MATH 126 Course Policy (Spring 2022)

This document/announcement contains all the necessary information that you need to know about the structure of the *MATH 126 - Basic Mathematics II course*, which will be delivered **face-to-face**. More information will be announced on the official website of the course. All students enrolled in this course are supposed to follow this website and <u>ODTUClass Math 126</u> webpage regularly since they are responsible for catching up announcements listed there.

IMPORTANT: The rules and regulations below are subject to change in the case the university or YÖK changes their decisions about Spring 2022 Semester.

Lectures, Recitations, Office Hours and Help Room:

• All lectures will be given **face-to-face** in the room G-111 during the official lecture times. Students may also attend the lectures via zoom-live-streaming using the zoom link below. Every Wednesday evening lecture videos (of that week) will be shared through YouTube (see the link below). Moreover, the lecture notes of each week will be posted in ODTUClass Math 126 webpage every Wednesday evening.

Official Lecture Times:

Monday 08:40-10:30 (Room: G-111) Wednesday 08:40-09:30 (Room: G-111)

YouTube link for Lecture Videos: Youtube Play List - Math 126 Spring 2022 Lectures

Zoom Link for Official Lecture Meetings: <u>https://zoom.us/j/6558344427?pwd=Y2ZBNFpGbkl4ZkFSNTB1KzRETzgzQT09</u> (NO Password required if you use the link above)

• You can use the university's official program <u>View Program Course Details</u> (64) to learn the lecture hours. Keep in mind that this course is 5 (=3+2) hours per week. The first 2+1=3 hours are for lectures and the last two hours are for *recitations*.

• The two hours shown in your student account are for <u>recitations</u>. Technically speaking, each student is registered to some recitation section. For example, if you are registered to Section 12, it means that your *main lecture* section is 1 and your *recitation* section is 12. Schedules for the main sections are available on <u>View Program Course Details (64)</u>.

• Each week, there will be **face-to-face office hours** which will be also conducted online through zoom platform. During office hours, students can ask their questions to their instructor or teaching assistant. The schedules and links for these online platforms are announced on the <u>MATH 126 webpage</u>.

• There will be **help room** service as well. The semester's schedule and the links for each session will be announced at the beginning of the semester (when available) on the <u>MATH 126 webpage</u>.

Class Attendance:

Attendance to lectures is not mandatory. However, you are strongly suggested to attend the recitations since there will be frequent pop-up quizzes in recitation hours.

Exams and grading:

Your grade will be based on two midterm exams, final exam, and quizzes as follows:

Grading Policy:

MidTerm1:	30 Points (April 16 th , 2022 Saturday at 13:30)
MidTerm2:	30 Points (June 04 th , 2022 Saturday at 13:30)
Final Exam:	40 Points (to be announced later)
Quiz:	5 Points (bonus)

Make-up exam for those students having difficulties:

For the exams (two midterms and the final): There will be **one and only one** general make-up exam, which will contain all topics. The structure of the make-up exam MAY OR MAY NOT be like the midterms and the final.

In order to be able to take the make-up exam, you must present a reasonable excuse (such as a medical report or an academic leave or a COVID19 positive result) to alibatan(at)metu.edu.tr There will be an announcement including the format of the make-up and the application procedures after the final exam.

Final Exam Entrance Conditions and NA Grade Criteria:

If your two midterm scores (each one out of 100 points) add up to less than 20 points (out of 200 points in total), then you cannot take the final exam and will receive an NA grade from the course.

For the NA criteria, see http://ma126.math.metu.edu.tr/na-criteria/

Academic Honesty:

The METU Honour Code is as follows: "Every member of METU community adopts the following honour code as one of the core principles of academic life and strives to develop an academic environment where continuous adherence to this code is promoted. The members of the METU community are reliable, responsible and honourable people who embrace only the success and recognition they deserve, and act with integrity in their use, evaluation and presentation of facts, data and documents."