

EDU Student Information

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Registering for EDU

1. From the Class Home Page, click **Register as a Student** on the student menu.
2. Complete the form and click **OK** to submit it. Note that you choose your own login and password.
3. If you forget your login or password, you can register again with a new login and password.

Doing Assignments

1. Select the assignment you want to take. If it does not appear as a hyperlink, then the assignment is inactive. Some assignments require approval of a proctor and can only be done in the Burnett testing center or the Math Lab.
2. Many questions require a formula answer. To minimize the likelihood of a format error, click the **Preview** link. This will show you a displayed version of the formula you typed. You can also try the **Change Entry Style** link, which activates a template for entering mathematics as it is properly displayed rather than with calculator syntax.
3. Some assignments are of the homework/quiz type. These assignments require you to complete all of your work before submitting any answers. Click **NEXT** after you have finished each question until the button is grayed out. Then click **GRADE** to have the assignment scored and recorded.
4. Most assignments have a time limit, and sometimes the number of attempts you have is limited. This is to keep you from wasting a lot of time when you are stuck.

Mastery Dialogs

1. Mastery dialogs require you to complete a set of tasks. Answer each question and click **GRADE QUESTION** immediately.
2. The status of each task is reported with 2 numbers. If you see “1/5,” for example, it means that you did the question 5 times and succeeded in getting it right at least once.
3. It doesn't matter how many tries you need; as long as you get each question right at least once, you will get full credit for a mastery assignment.
4. When the number of attempts at an assignment is limited, the limitation applies to mastery sessions rather than the number of questions within a session. The number of questions is limited only by the time limit on the assignment.
5. Selecting **QUIT AND SAVE** does not stop the assignment clock.

Typing Errors

If your answer looks different from the official answer, but they are actually equal, EDU will count your answer as correct. For example, “ $x(y+z)$ ” is the same as “ $xy+xz$ ”. However, syntax errors will often be counted as wrong. Most assignments allow repeated attempts, so the easiest fix for a syntax error is to do the assignment again. You can also ask your instructor to re-grade an answer you think is correct. Your instructor will need to know which assignment, the date and time of the attempt, and the question number.

