



**SCHOOL OF
MATHEMATICS, SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING**

HISTORY OF MATH DEPARTMENTAL FINALS

(date of first implementation)

- Fall 2000 Math departmental finals in M20, M35, M45, M65 (approximately 3500 students tested)
All departmental finals are open response (students show work)
Each faculty may determine the weight of the final exam score in computing the course grade in their courses
- Spring 01 Joint adjunct / ft math faculty department meeting
Faculty mentors for math classes formalized
Adjunct notebook developed and distributed
Syllabus evaluation of adjunct faculty initiated (eval of ft already in place)
Mentoring program initiated (math packets, comprehensive evaluation of new adjuncts, joint dept meeting, mentor faculty, adjunct notebook)
Math assessment test cut off scores revised (increased)
Math departmental final in M65 changed to Scantron form
- Summer 01 Adjunct notebook revised
- Fall 2001 Faculty survey 8/01 re math department finals
Common math department final for M45 (Saturday 12/15/01) with panel grading
Faculty and student survey 12/01 re M45
Each faculty may determine the weight of the final exam score in computing the course grade in their courses (Math Dept recommends 20%)
- Spring 02 Common math department final for M45 (Friday 5/17/02) with panel grading
Faculty and student survey 5/02 re M45
Math faculty voted to convert all departmental finals to Scantron effective Fall 2002
Math faculty voted to discontinue common math final in M45 effective Fall 2002
- Summer 02 New math finals developed by math faculty for use in Fall 2002