

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS
California State University, Bakersfield
MATH 330 – Linear Algebra

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Class times: 3:30-5:55MR, DDH 105H, 3:30-5:55T, SCI 176

Office Hours: 11-12MTF, 2:30-3:30R, 5:30-6MR, or drop by when I am in.

Text: Linear Algebra and its Applications, 3ed., by David C. Lay.

Labs: Lab days are Tuesdays. Attendance is required. You are required to work in groups of 2-4 on assigned problems and hand in the lab reports in class.

Homework: Homework will be assigned weekly on Mondays, and is due the Monday after.

Grading: In addition to homework, labs, there will be two tests, and a final exam (cumulative). A pass (50%) in the final exam is required to obtain a final grade of D- or better.

Labs	10%
Homework	20%
Two Tests	20% each
Final Exam	30%

Test Dates:

- First Test: February 1, Tuesday (tentative)
- Second Test: March 1, Tuesday (tentative)
- Final Exam: March 16, 5-7:30, Wednesday

Remarks:

- There will be no make-up exams or tests. If you know in advance that you are going to miss an exam, please make your arrangements with me at least one week ahead.
- Please hand in homework and labs on time. Late homeworks and labs will be accepted up to the beginning of next class for 50% of credit.

Academic Dishonesty:

You are encouraged to work with your classmates in labs and homework. However, **YOU ARE REQUIRED TO HAND IN WORK WRITTEN BY YOURSELF**. A rule of thumb is to destroy any evidence of discussion before writing up the solutions yourself.

If you collaborated with anyone, **ACKNOWLEDGE COLLABORATORS**. Please also note that, **ACKNOWLEDGING YOUR FRIENDS ON THE CONTRIBUTION DOES NOT MEAN YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO COPY OTHERS' WORK. YOU MUST WRITE THE SOLUTIONS IN YOUR OWN WORDS.**

If you are caught cheating, the policy for this class is -10% to the final grade on the first offense, -20% for the second, and -50% thereafter.