

# MTH 173—Calculus with Analytic Geometry I

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## **Instructional Materials:**

**Textbook:** James Stewart, Calculus Early Transcendentals, 8<sup>th</sup> Ed., Brooks/Cole, 2014,  
ISBN: 987-0-538-49790-9

**WebAssign:** ISBN: 0-538-73807-3 Class Key: nr 4039 6061 (Fall 2017)

## **Homework and Quizzes**

Giving your best effort on homework is the single best thing you can do to help you learn mathematics. The homework is collected through the WebAssign software. There will be at least one quiz every week. The quiz will consist of one problem from the book homework assigned the previous class OR a topic covered in class that day.

## **Evaluation Criteria and Grading Scale**

The grade for this course will be derived from four tests, WebAssign homework, Quizzes and a final. There will be no make-up tests. The final exam grade will be substituted for the lowest test grade if it improves your average.

4 Tests	60%
Homework	10%
Quizzes	10%
Final Exam	20%

Letter grades will be assigned based on your final percentage as follows:

90 – 100	= A
80 – 89	= B
70 – 79	= C
60 – 69	= D
0 – 59	= F

Note: I do not curve grades. I do not “give” grades. You earn what you get, so plan to work accordingly.

## **Evacuation Procedure**

Evacuation Procedure: Please note the evacuation route posted at the classroom doorway. Two routes are marked in case one route might be blocked.

## Email Policy

If you send me an e-mail always use your NRCC issued email address. Be sure that your email client includes your name in the header. You should always include a **descriptive** subject line. Please remember to use complete sentences and follow the rules of grammar. The [Purdue OWL website \(click\)](#) has excellent information about creating a professional email. I communicate through email to your NRCC issued address. I WILL NOT be sending email to any other address you have. I do reply to email within 24 hours during the week. Weekends may be longer.

## Student Registration:

1. Enter <http://www.webassign.net/> in your Web Browser.
2. On the right side at the top select **Enroll with Class Key**.

WELCOME TO WEBASSIGN

If you haven't done so already, link your WebAssign account to a Cengage account. [More information](#)

**LINK YOUR WEBASSIGN ACCOUNT**

Before you can sign in, link your WebAssign account to a new or existing Cengage account. [Why do I need a Cengage account?](#)

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**SIGN IN**

Use your Cengage account to sign in to WebAssign.

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**Sign In**

Enroll with Class Key

3. Enter your **Class Key** exactly as provided by your instructor (See Page 1) and click “Continue.” *Your course information should appear. If not, contact your instructor to verify the correct Course ID.*

WebAssign

### Enroll with Class Key

Enter the Class Key that you received from your instructor. You will only need to complete this once. After you have created your account, you can log in on the main page.

Class Key

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*Class Keys generally start with an institution code, followed by two sets of four digits.*

Submit

4. Select “Yes, this is my class”
5. Follow the directions to create a Cengage account for yourself. You **MUST** use your New River email account. If you already have a Webassign account you can link that to Cengage.