Differential equations with Boundary Value Problems, 9th edition by D.G. Zill. We will cover most of chapters 1-5, 7, 8 and Appendix B. See our class webpage for more details.

Homework: Daily homework is posted on the class website. It will not be collected for grading.

Grading: There will be three in class exams and a comprehensive final exam. Each hour exam will be 20% of the grade, the final exam will be 30%. There will be a home quiz due on each non exam week. The quiz grade is 10%. It will be given in an email by each Wednesday afternoon by 5pm and will be due at the beginning of each Friday’s class. The lowest two quiz grades will be dropped.

Grades are normally assigned according to the percentage scale 90-100 A; 80-89 B; 70-79 C; 60-69 D; 0-59 F; if there is a need for a curve it will be given.

Guidelines on your submitted home quiz: Please use only one side of the page. Staple your pages if you have more than one. Be neat with your presentation.

Make up Policy: Make up hour exams will be administered only in very exceptional circumstances, at the discretion of the instructor. Appropriate documentation maybe needed. You need to contact me before the exam. No late home quiz will be accepted.

Class Conduct: Students are expected to arrive in class on time and remain throughout the class. No cell phones, laptops or such devices should be used during class.

Test dates: Test 1: September 13; Test 2: October 11; Test 3: November 15.

Final Exam: Wednesday December 13, 10:15am-12:15pm. It will be in our usual classroom.

Attendance Policy: Education at the university level requires active involvement in the learning process. Therefore students have the responsibility to attend classes and to actively engage in all learning assignments or opportunities provided in their classes. Required attendance is 4 hours per week. The instructor has the right to require that the student provide appropriate documentation for any absence.

Calculator Policy: Only scientific non graphing calculators may be used during in class exams.
Inclement Weather Policy: I will make every effort to hold class whenever the university is open. If I cannot make it to class (because of a snow/ice storm) I will send an e-mail to all students. This class will not meet when the University is closed due to inclement weather. During inclement weather, students should check the University main webpage or call the University of Arkansas Severe Weather Service Hotline at 575-7000.

Academic Honesty Policy: Violations of academic honesty will be handled in accordance to University policy. Students are required to bring their student ID to each exam.

As a core part of its mission, the University of Arkansas provides students with the opportunity to further their educational goals through programs of study and research in an environment that promotes freedom of inquiry and academic responsibility. Accomplishing this mission is only possible when intellectual honesty and individual integrity prevail.

Each University of Arkansas student is required to be familiar with and abide by the University’s Academic Integrity Policy which may be found at http://provost.uark.edu Students with questions about how these policies apply to a particular course or assignment should immediately contact their instructor.

For fairness and the integrity of the grading system, there will be no tolerance for academic dishonesty.