

Course Plan

MATH 3263—Linear Algebra and Differential Equations

Spring 2011

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Office hours Monday and Wednesday 10:30–11:20 am, Tuesday and Thursday 1:00–1:50 pm, or by appointment

Text *Differential Equations and Linear Algebra* (3rd edition) by S. Goode and S. Annin

Format Homework will be assigned at the beginning of lecture periods. Typically quizzes will be given on Fridays. Although the homework problems will not be graded, it is extremely important that the student work them; the quizzes will consist of problems similar to those assigned. Students who are taking the course for graduate credit will be expected to complete an additional assignment, one that will count as a quiz score.

Exams There will be three fifty-minute examinations, tentatively scheduled for February 11, March 11, and April 15. A comprehensive final examination will be administered from 10:00 to 11:50 on Friday morning, May 6. Make-up examinations will be given only for very serious and unavoidable conflicts. Clear such conflicts with the instructor in advance of the examination.

Grading The maximum possible scores are:

100 points for the average quiz score
100 points each for the fifty-minute exams
200 points for the final exam
600 points total

The following scores are guaranteed.

540 points—A
480 points—B
420 points—C
360 points—D

University drop policy The last day to drop the course with no grade is Tuesday, January 18. A grade of “W” will be recorded if the course is dropped after January 18 and before the end of Friday, April 8. The last day to drop the course is Friday, April 8.

Syllabus attachment A syllabus attachment from OSU Academic Affairs is available at <http://osu.okstate.edu/acadaffr/aa/syllabusattachment-Spr.htm>