

CATALOG YEAR 2006-2007

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COLLEGE/SCHOOL : _____Arts and Sciences_____

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Course: Add: _____ Delete: _____
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 Description X Prerequisite _____

If new, provide Course Prefix, Number, Title, SCH Value, Description, prerequisite, and lecture/lab hours if applicable. If in current catalog, copy and paste the text from the and indicate changes in red.

MATH 5330 *Abstract Algebra I*. Three semester hours.

This is the first course in Abstract Algebra. The main topics include groups, rings, fields, subgroups and quotient groups, ideals, homomorphism and introduction to field extensions. There will be the classical examples of polynomial rings and integral domains, questions of factorization, ideals and the fundamental homomorphism theorem. Prerequisites: Graduate standing and permission of instructor.

Justification: Changes reflect the topics taught in this course.

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