

Learning Resource Center(LRC)
Programs for Mathematics Courses
Spring 2000

The LRC is a part of the First Year of Studies. Among the many services provided to first year students, it offers the Tutoring Program, the Collaborative Learning Program, and a series of Math Workshops. The purpose of these programs is to assist the students with their proficiency in Mathematics.

Tutoring Program: Tutoring is available to students whose success in a first year course requires assistance beyond that which can be given by the teacher or staff of the courses. Tutoring sessions for small groups of students are offered in *Math 104, 105, 107, 108, 112, 119, 120, 126*. These sessions meet once weekly for two hours and will begin Wednesday, January 26, 2000.

Collaborative Learning Program: Small groups of students (4-6) are grouped by course and section, and work on mathematics homework. In the process of talking with each other and sharing their ideas about the work, they learn more Mathematics and understand it better. Sometimes groups share their ideas with other groups that are working on the same problems. In this way, all the students gain valuable ideas from others. Facilitators, upper class students who have successfully completed the course, are available to encourage problem solving and collaboration among group members, and to help when no one in the group can answer a question. Each group meets once weekly in the main room of the LRC, beginning Wednesday, January 26, 2000 with the following schedule:

Math 104 Thursday 8:30-10:30 pm
Math 105 Tuesday 6:30-8:30 pm
Math 108 Wednesday 3:30-5:30 pm
Math 120 Monday 6:30-8:30 pm
Math 126 Wednesday 8:30-10:30 pm

Workshops: Workshops are help sessions which do not require regular attendance. Each session is held every week, beginning January 26, 2000 with the following schedule:

Math 104 Sunday 4:30-6:30 pm LRC
Math 105 Sunday 6:30-8:30 pm 117 DBRT
Math 108 Sunday 6:30-8:30 pm LRC
Math 110 Sunday 7:00-9:00 pm 118 DBRT
Math 120 Wednesday 6:30-8:30 pm 118 DBRT
Math 126 Sunday 8:30-10:30 pm 184 NIEU

Sign-up Instructions: To sign up, please see Nahid Erfan, Director of the LRC. Notice, there is no need to sign up for Workshops.

Attendance Policy: Students are expected to attend all tutoring or collaborative learning sessions (but not all workshops). If unable to attend a session, call the LRC at 631-5294 in order to obtain an excused absence. Two absences may result in dismissal and readmission cannot be guaranteed.