

MATH 1332
Instructions and Rubric for Final Project

The main purpose of this project is to present a review of the semester and to help you study for the final exam. The review session will be held on the last two days of class. This project will count 40% of the Final Exam, which means 8% of the final course average (nearly a letter grade). You will be presenting 3 slides and then a problem from one of the old Classwork assignments. The presentations may be done in Power Point or you may draw and write them by hand and scan them into a jpg file. Both the Learning Center and the Open Computer Lab have scanners and Power Point. I will want to save a disk copy of your presentations and may show some of them to future students, so don't put your name on your slides.

Slide One: Present your personal motto for this class. What did you tell yourself that got you through the semester? What made you attend class even if you didn't want to?

Slide Two: Give your advise to future students in this class. List 2 or 3 suggestions to help them be successful in this course.

Slide Three: What did you personally gain from taking this class? This need not be a mathematical topic.

Problem: You will be presenting problems from the old Classwork assignments along with hints to other students on solving problems similar to this one. You will draw lots for your problem in class and the presentations will be made **in that order. NO EXCEPTIONS -- if you trade problems, you also trade times.**

I will provide a pdf file of the statements of the problems. I would suggest that you work out the problem on scratch paper and then either copy it in large print onto a piece of paper and scan that page for your presentation or type the actual solution. You can also choose to work the problem on the board during your presentation. I will grade the Mathematics of your problem's presentation and the other students will grade the helpfulness of your presentation.

You must bring a disk copy or e-mail me a copy of everything you need for the presentation to class on or before **4/28**. While you are measuring the flagpole, I will copy your presentations onto a network drive for your use during the presentation. Place everything you want me to copy into a folder labeled with your problem number and M1332. If you don't want to bring a disk copy, you may e-mail the files ahead of time. **There are NO EXCEPTIONS to this time line. If you don't meet the deadline, you won't have your work during your presentation.**

Bring the grading rubric on the next page with you to the presentation.

Name _____

Grading Rubric for the Final Project

_____ Slide One -- Motto
5 points

_____ Slide Two -- Advise
5 points

_____ Slide One -- Personal Gain
5 points

_____ Problem
26 points

- _____ (11) Mathematical Correctness
- _____ (10) Presentation
- _____ (5) Understood how to work the problem
- _____ (5) Had useful hints to help others work the problem
- _____ (5) Helpfulness Rating

_____ Attention to fellow students
9 points