



University of Central Florida
Student Academic Resource Center

“Success Starts at SARC”



Survive Statistics I (STA 2023)...By following these 10 Easy Steps

- 1. Go to class!** This can not be emphasized enough. This is the most important part of having success in any course. This is the best place to learn the material.
- 2. Take notes.** Even though things might seem clear in the classroom, this can change when you are by yourself. Taking good notes, especially step-by-step examples, will serve as a guide when you do your homework.
- 3. Do the Homework.** Even if the professor does not collect the homework these problems offer practice and drills. The homework problems will point out areas you are unsure on before the test itself. Also, the more you drill similar problems the faster you will be able to solve them, leaving more time on the test to check your answers.
- 4. Read the book BEFORE class.** This will familiarize you with the information before the professor introduces it.
- 5. Ask questions.** If you have a question or are unsure about something be the hero, do not be afraid to raise your hand and ask. If you have a question on the material someone else does too, even if they don't realize it yet. Your classmates will thank you
- 6. Do NOT fall behind.** Like many classes, statistics builds on material from one section to the next. If you do not stop and clarify now, it will only get harder to sort out.
- 7. Go see your Professor.** Even if you have to make up a question, go see your professor during office hours. This will help your professor put a face with a name. Also, you will feel more comfortable with your professor and will be more likely to ask a question in class.
- 8. Set up study groups.** The best way to learn material is to teach it to someone else.
- 9. Always use the calculator that you are going to use on the test for any practice problems.** All calculators might seem the same, but you do not want to waste precious time during the exam trying to figure out which buttons do what.
- 10. Make reading, homework time and SARC tutoring part of your daily schedule.** SARC Peer Tutoring is here to help you succeed.



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