



**THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS RIO GRANDE VALLEY
REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF UNDERGRADUATE GRADUATION REQUIREMENT**

Name: Blanket Waiver

Student ID: _____

Major: All VCoBE Degrees

Catalog Year: UTRGV Catalogs

The following deviation(s) from the catalog requirements are requested:

Requirement(s) to be Waived:

Restriction of MATH 1324 in Category 020 of the General Education Core

Student's Justification for the Waiver Request:

This blanket waiver would allow a student to apply previously completed coursework that is part of the General Education Core Category 020 with grade of "C" or better. This waiver overrides the degree requirement of the Category 020 course MATH 1324. The waiver will be applied manually upon or before application of graduation review.

Department's Justification for the Waiver Request:

If a student is General Education Core Complete or has completed the requirement(s) of Category 020 at another institution, student would not need to complete the degree requirement of MATH 1324.

Application of this waiver must be approved by a Program Coordinator from the Robert C. Vackar College of Business and Entrepreneurship.

Advised By: _____

_____ Date


Signature of Major Department Chair *UEC*

Approved

Denied

_____ Date

9/28/2018


Signature of Dean

Approved

Denied

_____ Date

9/28/18


Signature of Deputy Provost¹

Approved

Denied

_____ Date

11/9/18

Notice of approval or denial will be sent to electronically to the student's UTRGV email address.

¹Only required for requests of waiver of institutional requirements.

From: [Linda Matthews](#)
To: [Undergrad Committee](#)
Cc: [Business Advising](#); [Timothy Huber](#)
Subject: Re: Seeking endorsement for blanket sub in MATH
Date: Friday, November 2, 2018 1:28:07 PM

Greetings!

Please see the email from Dr Huber below. I trust this serves as an endorsement for the blanket waiver VCOBE proposed to be on the Nov 9 meeting agenda. Please let us know if you need anything else.

Thanks Tim!

Linda Matthews
Acting Dean
Professor of Management
Associate Dean for Undergraduate Programs
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From: Timothy Huber
Sent: Friday, November 2, 2018 1:20:08 PM
To: Linda Matthews
Cc: Business Advising
Subject: Re: Seeking endorsement for blanket sub in MATH

Hi Linda,

Yes, I support this blanket substitution. Category 020 - Mathematics (logic, college algebra-equivalent or above) should be satisfied by 020 requirements taken at another institution. MATH 1342, the current requirement for RVCBE students, emphasizes business applications relevant for students in the college. However, equivalent courses at the level of college algebra contain the same fundamental mathematical techniques and level of rigor. Students should not be required to take MATH 1342 if they have a course at or above the college algebra level.

Please let me know if you need more information.

Thank you,

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On Nov 1, 2018, at 6:11 PM, Linda Matthews <linda.matthews@utrgv.edu> wrote:

Greetings Tim!

We are trying to submit the following Blanket sub (attached) to allow VCOBE students who have taken a category 020 MATH at another institution before coming to UTRGV OR who took an 020 MATH as a UTRGV student prior to being VCOBE majors to be able to apply that course to the 020 Gen Ed thus not having to take MATH 1324. Per the correspondence from the UC (below) they would need some endorsement of the request from your department before considering it at the UC- Would you endorse this request? Please let me know of any questions/concerns you might have. I do need to get this to UC by Monday for agenda purposes, please consider that and thanks for a timely response!

1. Blanket Waiver

- o Revise Program: All Business Degrees
 - PENDING:* Any request that may impact or affect another school/department/program must include evidence of the outcome of communication (e.g., memo/email expressing endorsement) with that school/department/program. If an impacted school/department/program is unsatisfied by the outcome of this communication, a representative may present the reason(s) for concern to the UC or GC when the proposal is presented, following the same presentation criteria as the presenting school/department/program.

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