Course Description: Elementary concepts of geometry and measurement, probability, and statistics with an emphasis on problem solving and critical thinking.

Course Prerequisite: Math 1350 with a grade C or better

Class meeting times and room: This is an online class. There is no meeting time or room.

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Email: janusace@sfasu.edu  
Office Phone: (936) 468-1742

Office Hours: These hours have been set aside specifically to serve students.

  Tuesday and Thursday: 9:20 am – 11:00 am and 1:50 pm – 2:40 pm

  Additional times are available by appointment; send me an email to request an appointment.

Text and Materials:
- A simple four-function calculator may be used in this course. However, you should not rely on computers and/or calculators to such an extent that they keep you from developing your own skills. You should bring your calculator to every class.
- Locking compass, scissors, ruler and pencils

Grading Policy: Your final grade will be determined as follows:

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Exams: There will be three 75 minute exams and a 120-minute final exam. Exams are scheduled far in advance and only administered at the scheduled time. A student will be allowed to take the exam prior to the scheduled time for one of the following reasons:

- A medical excuse or extreme hardship such as a family emergency. The student must provide proper documentation and properly contact the Office of Students Rights and Responsibilities as stated in the SFA attendance policy, http://www.sfasu.edu/policies/class-attendance-6.7.pdf
- Student participation in approved university-sponsored events. Faculty members sponsoring activities that require their students to be absent from other classes must submit proper notification to the provost and vice president of academic affairs for all attending students
The final exam is comprehensive and mandatory. The time allowed for the final exam is 120-minutes. By the resurrection policy, the final exam grade will replace the lowest exam grade provided that the final exam grade is greater than a 70 and greater than the lowest exam grade. If a student misses an exam, there are no make-up exams. If an exam is missed, the resurrection policy will be used for the missed exam.

Testing Policies
- Students are required to take each exam.
- You must bring and display either your SFASU Student ID or a valid driver’s license before being permitted to take each test and the final exam. The ID must display a clear facial picture of the student.
- Students may not share calculators during an exam. Students may not use cell phone calculators, computers, or other non-approved devices during an exam. Cell phones must be turned-off during the exam and placed in a bag.

Additional Help:
- Take advantage of meeting with the instructor during office hours (see above) and email. If you cannot visit during office hours, appointments are available.
- We are fortunate to have Emma Walker as the Math 1351 SI (supplement to instructor) leader. SI will meet in Bush Math building, room 210 from 3:00PM-4:00PM on Mondays and Wednesdays, beginning the week of August 30th. I will post a link to meet with Emma during the SI session through Zoom.
- Free tutoring is available from the Academic Assistance and Resource Center (AARC). For more information, visit the AARC website at www.sfasu.edu/aarc.
- Be careful of how you seek and use additional help. Developing an understanding of the concepts and explaining the concepts is much more important than having a correct answer.

Homework: Math 1351 is an activities-based course. The activities along with the textbook will help you develop an understanding of the concepts in each section. Textbook homework is submitted in the D2L drop box by the due date. In addition to textbook problems, there will be Class Activity assignments.

Making Your Homework Easy to Read and Easy to Grade
- Make sure your handwriting is legible.
- Please write you name on each page.
- Problems should be clearly labeled and numbered on the left side of the page. There should also be a visible separation between problems. The space to the right of the right margin should be blank.
- It is good practice to first work out the solutions to homework problems on scratch paper, and then to neatly write up your solutions. This will help you turn in a clean finished product.
- You should write up your solutions by yourself. You should always acknowledge any help received at the top of the assignment or in the right-hand margin.

Attendance Policy: Regular attendance (participation for online class) is expected and necessary for your success. The SFA attendance policy is available at the following link: www.sfasu.edu/policies/class-attendance-6.7.pdf.
General Policies and Information

- You earn your grade by communicating your understanding of the material through the homework and tests. Clearly communicating mathematics will be essential in this course.
- Any questions you have will likely be ones that other students want answered as well, so do not hesitate to ask through email.
- It is important to have necessary materials for this class, be attentive to the task at hand, and take notes.
- Resources and announcement for the course will be posted in D2L. It is important for you to read the news items when you open our D2L class. I do not post too often but it is important to keep up-to-date with communication.

SFASU values students' mental health and the role it plays in academic and overall student success. SFA provides a variety of resources to support students mental health and wellness. Many of these resources are free, and all of them are confidential.

On-campus Resources:
- SFASU Counseling Services: www.sfasu.edu/counselingservices
  3rd Floor Rusk Building 936-468-2401
- SFASU Human Services Counseling Clinic: www.sfasu.edu/humanservices/139.asp
  Human Services Room 202 936-468-1041

Crisis Resources:
- Burke 24-hour crisis line: 1(800) 392-8343
- Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1(800) 273-TALK (8255)
- Crisis Text Line: Text HELLO to 741-741

See http://www3.sfasu.edu/math/docs/syllabi/MATH1351Syllabus.pdf for elements common to all sections.
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Math 1351 – Intermediate Mathematics for Elementary Teachers
Course Syllabus

Course description: Elementary concepts of geometry and measurement, probability, and statistics with an emphasis on problem solving and critical thinking.

Credit hours: 3

The following is an excerpt from SFA Policy 5.4:

The federal definition of a credit hour is an amount of work represented in intended learning outcomes and verified by evidence of student achievement that is an institutionally established equivalency that reasonably approximates:

1. Not less than one hour of classroom or direct faculty instruction and a minimum of two hours out-of-class student work each week for approximately fifteen weeks for one semester or trimester hour of credit, or 10 to 12 weeks for one quarter hour of credit, or the equivalent amount of work over a different amount of time, or;

2. At least an equivalent amount of work as outlined in item 1 above for other academic activities as established by the institution including laboratory work, internships, practica, studio work, and other academic work leading to the award of credit hours.

To this end, all students in courses offered by the Department of Mathematics and Statistics that wish to be successful should plan to spend a minimum of two hours outside of class for every credit hour associated with this course. Expected activities to be completed in the time outside of class include reviewing notes from previous class meetings, reading assigned course resources, completing all assigned exercises and projects, and performing periodic assessment preparation.

Course Prerequisites and Corequisites: Math 1350.

Course outline:

- Geometric Figures: Definitions, Properties, and Relationships
  - Build basic vocabulary of geometric figures
  - Analyze properties of two and three dimensional figures
  - Explore relationships between lines, planes, polygons, and solids
  - Approximate time spent: 20%

- Geometry and Measurement
  - Investigate standard and nonstandard units of measure
  - Explore linear measurement: perimeter, circumference
  - Explore area of regular and irregular shapes
  - Use the Pythagorean Theorem appropriately
  - Explore measures of surface area and volume: lateral surface area, base, height, slant height
  - Investigate temperature as a form of measurement
  - Approximate time spent: 30%

- Geometry of Congruence, Similarity, and Transformations
  - Investigate properties of congruent and similar figures
  - Explore ratio and proportion as applied to geometric figures
  - Perform basic constructions using Mira, paper folding, compass, straightedge, and technology (when applicable)
  - Perform rigid and similarity transformations on a variety of figures
  - Explore properties and outcomes of rigid transformations
  - Explore types of symmetry
  - Approximate time spent: 20%

- Statistics
  - Collect, organize, analyze, and present real data
  - Utilize appropriate types of graphs for various data types
  - Interpret graphs and tables
  - Investigate the use of graphs to distort statistics
  - Analyze measures of central tendency and dispersion
  - Approximate time spent: 15%
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Syllabus Continuation

- **Counting Principles and Probability** 15%
  - Explore basic counting principles
  - Understand and utilize factorial notation
  - Explore the language of uncertainty: sample space, outcome, event, equally likely, mutually exclusive events, certain and impossible events
  - Investigate experimental probability: simulation
  - Determine Expected Value

**Academic Integrity**
Academic integrity is a responsibility of all university faculty and students. Faculty members promote academic integrity in multiple ways including instruction on the components of academic honesty, as well as abiding by university policy on penalties for cheating and plagiarism.

The penalty for a student found cheating on any part of an assignment, quiz, or exam in this class will range from a grade of zero on the work to a grade of F in the course, and may result in additional, more severe disciplinary measures. A student who allows another to copy his work and the student copying the work are both guilty of cheating. Do your own work. Do not show your completed work to others. Do not allow others to copy your work.

**Definition of Academic Dishonesty (SFA policy 4.1):**
Academic dishonesty includes both cheating and plagiarism. Cheating includes, but is not limited to:
- using or attempting to use unauthorized materials on any class assignment or exam;
- falsifying or inventing of any information, including citations, on an assignment;
- helping or attempting to help other student(s) in an act of cheating or plagiarism.

Plagiarism is presenting the words or ideas of another person as if they were one’s own. Examples of plagiarism include, but are not limited to:
- submitting an assignment as one’s own work when it is at least partly the work of another person;
- submitting a work that has been purchased or otherwise obtained from the Internet or another source;
- incorporating the words or ideas of an author into one's paper or presentation without giving the author credit.

**Withheld Grades Semester Grades (SFA Policy 5.5)**
Ordinarily, at the discretion of the instructor of record and with the approval of the academic chair/director, a grade of WH will be assigned only if the student cannot complete the course work because of unavoidable circumstances. Students must complete the work within one calendar year from the end of the semester in which they receive a WH, or the grade automatically becomes an F. If students register for the same course in future terms the WH will automatically become an F and will be counted as a repeated course for the purpose of computing the grade point average. The circumstances precipitating the request must have occurred after the last day in which a student could withdraw from a course. Students requesting a WH must be passing the course with a minimum projected grade of C.

**Students with Disabilities**
To obtain disability related accommodations, alternate formats and/or auxiliary aids, students with disabilities must contact the Office of Disability Services (ODS), Human Services Building, and Room 325, 468-3004 / 468-1004 (TDD) as early as possible in the semester. Once verified, ODS will notify the course instructor and outline the accommodation and/or auxiliary aids to be provided. Failure to request services in a timely manner may delay your accommodations. For additional information, go to http://www.sfasu.edu/disabilityservices.

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SFASU Counseling Services
Acceptable Student Behavior
Classroom behavior should not interfere with the instructor’s ability to conduct the class or the ability of other students to learn from the instructional program (see the Student Conduct Code, policy 10.4). Unacceptable or disruptive behavior will not be tolerated. Students who disrupt the learning environment may be asked to leave class and may be subject to judicial, academic or other penalties. This prohibition applies to all instructional forums, including electronic, classroom, labs, discussion groups, field trips, etc. The instructor shall have full discretion over what behavior is appropriate/inappropriate in the classroom. Students who do not attend class regularly or who perform poorly on class projects/exams may be referred to the Early Alert Program. This program provides students with recommendations for resources or other assistance that is available to help SFA students succeed.

Student Learning Outcomes (SLO): At the end of MTH 128, a student who has studied and learned the material should be able to:

1. Use problem solving strategies to model, construct, and solve problems within and outside mathematics.
2. Use technology to explore geometric concepts and perform geometric constructions and transformations.
3. Apply spatial visualization skills to construct, transform, and measure two and three dimensional objects.
4. Apply concepts of congruence and similarity.
5. Use mathematical reasoning to develop strategies of conjecture and justification, leading to geometric proof.
6. Understand measurement as a process and apply basic concepts of measurement to real world settings.
7. Use basic counting principles and apply concepts of probability theory.
8. Apply basic concepts of statistics, including data classification, collection, and analysis.
9. Understand geometry as an axiomatic system.

There are no specific program learning outcomes for this major addressed in this course. It is a general education core curriculum course and/or a service course.

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