MATH 10.12 – Elementary Statistics & Probability

Erik Houser MTWThF 12:30-1:20 pm | E - 31

Prerequisites

MATH 114, or equivalent, with a C or better; or qualifying score on the Intermediate Algebra Placement Test within one calendar year.

Advisory: English Writing 211 and Reading 211 (or Language Arts 211), or English as a Second Language 272 and 273.

Materials

Textbook: Introductory Statistics, by Illowsky and Dean.

ISBN: 978-1-938168-20-8 available free online AND with WebAssign access

Course Reader: available for purchase in the bookstore

Graphing Calculator TI-83/84 or 83+/84+, or other statistics/graphing/scientific calculator;

WebAssign Access Code for online homework, available for purchase at the BOOKSTORE, or

at: www.webassign.net

WebAssign Class Key: deanza 5882 9636

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Office Hours

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Student Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the course, the student should be able to:

- Organize, analyze, and utilize appropriate methods to draw conclusions based on sample data by constructing and/or evaluating tables, graphs, and numerical measures of characteristics of data.
- Identify, evaluate, interpret and describe data distributions through the study of sampling distributions and probability theory.
- Collect data, interpret, compose and defend conjectures, and communicate the results of random data using statistical analyses such as interval and point estimates, hypothesis tests, and regression analysis.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Last day to:

- drop with a full refund: Sunday, April 23
- drop with no record of grade: Sunday, April 23
- request pass/no pass grade: Friday, May 5
- drop with a "W" grade: Friday, June 2 Holidays (CAMPUS CLOSED):

Memorial Day Weekend: Saturday - Monday, May 27 - 29

Final Exam: Wednesday, June 28, 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

POLICIES:

Classroom Etiquette/Course Format

The classroom is a learning environment. NO CELLULAR PHONES or computers should be in use, unless arrangements have been made prior to the start of class. Once lecture begins, there should be no "social" conversations and students should not be asking their classmates for clarification of topics during lecture. I expect that each student will give their best effort to be attentive, participate in the classroom discussions, and attempt to complete all of the problems given as examples in the classroom. All students are expected to respect the learning of others and should refrain from disruptive/disorderly conduct or any acts that could negatively impact the classroom learning environment.

NO EATING OR DRINKING IN THE CLASSROOM.

Students are expected to adhere to the tenets of the Foothill/De Anza Community College District Student Code of Conduct. Cheating/Academic Dishonesty will not be tolerated; this includes copying the work of another student's review assignment or lab project results. Instances of cheating/academic dishonesty will be dealt with in accordance with De Anza College's policy, and may result in an "F" grade for the course.

Attendance

Regular class attendance is expected. A student may be dropped from the class if she/he is absent three times. Dropping or withdrawal from the class due to hardship is the students' responsibility. A student who stops coming to class and does not drop/is not dropped by the instructor by June 2 will receive an "F" grade. It is the students' responsibility to inform the instructor if she/he is going to be absent and the student is responsible for any material covered/announcements made on the day of the absence. **An "excused absence" is an absence due to a medical emergency, some other unavoidable situation, or school related function that is supported with documentation/evidence**.

Homework

Homework will be assigned for each chapter that is covered in the class. Online homework is to be completed using WebAssign (www.webassign.net, Class Key: deanza 5882 9636) I expect that all homework will be completed by its due date, however, there will be, at most, one extension per homework assignment with a 15% reduction for all unfinished problems. Extensions will not extend beyond 7 calendar days after the assignment's due date. Last day to access homework is Thursday, June 29.

Lab projects that are assigned as homework WILL NOT be accepted late.

Grades		Letter Grade	Minimum# of Points Required	Minimum % of Total Points Required
ONLINE HOMEWORK	100 POINTS TOTAL (based on % completed)	A+	650	≥ 100%
QUIZZES (3)	35 POINTS EACH	Α	589	91%
Classwork (3) TESTS (3)	15 POINTS EACH 75 POINTS EACH	A-	576	89%
LAB PROJECTS (3)	25 POINTS EACH	B+	556	86%
FINAL EXAM TOTAL	100 POINTS 650 POINTS	В	524	81%
		B-	511	79%
Note: NO MAKE UP EXAMS OR QUIZZES. If you earn a percentage of 100 points on the final exam that is higher than the percentage correct on your lowest test score, that percentage of 75 points will replace the lowest test score. Lowest quiz score will get replaced with average of two highest quiz scores. **Replacement of grade will not occur for zero due to an unexcused absence**			491	76%
			459	71%
			446	69%
			394	61%
			325	50%
		F	0	0%

Additional Resources

Learning Communities

De Anza has a wide variety of specialized learning communities: First Year Experience (FYE), Umoja, PUENTE, LEAD, Impact-AAPI, Honors Program, and others! For more information visit ~ http://www.deanza.edu/learningcommunities/

Tutoring

The Math, Science and Technology Resource Center is located in S43 on the De Anza Campus, (408) 864-8683. Hours of operation: Mon - Thurs 8:30 am - 6:30 pm, Fri 8:30 am - 12:30 pm. The student success center website has information for additional student support services: www.deanza.edu/studentsuccess

Disability Support Services

For information or questions about eligibility, support services or accommodations to disability (physical or learning disability) contact Disability Support Service (DSS): Student Services Building (408) 864-8753;

Educational Diagnostic Center (EDC): Learning Center West 110; (408) 864-8839

Special Education Division: (408) 864-8407; www.deanza.edu/specialed

MATH 10.12 Tentative Schedule*

Monday		Tuesday	7	Wedneso	day	Thursda	y	Friday
Apr 10		Apr 11		Apr 12	•	Apr 13	-	Apr 14
Syllabus/Course Introduction		1	Text ~Ch. 1	1	Text ~ Ch. 1	1	Text ~ Ch. 1	Lab #1
Apr 17		Apr 18		Apr 19		Apr 21		Apr 21
	Text ~ Ch. 1	•	Text ~ Ch. 2	•	Text ~ Ch. 2	•	Text ~ Ch. 2	Quiz #1
Apr 24		Apr 25		Apr 26		Apr 27		Apr 28
	Text ~ Ch. 2		Text ~ Ch. 3		Text ~ Ch. 3		Text ~ Ch. 3	Classwork #1
May 1		May 2		May 3		May 4		May 5
	Text ~ Ch. 3		Text ~ Ch. 4		Text ~ Ch. 4		Text ~ Ch. 4	Last day to request pass/no pass Test #1
May 8		May 9		May 10		May 11		May 12
•	Text ~ Ch. 4	,	Text ~ Ch. 5	,	Text ~ Ch. 5	•	Text ~Ch. 5	Lab #2
May 15		May 16		May 17		May 18		May 19
	Text ~ Ch. 6		Text ~ Ch. 6		Text ~ Ch. 6		Text ~ Ch. 6	Quiz #2
May 22		May 23		May 24		May 25		May 26
·	Text ~ Ch. 7		Text ~ Ch. 7		Text ~ Ch. 7		Classwork #2	Test #2
May 29		May 30		May 31		Jun 1		Jun 2
Memorial Day			Text ~ Ch. 8		Text ~ Ch. 8		Text ~ Ch. 9	Last day to drop with a "W"
No Classes								Lab #3
Jun 5		Jun 6		Jun 7		Jun 8		Jun 9
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Jun 12		Jun 13		Jun 14		Jun 15		Jun 16
Juli 12	Text ~ Ch. 10	Jun 13	Text ~ Ch. 11	Juli 11	Text ~ Ch. 11	Juli 13	Text ~ Ch. 12	Classwork #3
Jun 19		Jun 20		Jun 21		Jun 22		Jun 23
-	Text ~ Ch. 12		Text ~ Ch. 12		Text ~ Ch. 13		Text ~Ch. 13	Quiz #3
Jun 26		Jun 27		Jun 28		Jun 29		Jun 30
NO-CLASS MTG		**NO-CLASS MTG**		Final Exam (Ch. 1-13) 11:30 am - 1:30 pm, E31		**NO-CLASS MTG**		**NO-CLASS MTG**

^{*}This schedule/syllabus may be modified at any point during the quarter to better suit the needs of the class.