COURSE: Math 300I, Section 1
TIME: 12:00–12:50 p.m. MWF
MEETING PLACE: EngA 410
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The course will hopefully cover the highlights in the history of mathematics from its beginnings to the modern era.

There will be weekly homework assignments given out on Friday and due the following Friday. There will be around ten problems per assignment.

There will be a midterm around the first of October, which will cover the first half of the course. The final will cover the second half of the course. Both of these exams will be of the essay/short answer variety. One or both of these exams may be take home exams.

Finally, there will be a term paper due on the last day of class. It should be around fifteen double spaced pages. Pick one of the standard formats. Readability (grammar/spelling) counts. You should include five references beyond the text and at least three of these should be noninternet sources. If you use internet sources, then you should include the full url in your list of references. By the time of the midterm you should have your topic and outline of your paper ready.

The homework assignments are worth 20%, exams are worth 25% and the paper is worth 30% of the grade. The grading scale goes 90–100 A, 80–89 B, 70–79 C, 60–69 D and 0–59 F.

I quote the university policy on incompletes. "An INC is assigned when, for reasons beyond their control, students engaged in passing work are unable to complete all class assignments."

**Note:** The last day to withdraw from the course without a grade is Friday, 30 October. If you are planning to drop the class, be sure you go through registration.