

SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY  
SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Title: TECHNOLOGICAL MATHEMATICS  
Code No.: MTH 386-3  
Program: MECHANICAL TECHNOLOGY (YEAR 3)  
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MATHEMATICS

MTH 386-3...MECHANICAL

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PHILOSOPHY/GOALS:

This is the last mathematics course taken by Mechanical Technology students before graduating. Second Order Differential Equations, the final topic in Calculus, is followed by an introduction to the mathematics of Statistics.

METHOD OF ASSESSMENT (GRADING METHOD):

GRADES:

Grades reported on your transcript are based on a weighted average of test scores, on the following basis:

90	-	100%	A+
80	-	89%	A
65	-	79%	B
55	-	64%	C
0	-	54%	R or

The method of calculating a weighted average is described in your student hand-book.

All tests are scheduled in advance. Hence attendance is mandatory. Unexcused absence from a test will result in a mark of zero for that test. If a student is prevented from writing a test by illness, the student must phone the instructor (949-2050) before the time of the test and leave a message for the instructor, at his extension stating the reason for absence. Upon return to classes, the student must see the instructor immediately to arrange a time and place for a make-up test. The student must have a doctor's certificate or a note from the college nurse.

There will be no rewrites (make-up tests) or supplemental exams during the semester or at the end of the semester.

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MECHANICAL TECHNOLOGY MATHEMATICS

TOPIC NO.	PERIODS	TOPIC DESCRIPTION	ASSIGNMENTS	REFERENC
	18	Second Order <u>Differential Equations</u> - Homogeneous form. D-operator, auxiliary equations - three types of roots. Non-homogeneous equations. Applications. Harmonic motion, other work problems.	Ex. 1-3 4 5 Hand-out	Ch. 15
	24	<u>Statistics</u> - Descriptive statistics. Frequency distributions, mean, median, mode, quantities, standard deviation, variance, standardized variable. Probability theory. Conditional probability, independent and dependent events, mutually exclusive events, permutations, combinations, probability distributions. Inferential statistics. Binomial distributions, normal distributions, sampling theory, estimation theory with confidence intervals.	1	Ch. 12 Hand-ou