

# Rubric for final paper

Math 300

The final paper is due on MONDAY, DECEMBER 5.

## Grading is out of 100 points:

- 10 points for the Introduction (what will your paper be about?)
- 10 points for the Background (define or explain all unfamiliar terms)
- 25 points for developing at least three main ideas
- 5 points for Discussion/Conclusion and **Bibliography**
- 10 points for addressing comments from instructor, grader, and peers on prior drafts
- 15 points for meeting style/length requirements:
  - double-spaced, 12-point font, 1-inch margins
  - pages must be numbered
  - figures from other sources must be credited
  - at least **8 pages**, excluding figures and bibliography
- 10 points for organization and clarity
- 10 points for effective flow/transitions (between sentences and between paragraphs)
- 5 points for correct spelling and grammar.