



MA 305 - Math for Elementary Teachers II
Online Spring 2019
3 credits

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Learning Materials:

- **Textbook:** Beckmann, Sybilla (2017). Mathematics for Elementary Teachers with Activities. 5th ed. Pearson. ISBN-10: 0134392795
- **MyMathLab Online Homework:** Purchase directly on www.pearson.com/mylab
 - Course ID: **mukina59385**
- **3-Ring Binder:** Throughout the course, you should keep a collection of the course material. This is comprised of chapter notes, chapter homework, and weekly problem-solving sets. Notes, problem discussions, and problem-solving sets will be posted on Canvas under weekly "Modules" and should be kept in an organized binder.

Course Catalog Description:

This course provides prospective elementary education majors with a deeper and more comprehensive understanding of the fundamental concepts underlying the mathematics taught in grades K through 8. Guided by the NCTM Principles and Standards, this course focuses on the big ideas of geometry, measurement, data analysis, and probability and statistics. This course fulfills an upper division elective requirement in mathematics for Elementary Education majors.

Prerequisite: MA 105

Mission Statement:

The mission of the education division is to foster the education of teachers and leaders in education through programs based in the liberal arts tradition, Catholic Marianist's values, current research, and best practices.

Marianist Values:

1. Educate for Formation in Faith
2. Provide an Integral Quality Education
3. Educate in Family Spirit
4. Educate for Service, Justice, and Peace
5. Educate for Adaptation and Change

WASC Core Competencies:

1. Written Communication
2. Oral Communication
3. Quantitative reasoning
4. Critical Thinking
5. Information Literacy

Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs):

1	<i>Content Knowledge</i> (Knowledge of subject matter)
2	<i>Developmentally Appropriate Practice</i> (Knowledge of how students develop and learn, and engagement of students in developmentally appropriate experiences that support learning)
3	<i>Pedagogical Content Knowledge</i> (Knowledge of how to teach subject matter to students and application of a variety of instructional strategies that are rigorous, differentiated, focused on the active involvement of the learner)

4	<i>Educational Technology</i> (Knowledge of and application of appropriate technology for student learning)
5	<i>Assessment for Learning</i> (Knowledge of and use of appropriate assessment strategies that enhance the knowledge of learners and their responsibility for their own learning)
6	<i>Diversity</i> (Skills for adapting learning activities for individual differences and the needs of diverse learners and for maintaining safe positive, caring, and inclusive learning environments)
7	<i>Focus on Student Learning</i> (Skills in the planning and design of meaningful learning activities that support and have positive impact on student learning based upon knowledge of subject matter, students, the community, curriculum standards, and integration of appropriate technology)
8	<i>Professional & Ethical Dispositions and Communication</i> (Professional dispositions, professionalism in teaching, and ethical standards of conduct consistent with Marianist values, and positive and constructive relationships with parents, the school community and professional colleagues).

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):

1	Know, understand, and use the major concepts and procedures that define algebra, geometry, measurement, and data analysis and probability.
2	Engage in problem-solving, reasoning and proof, communications, connections, and representation.
3	Demonstrate and appreciation for mathematics as a body of knowledge that is interesting and useful.
4	Use a variety of manipulatives, calculators, computer programs, and other appropriate technology to investigate and explain mathematics.

Assessment:

Since this course is online, the dates noted are permanent. Read the textbook sections BEFORE you turn in assignments as indicated on the tentative schedule at the end of this syllabus. Always be prepared to explain your thinking in every assignment and every exam. The assignments described below are each designed to contribute in a different and significant way to your knowledge and experience relative to diagnosis and remediation of mathematics and to teaching elementary mathematics. It will be your responsibility to turn in all assignments on time. Late assignments will not be accepted. Submissions will all be done electronically through Canvas in **PDF format**.

1. MyMathLab Online Homework – 15% of Final Grade

Due: Every Sunday by Midnight

10 points per section

Homework will be assigned each week online through MyMathLab. All homework assignments for each section are due every Sunday by *midnight* after each full week of class. This homework is intended to review the content of the mathematics, not to explain your thought process. Extensions will not be granted unless extreme circumstances take place.

2. Problem-Solving Sets – 25% of Final Grade

Due: After Every Completion of Each Chapter

10 points per set

Each chapter, you will be required to complete a few questions from the week's lessons. These questions will require detailed explanation of thought processes and sometimes mathematical drawings to show ideas. Please understand that simply "getting the problem correct" is not enough to

earn full-credit for the question. An organized, hand-written, thoughtful explanation of your solution is usually required.

3. Exams – 60% of Final Grade (20% Each)

Exam 1: Due April 22nd @ 5pm

Exam 2: Due May 20th @ 5pm

Exam 3: Due June 17th @ 5pm

100 points each

All exams will focus on content demonstrated in the homework along with your problem-solving sets. There is no “cumulative” final exam. Each exam will cover specific content from previous weeks. Exams will be emailed to you directly and must be completed and emailed back within 24 hours of receiving it. It is expected that you work individually on exams and do not receive help from anyone. You are *permitted* to use your notes, MyMathLab homework, and problem-solving sets to aid you with your exams.

Assignments	Percentage of Final Grade
MyMathLab Online Homework	15%
Problem-Solving Sets	25%
Exam 1	20%
Exam 2	20%
Exam 3	20%

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

Course Attendance Policy:

As stated in the Chaminade University Catalog, students are expected to attend all classes for courses in which they are registered. Students must follow the attendance policy as stipulated in the syllabus of Education Division courses. Penalties for not meeting the attendance requirements may result in lowering of the grade, withdrawal from the course, or failing the course.

1. Excused Absences.

1.1. Since it is expected that students will participate in all class sessions, excused absences are only granted in exceptional situations where evidence is provided by the student to the instructor. Examples would include illness (with verification by a doctor) or the death of a close family member. Students should notify their instructors when a situation prevents them from attending class and make arrangements to complete missed assignments. *While notification of the instructor by a student that he/she will be absent is courteous, it does not necessarily mean the absence will be excused.*

1.2. In cases where excused absences constitute a significant portion of a course’s meetings (e.g., more than 20% of on-ground course meetings, or a significant portion of online or hybrid courses), the instructor should refer the case to the Dean with a recommendation on how the case should be handled (e.g., withdrawal or incomplete).

2. Unexcused Absences. Chaminade University policy states that in cases where unexcused absences are equivalent to more than a week of classes the instructor has the option of lowering the grade. In the Education Division, we have added detailed guidelines to cover different types of courses and class schedules:

2.1. On-Ground courses: Missing more than 2 weeks of class (6 classes) will result in an automatic lowering of one letter grade after final grade is calculated.

2.2. Online courses and online portion of hybrid courses: The instructor will specify and enforce expectations for online participation and receipt of assignments appropriate to the design of the course. For online/hybrid courses failure to log in for one week is equivalent to an absence in a traditional on-ground course. Two weeks of not logging in constitutes grounds for removal of the student from the course.

3. Additional Notes.

3.1. If a student does not logon to an online or hybrid course for the first two weeks, the instructor should notify the Dean and the student will be withdrawn from the course.

3.2. Any student who stops attending an on-ground course or stops participating in an online course without officially withdrawing may receive a failing grade.

University Policies

Academic Honesty Statement: Violations of the Honor Code are serious. They harm other students, your professor, and the integrity of the University. Alleged violations will be referred to the Office of Judicial Affairs. If found guilty of plagiarism, a student might receive a range of penalties, including failure of an assignment, failure of an assignment and withholding of the final course grade until a paper is turned in on the topic of plagiarism, failure of the course, or suspension from the University.

Violations of Academic Integrity: Violations of the principle include, but are not limited to:

- Cheating: Intentionally using or attempting to use unauthorized materials, information, notes, study aids, or other devices in any academic exercise.
- Fabrication and Falsification: Intentional and unauthorized alteration or invention of any information or citation in an academic exercise. Falsification is a matter of inventing or counterfeiting information for use in any academic exercise.
- Multiple Submissions: The submission of substantial portions of the same academic work for credit (including oral reports) more than once without authorization.
- Plagiarism: Intentionally or knowingly presenting the work of another as one's own (i.e., without proper acknowledgment of the source).
- Abuse of Academic Materials: Intentionally or knowingly destroying, stealing, or making inaccessible library or other academic resource materials.

Complicity in Academic Dishonesty: Intentionally or knowingly helping or attempting to help another to commit an act of academic dishonesty.

Plagiarism includes, but is not limited to:

- Copying or borrowing liberally from someone else's work without his/her knowledge or permission; or with his/her knowledge or permission and turning it in as your own work.
- Copying of someone else's exam or paper.
- Allowing someone to turn in your work as his or her own.
- Not providing adequate references for cited work.
- Copying and pasting large quotes or passages without properly citing them.

Title IX Compliance: Chaminade University of Honolulu recognizes the inherent dignity of all individuals and promotes respect for all people. Sexual misconduct, physical and/or psychological abuse will NOT be tolerated at CUH. If you have been the victim of sexual misconduct, physical and/or psychological abuse, we encourage you to report this matter promptly. As a faculty member, I am interested in promoting a safe and healthy environment, and should I learn of any sexual misconduct, physical and/or psychological abuse, I must report the matter to the Title IX Coordinator. Should you want to speak to a confidential source you may contact the following:

- Chaminade Counseling Center: 808-735-4845

- Any priest serving as a sacramental confessor or any ordained religious leader serving in the sacred confidence role.

Disability Access:

The University is committed to providing reasonable accommodations for all persons with disabilities. This syllabus is available in alternate formats upon request. Students who need accommodations must be registered with Student Disability Services. Students with special needs who meet criteria for the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) provisions must provide written documentation of the need for accommodations from the Counseling Center by the end of week three of the class, in order for the instructor to plan accordingly. Failure to provide written documentation will prevent your instructor from making the necessary accommodations. Please refer any questions to the Dean of Students.

Course Outline (Spring 2019)

*The professor reserves the right to make adjustments to this outline to better accommodate student needs.

Week # Date	Class Description	Assignments Due Each Sunday by Midnight
Week 1 April 8 th – 14 th	Chapter 9: Algebra Pages 378 – 410 - Section 9.1: Numerical Expressions - Section 9.2: Expressions with Variables - Section 9.3: Equations - Section 9.4: Solving Algebra Word Problems with Strip Diagrams and with Algebra	April 14 th Section 9.1 – 9.4 MML
Week 2 April 15 th – 21 st	Chapter 9: Algebra Pages 413 – 443 - Section 9.5: Sequences - Section 9.6: Functions - Section 9.7: Linear and Other Relationships	April 21 nd - Section 9.5 – 9.7 MML - Problem-Solving Set (Chap. 9)
EXAM 1 (Chapter 9)		<i>Emailed: April 21st @ 5pm</i> <i>Due: April 22nd @ 5pm</i>
Week 3 April 22 nd – 28 th	Chapter 10: Geometry Pages 451 – 463, 472 – 487 - Section 10.1: Lines and Angles - Section 10.3: Circles and Spheres - Section 10.4: Triangles, Quadrilaterals, and Other Polygons	April 28 th - Section 10.1, 10.3, & 10.4 MML - Problem-Solving Set (Chap. 10)
Week 4 Apr. 29 th – May 5 th	Chapter 11: Measurement Pages 492 – 509, 514 – 520 - Section 11.1: Fundamentals of Measurement - Section 11.2: Length, Area, Volume, and Dimension - Section 11.4: Converting from One Unit of Measurement to Another	May 5 th - Section 11.1, 11.2, & 11.4 MML - Problem-Solving Set (Chap. 11)
Week 5 May 6 th – 12 th	Chapter 12: Area of Shapes Pages 525 – 547 - Section 12.1: Areas of Rectangles Revisited - Section 12.2: Moving and Additivity Principles About Area - Section 12.3: Areas of Triangles - Section 12.4: Areas of Parallelograms and Other Polygons	May 12 th Section 12.1 – 12.4 MML
Week 6 May 13 th – 19 th	Chapter 12: Area of Shapes Pages 554 – 559, 564 – 575 - Section 12.6: Areas of Circles and the Number Pi - Section 12.8: Contrasting and Relating the Perimeter and Area of Shapes - Section 12.9: Using the Moving and Additivity Principle to Prove the Pythagorean Theorem	May 19 th - Section 12.6, 12.8, & 12.9 MML - Problem-Solving Set (Chap. 12)

	EXAM 2 (Chapters 10, 11, & 12)	<i>Emailed: May 19th @ 5pm Due: May 20th @ at 5pm</i>
Week 7 May 20 th – 26 th	Chapter 13: Solid Shapes and Their Volume and Surface Area Pages 580 – 604 • <i>Section 13.1</i>: Polyhedra and Other Solid Shapes • <i>Section 13.2</i>: Patterns and Surface Area • <i>Section 13.3</i>: Volumes of Solid Shapes	May 26 th • Section 13.1 – 13.3 MML • Problem-Solving Set (Chap. 13)
Week 8 May 27 th – June 2 nd	Chapter 14: Geometry of Motion and Change Pages 612 – 635, 643 – 662 • <i>Section 14.1</i>: Reflections, Translations, and Rotations • <i>Section 14.2</i>: Symmetry • <i>Section 14.3</i>: Congruence • <i>Section 14.5</i>: Similarity	June 2 nd • Section 14.1 – 14.3, & 14.5 MML • Problem-Solving Set (Chap. 14)
Week 9 June 3 rd – 9 th	Chapter 15: Statistics Pages 673 – 691 • <i>Section 15.1</i>: Formulating Statistical Questions, Gathering Data, and Using Samples • <i>Section 15.2</i>: Displaying Data and Interpreting Data Displays	June 9 th • Section 15.1 & 15.2 MML
Week 10 June 10 th – 17 th	Chapter 15: Statistics Pages 693 – 715 • <i>Section 15.3</i>: The Center of Data: Mean, Median, and Mode • <i>Section 15.4</i>: Summarizing, Describing, and Comparing Data Distributions	June 16 th • Section 15.3 & 15.4 MML
	EXAM 3 (Chapters 13, 14, & 15)	<i>Emailed: June 16th @ 5pm Due: June 17th @ 5pm</i>