Introduction to Differential Equations – Math 286 X1
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Syllabus

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Lecture Time and Location: MTWR, 12–12:50, Burrill 140.
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Subject material: The material in chapters 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 will be the core of the course. See the online syllabus at http://www.math.uiuc.edu/Bourbaki/Syllabi/syl286.html

Grading: The course grade will consist of three midterm exams, weekly homework assignments, in-class quizzes, and a final exam. Each of the midterms will be worth 20%, the final worth 20%, the total homework score worth 15%, and the quizzes worth 5% of your final grade. Final grades will be determined from averages using the standard ten-point scale. The tentative schedule for the exams will be

- Midterm 1: September 24
- Midterm 2: October 27
- Midterm 3: November 19
- Final Exam: 7–10 PM, December 15, location TBD

All midterms will be in Burrill 140 during the regular class period. All tests and homework are cumulative. Homework will be assigned and collected regularly — there will be a homework assignment collected on most weeks throughout the semester.