

Cedarville University

Syllabus for GMTH-1010

Introduction to Mathematics (online)

Welcome to Intro to Math!

This Syllabus, together with the Class Calendar, provides you with the all the information you will need to get started and to succeed in this online course.

1. Read through this Syllabus carefully, you may want to refer to it many times throughout the semester if necessary.
 2. Familiarize yourself with the Course Calendar which indicates the dates on which you should be reading each of the web lectures, participating in the online discussions, submitting projects, taking tests and quizzes.
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Important Information

- **Course Name:** GMTH-1010 Introduction to Mathematics, Syn. No. 5871
 - **Text Book:** Excursions in Modern Mathematics, 7th Edn., Peter Tannenbaum. Prentice-Hall, 2010.
 - **Semester:** Fall 2010 online.
 - **Final Exam:** Tuesday 11/23/2010 online.
 - **Instructor:** Dr. Otis Wright
 - **Contact Information:** e-mail: wrighto@cedarville.edu, office: ENS 341B
 - **Prerequisite:** proficiency in high school mathematics.
 - **Calculator:** You will need a scientific calculator for this course (a graphing calculator is not necessary). Use of the calculator is **allowed** on all quizzes, class tests and the final exam.
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Assessment

Average of 10 Quizzes (each out of 10 marks)	10%
On-line Discussion Participation	10%
Two Written Projects (each out of 10 marks)	20%

Total of 4 Class Tests (each out of 25 marks)*	40%
Final Exam (out of 50 marks)	20%
Total	100%

*There is also a Learning Journal for homework questions, if completed Satisfactorily, the Learning Journal score replaces the lowest Class Test score; see below for precise details.

Grading Scale

The final grades for this course will be distributed based the student's Total Score out of 100% following the usual 10 point scale. Grades of +/- will be added to the letter grade according to the instructor's discretion but usually the C grade range, for example, would be divided as follows, 70-72%, C-, and 73-77%,C, and 78-79%,C+.