

MATH 155 GRADING - SPRING 2012

- There are 900 points for the semester:
 - 300 From 3 hour departmental exams:
 - Exam 1: Fri. Feb. 10 except Section 11, and Thur. Feb. 9 for Section 11**
 - Exam 2: Fri. Mar. 9 except Section 11, and Thur. Mar. 8 for Section 11**
 - Exam 3: Fri. Apr. 20 except Section 11, and Thur. Apr. 19 for Section 11**
 - 250 From a comprehensive departmental final exam:
 - Monday, May 7, 8:00 - 9:50 P.M.**
 - 150 From ALEKS assessment
 - 100 From quizzes
 - 50 From homework
 - 50 For attendance
- Your grade will be based on your total out of 900 points. The cut offs will be no higher than:
 - A: 810 (90%) , B: 720 (80%) , C: 630 (70%) , D: 540 (60%)**
- **MAKEUP EXAMS:** Students who are unable to take an exam because of **documented** illness or other unusual circumstances may request a make-up exam. For reasons other than a medical or other emergency, the **instructor's permission** must be obtained **prior to** the time of the regular exam.
- **HOMEWORK:**
 - Homework is collected once a week.
 - Each question should be stated so that the homework is readable without the text.
 - Copying from the solutions manual or merely giving a numeric answer without justification may receive no credit.
 - No late homework will be accepted.
- **QUIZZES:**
 - Each quiz will be graded out of ten points:
 - There are more than 10 quizzes. The top 10 quizzes will be used in the calculation of the quiz score.
 - No makeup quizzes will be given.
- **ALEKS:**
 - See the course web page <http://www.math.niu.edu/courses/math155> for details.
- **BORDERLINE GRADES:** EXTRA weight may be given to the Final Exam if this improves the overall grade. Such consideration will only be given when serious effort has been demonstrated by excellent attendance together with serious attempts at Aleks, Homework and Quizzes.