Math 254 : Summer 2011 Suggested Syllabus

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
July 11, 2011	July 12	July 13	July 14	July 15
Motivation, Introduction, Classification and Solutions of ODEs	Approximating Solutions, Quiz on Calculus background	Direction Fields, Separable Eqs	Separable Eqs, Linear Eqs	Linear Eqs, Exact Eqs
July 18	July 19	July 20	July 21	July 22
Applications and Modeling	Applications and Modeling	Exam #1	Linear 2nd Order Eqs	Complex Numbers + Complex Roots of Linear 2nd Order Eqs
July 25	July 26	July 27	July 28	July 29
Repeated roots of Linear 2nd Order Eqs, Reduction of Order	Nonhomogene ous Equations	In-depth study of Mechanical & Electrical Vibrations	Euler's Equation, Variation of Parameters	Exam #2
August 1	August 2	August 3	August 4	August 5
Matrix Theory, Systems of Autonomous Differential Eqs	Systems of Autonomous Differential Eqs	Systems of Autonomous Differential Eqs	Series Solutions	Series Solutions
August 8	August 9	August 10		
Qualitative Study of Eqs: Stability, Applications	Applications and Modeling	Exam #3		