

**Tentative Syllabus, MATH 3242**  
**Linear Algebra, Fall 2018,**  
**DH 225, TTh 11:20 am-12:45 pm**

**Instructor:** Anna Kamińska PhD, DH 239, office hours: TTh 4:30-5:30pm

**Textbook:**

Title: "Linear Elementary Algebra", 8th Edition

Author: Ron Larson

Publisher: Cengage Learning

**Exams and Homework:** There will be three 100-point exams taken in a classroom (computer lab). The worst exam will be dropped, and consequently there will be no make up exams. A number of homework online assignments (10) based on WebAssign program will be also required. The maximum points for all homework will be 100. The final exam will be comprehensive, worth of 100 points. Total points to earn = 400.

**Calculator policy in the math department:** "Instructors in any MATH class during exams shall not allow the use of any calculator or calculating device which can access information other than pure calculations. This includes, but is not exhausted by, calculators on phones, or calculators on computers which have internet access, or access to other course-relevant material. "

**WebAssign:** Every student has to register for WebAssign computer based program. Once you are registered you will have an access to the e-book of the textbook. Registration is simple, go to the internet address [webassign.com](http://webassign.com) and choose the option "students". You will be instructed how to proceed. In order to finish the registration you will need:

**the class key:** memphis 8987 9980

## Grading Scale:

$A +$	$98\% \leq score$
$A$	$90\% \leq score < 98\%$
$A -$	$85\% \leq score < 90\%$
$B +$	$80\% \leq score < 85\%$
$B$	$75\% \leq score < 80\%$
$B -$	$70\% \leq score < 75\%$
$C +$	$65\% \leq score < 70\%$
$C$	$60\% \leq score < 65\%$
$C -$	$55\% \leq score < 60\%$
$D$	$45\% \leq score < 55\%$
$F$	$0\% \leq score < 45\%$

**Course content:** Chapter 1 - 7 with exception of some sections which will be announced later.

## Calendar:

Fall break, October 13-16, 2018

Thanksgiving Break, November 21-25, 2018

Study Day, December 6, 2018

## Tests:

Exam 1 - September 25

Exam 2 - October 23

Exam 3 - November 20

**Final Exam:** December 13, 2017, 8:00 am - 10:00 am