MACM 101 - D200 Discrete Math I

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Calendar Objective/Description:
Discrete Math I

Instructor's Objectives:
This course is an introduction to discrete mathematics. The course will focus on establishing basic principles and motivate the relevance of those principles by providing examples of applications in Computing Science.

Prerequisites:
see go.sfu.ca

Topics:
- Counting
- Logic and Quantifiers
- Set Theory
- Formal Reasoning and Induction
- Functions and Relations
- Number Theory
- Trees (if time permits)

Grading:
There will be several graded assignments, one or two midterms and a final exam. The details will be discussed in the first week of classes.

Students must attain an overall passing grade on the weighted average of exams in the course in order to obtain a clear pass (C- or better).

Required Books:
Discrete and Combinatorial Mathematics (an Applied Introduction), Ralph P. Grimaldi, Addison-Wesley, 2004, 9780321385024

Recommended Books:

Academic Honesty Statement:
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