

UGMT 1300.713 Fall 2026 Syllabus

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Communication Expectations: I am easiest to reach by email. I will try to respond within 24 hours on weekdays (usually sooner). Emails sent over the weekend may not be answered until the following weekday.

Course Description

This course is designed to supplement and support the content in MATH 1180 while also helping students develop skills and strategies for becoming successful college students. The course provides additional review and practice with mathematical concepts used in MATH 1180, along with activities focused on student success.

Course Structure

This course takes place 100% online in Canvas. Information on how to be successful in an online learning environment can be found at UNT Learn Anywhere. Except for office hours and individual appointments, your interactions with me and your classmates will take place through Canvas and email.

Important Week 1 Note: Week 1 contains more material and quizzes than the remaining weeks. This is intentional and is designed to review foundational mathematics skills before they are needed in MATH 1180. Do not be concerned if Week 1 appears busy. Weeks 2–7 contain significantly less UGMT work and focus on shorter “just-in-time” support and student-success activities.

Please work through each module in the order presented and pay close attention to the due dates listed in Canvas.

Course Prerequisites or Other Restrictions

This course is intended for students who did not meet the minimum TSI requirement and are considered TSI Incomplete.

Course Learning Objectives

Students in this course will review and strengthen foundational mathematical skills needed for success in MATH 1180, including:

- Variables and constants; mathematical notation and like terms; equations and expressions; exponential expressions.

- Operations with fractions, order of operations, and evaluating expressions.
- Properties of numbers, including commutative and associative properties, identities and inverses, zero properties, and the distributive property.
- Interval notation and percents.
- Factoring, particularly factoring trinomials.
- Additional work with exponential and logarithmic concepts.
- Student-success strategies, including growth mindset and other skills that support effective learning.

Materials

All materials required specifically for UGMT 1300.713 are provided through Canvas as readings, instructional pages, videos, quizzes, assignments, or materials connected with MATH 1180.700. No additional textbook or separate purchase is required specifically for UGMT 1300.713.

Course Technology & Skills

To fully participate in this online course, students will need:

- A reliable computer and internet connection capable of accessing Canvas and viewing course videos.
- Proficiency in using Canvas.
- A calculator appropriate for the accompanying MATH 1180 course.
- The ability to access and complete online quizzes, readings, videos, and assignments.

Information on succeeding in a digital learning environment is available through UNT Learn Anywhere.

Course Evaluation

Your UGMT 1300.713 grade is based on the following two categories:

Assessment	Weight
Math Content Quizzes	50%
Student Success Skills Assignments	50%
Total	100%

Pass / No Pass: UGMT 1300.713 is a Pass (P) / No Pass (NP) course. A minimum overall grade of 70% is required to earn a Pass (P).

Math Content Quizzes: You must earn 100% on each Math Content Quiz. You may redo problems using Canvas's Build on Last Attempt feature. Start early so you have enough time to reach 100% before the deadline.

Student Success Skills Assignments: Each Student Success Skills assignment has its own instructions and grading criteria or rubric.

Exams: There are no exams in UGMT 1300.713.

Connection to MATH 1180.700

UGMT 1300.713 and MATH 1180.700 are separate courses with separate Canvas shells and separate course grades. You are responsible for completing the required work in both courses.

For students enrolled in both courses, the final UGMT 1300 grade contributes 10% of the final MATH 1180.700 course grade. In MATH 1180.700, the remaining grading weights for UGMT students are Knewton Alta Homework 20%, Engagement 10%, Midterm Exams 40%, and Final Exam 20%.

The UGMT grade entered into MATH 1180.700 is converted proportionally for the 10% UGMT component. See the MATH 1180.700 syllabus for more information.

Attendance and Participation

Because this is a 100% online course, attendance means actively working through the Canvas modules, completing required readings and videos, and submitting quizzes and assignments by their deadlines. Check Canvas regularly and enable notifications so that you receive course announcements and updates.

Due Dates and Weekly Organization

The detailed Fall 2026 schedule and all assignment due dates are posted in Canvas. Week 1 contains the largest concentration of UGMT review material and quizzes. Beginning in Week 2, the UGMT workload is substantially lighter and is designed to provide targeted support shortly before the related material is needed in MATH 1180.700.

Always use the dates shown in your Canvas modules and Course Summary as the official assignment deadlines. Any changes will be announced in Canvas.

Late Work

Due dates are intended to keep you on pace with MATH 1180.700 and the just-in-time support provided by this course. You should complete assignments by the posted deadlines. If exceptional circumstances prevent you from completing work on time, contact me as soon as possible.

Academic Integrity and Unauthorized Aids

All submitted work must represent your own work unless collaboration or another resource is specifically authorized in the assignment directions. Academic dishonesty includes behaviors such as cheating, fabrication, facilitating academic dishonesty, forgery, plagiarism, and sabotage. Violations may result in academic penalties consistent with UNT Policy 06.003 and may affect your Pass/No Pass course grade.

For quizzes and assessments, use only the materials and resources specifically permitted in the instructions. If you are unsure whether a resource is allowed, ask before beginning the assessment.

ADA / Office of Disability Access

The University of North Texas makes reasonable accommodations for students with disabilities. Students seeking accommodations should register with the Office of Disability Access (ODA) and provide the appropriate accommodation letter. Please provide notice as early as possible so that approved accommodations can be implemented without delay. More information is available through the UNT Office of Disability Access.

Emergency Notification and Procedures

UNT uses Eagle Alert to notify students of emergencies, severe weather, campus closings, and other critical information. If a university closure affects the course, check Canvas for instructions and contingency plans.

Important Notice for F-1 Students Taking Distance Education Courses

Federal regulations limit the number of fully online semester credit hours that may be applied toward the full-time enrollment requirement for F-1 students. Students should consult UNT's current international-student guidance if this applies to them.

Online Course Etiquette

Appropriate and respectful behavior is expected in all course-related communication. Please communicate professionally and courteously with your instructor and classmates in Canvas, email, discussions, and other course activities.

Syllabus Change Policy

This syllabus is subject to change. Any changes will be announced in Canvas, and updated information will be posted there.

Recommended Steps to Succeed

- Start with the Week 1 module and complete items in the order presented.
- Begin Week 1 early; it contains more UGMT work than later weeks.
- Use Build on Last Attempt until you earn 100% on each Math Content Quiz.
- From Weeks 2–7, continue checking UGMT Canvas even though the workload is lighter.
- Keep up with MATH 1180.700 because the two courses are designed to support one another.
- Contact me as soon as you have a question or are unsure about an assignment.

Fall 2026 Course Calendar

The detailed 8-week course calendar, including UGMT 1300.713 assignment due dates and the related MATH 1180.700 schedule, is available in Canvas. Review the Modules and Course Summary regularly for the most current deadlines.