
7	12,16,17,18,21,22	3,5	July 26, 11:55 p.m.
8	4,6,17,18,21,22	1,5,6	July 26, 11:55 p.m.
9	3,10,11,13,15,17,19,20	3,5,6	August 2, 11:55 p.m.
10	4,6,8,10,19	1,2	August 2, 11:55 p.m.
12	1,8,9,18,22	3	August 2, 11:55 p.m.

Pre-lecture Quizzes Schedule

Chapter	Due Dates
1	July 8, 11:55 a.m.
2	July 9, 11:55 a.m.
3	July 14, 11:55 a.m.
4	July 15, 11:55 a.m.
5	July 16, 11:55 a.m.
6	July 21, 11:55 a.m.
7	July 22, 11:55 a.m.
8	July 24, 11:55 a.m.
9	July 28, 11:55 a.m.
10	July 29, 11:55 a.m.
12	July 31, 11:55 a.m.

Chapter Quizzes & Exams Schedule

Chapter	Quiz Available	Due Dates
1	July 8, 12:01 a.m.	July 8, 11:59 p.m.
2	July 10, 12:01 a.m.	July 10, 11:59 p.m.
Exam I	July 13, 12:01 a.m.	July 13, 11:59 p.m.
3	July 14, 12:01 a.m.	July 14, 11:59 p.m.
4	July 16, 12:01 a.m.	July 16, 11:59 p.m.
5	July 17, 12:01 a.m.	July 17, 11:59 p.m.
Exam II	July 20, 12:01 a.m.	July 20, 11:59 p.m.
6	July 21, 12:01 a.m.	July 21, 11:59 p.m.
7	July 23, 12:01 a.m.	July 23, 11:59 p.m.
8	July 24, 12:01 a.m.	July 24, 11:59 p.m.
Exam III	July 27, 12:01 a.m.	July 27, 11:59 p.m.
9	July 28, 12:01 a.m.	July 28, 11:59 p.m.
10	July 30, 12:01 a.m.	July 30, 11:59 p.m.
12	July 31, 12:01 a.m.	July 31, 11:59 p.m.
Final Exam	August 1, 12:01 a.m.	August 3, 11:59 a.m.

Table 1: Course Schedule (tentative and subject to change)

Week	Date	Chapter	Topic	Note	
1	7/7	1	Introduction to Accounting and Business	Pre-lecture 1 due 11:55 a.m. Pre-lecture 2 due 11:55 a.m. HW Due July 12, 11:55 p.m.	
	7/8	1 (continued)	Introduction to Accounting and Business		
	7/9	2	Analyzing Transactions		
	7/10	2 (continued)	Analyzing Transactions		
2	7/13	3	Exam I (Chapter 1 & 2) & The Adjusting Process	Pre-lecture 3 due 11:55 a.m. Pre-lecture 4 due 11:55 a.m. Pre-lecture 5 due 11:55 a.m. HW Due July 19, 11:55 p.m.	
	7/14	3 (continued)	The Adjusting Process		
	7/15	4	Completing the Accounting Cycle		
	7/16	4 (continued) & 5	Completing the Accounting Cycle & Accounting for Merchandising Businesses		
	7/17	5 (continued)	Accounting for Merchandising Businesses		
3	7/20	6	Exam II (Chapter 3, 4, & 5) & Inventories	Pre-lecture 6 due 11:55 a.m. Pre-lecture 7 due 11:55 a.m. Pre-lecture 8 due 11:55 a.m. HW Due July 26, 11:55 p.m.	
	7/21	6 (continued)	Inventories		
	7/22	7	Internal Control and Cash & Receivables		
	7/23	7 (continued)	Internal Control and Cash & Receivables		
	7/24	8	Receivables		
					Last Day to Drop with a "W"
	7/27	9	Exam III (Chapter 6, 7, & 8) & Long-Term Assets: Fixed and Intangible		
	7/28	9 (continued)	Long-Term Assets: Fixed and Intangible		
7/29	10	Liabilities: Current, Installment Notes, and Contingencies			
7/30	10 (continued)	Liabilities: Current, Installment Notes, and Contingencies			
7/31	12	Corporations: Organization, Stock Transactions, and Dividends	Pre-lecture 12 due 11:55 a.m. HW Due August 2, 11:55 p.m.		
5	8/3		Final Exam		