

## Honor Principle

The text of the Dartmouth College Honor Principle is available at

<http://www.dartmouth.edu/~uja/honor/>

In Math 12, the instructors have given the following statement with regards to their expectations:

*For most homework assignments, we expect you to work in groups. Some assignments will clearly state that you are to work individually, and for these collaboration is not permitted. For the WeBWork, you should be the one to type in your answer. Problem sheets for the bi-weekly problem solving will clearly state if solutions should be written up as a group or as an individual. Even if the solution should be written individually, we encourage to work in a group to solve the problem. When it comes time to write your solution, however, we expect you to do this on your own, not in a group setting. Writing assignments must be written up individually. Quizzes and Exams are given on an individual basis, and all work is to be your own. Calculators are not permitted on quizzes and exams.*

Exams are individual, and we expect this to be self-explanatory. The homework guidelines are not as clear, so we offer the following situational examples to help you understand what we expect:

*Samantha is having trouble with her WeBWork and asks Jason for help. Together, they work through her problem on paper until Samantha understands it. Once they've reached a solution, Samantha types and submits it to WebWork.*

Notice that it is Samantha, and not Jason, who enters and submits the solution. Also, they work through the problem together rather than having Jason work it out and tell her the answer.

*For the problem solving session, Edith, Geoffrey and Mark are working together in a group. Geoffrey can't make it to any meetings outside of class, and Edith and Mark finish up the assignment without him. As they realize that Geoffrey isn't making the meetings, they email the instructor to find out what to do.*

If there are group members who only show up for some of your meetings, the instructors would like to know as soon as possible. Exceptions can be made to both the due date and the group requirement if we are approached in a timely manner. Even an email the night before is better than asking about something as it is being handed in. Please let us know as soon as you realize there may be a problem.

*While working on an individual assignment, Gabe approaches Betty about working through the problems together. Betty is worried about this, but could use the help, so she emails the instructor to find out if it is allowed.*

We will try to state in instructions very clearly whether to work individually, as a group, or by your choice. If it is unclear, please feel free to send us an email and ask.

I have read and understood the above information.

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(Student Signature)

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(Student Name and Date (print))