

Course Information

Distance Learning Course: MAT 152.71 Statistical Methods I

Course format: Online

Textbook: Fundamentals of Statistics Informed Decisions Using Data, 4th edition ISBN: 1269325418

Course Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Take All: DMA-010, DMA-020, DMA-030, DMA-040, DMA-050, and DRE-098

Instructor Information	
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Types of Required Assignments	Frequency of Assignment
Class Labs	1-2 per week
Discussion Forums	Weekly
Projects	3 QR4U activities
Tests/Exams	4 test; 1 final
Quizzes	Popped as needed
Journal Entries	
Writing Assignments	A few short ones
Other	10-12 SoftChalk lessons and weekly homework assignments

Course Policies and Requirements	Hours
Average number of hours per week to be successful in a 12 to 16 week course	8
Average number of hours per week to be successful in a 8 week course	
Number of proctored exams required in this course	
Number of times a student will need to travel to campus	

Additional attendance: Must complete on-line assignments weekly

Policy on make-up exams and/or late assignments for this course: From the course syllabus:

Regardless of where/how an assignment is completed, it will have a due date. Whatever grade you have on an assignment (partner problem, assignment, homework, writing, lab, QR4U activity, discussion board, quiz, test, final exam) when the due date passes is your grade for that assignment. No late work is accepted, unless you invoke your one-time use "late penalty free pass".

Late penalty free pass: I will allow you one (1) late penalty free pass. You may use it to extend

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the due date of any or all of the assignments in one specific week, by one week only. The free pass may not be used in Week 16.

For example, suppose that you catch the flu in Week 10 of the semester. You could use your “late penalty free pass” to extend the due date of any or all of the assignments in week 10, to the due date for the assignments in Week 11.

Note: Should you request your free pass and then not complete those late assignments, you have still “used” your one free pass

Software/Technical Requirements	
Do assignments require the use of supplements bundled with the text book?	Yes, MyLabsPlus access code
Is additional software required?	Yes, Excel

Additional comments: A little more information for you:

You will need a graphing calculator: either a TI-84plus or a TI-nSpire CX CAS.

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