

Book options for Math 10120, Spring 2020

I wanted to clarify the book options since it might be a little bit confusing.

The most important thing to keep in mind is that **you will need access to WebAssign in order to do the homework for this course**. This is an online homework system. Through WebAssign you can also access a digital version of the textbook, but you can of course also buy a physical copy of the book.

All this can be purchased at the bookstore (but make sure your purchase includes the access to WebAssign – you will need a code number to create your account). Note that access codes are not transferable, so if you buy a used book you will have to buy the access code separately.

Less clear is that you have a couple of other options.

1. You can buy the book at a reseller such as amazon, barnes and noble, etc. Just make sure you also buy the access card (option #1 above) separately, since access codes are not transferable.
2. I'm told that you can purchase an access code online through WebAssign after you register for online homework, at the beginning of the semester. The price is \$100. You will have roughly two weeks to purchase and enter an access code before your account (and whatever homework you have done up to that point) is erased.

From my perspective there is no reason why you would need a physical copy of the book, but some people prefer it instead of reading an electronic version. But having access to WebAssign is imperative.