Program / Semester	Computer Systems Technol	ogy / Semester 1 Updated: 2/09/21
Course:	COSC 180 – Introduction to Programming	
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Important Dates Additional Information	Course dates: Sept 30 to Midterm exams: Week of October Final exam: Week of December 1	

Note: This document is intended to be a guide for students to balance their workload across multiple courses. Dates and times may be subject to change.

Course Schedule:	Week 1	Learning Outcome 1 - Explain programming terminology Learning Outcome 2 - Create a program using tools and styling conventions.
	Week 2	Learning Outcome 3 - Elementary Programming Learning Outcome 4 – Use a Debugging Tool
	Week 3	Learning Outcome 5 – Write Programs that utilize Strings and Mathematical libraries Assignment 1 Given out
	Week 4	Learning Outcome 6 – Create a program that uses operators and decision statements. Assignment 1 Due
	Week 5	Learning Outcome 7 – Create a program using repetition structures. Assignment 2 given
	Week 6	Learning Outcome 8 – Create programs using methods Midterm #1
	Week 7	Learning Outcome 8 – Create Programs using methods Assignment 2 due
	Week 8	Learning Outcome 9 -Use Arrays to manage collections of primitive values or object References
	Week 9	Learning Outcome 9 – Use Arrays to manage collections of primitive values or object
	Week 10	Learning Outcome 10 –Create a program using objects and object oriented techniques. Assignment 3 given
	Week 11	Learning Outcome 10 –Create a program using objects and object oriented techniques.

Week 12	Learning Outcome 13 – Create a program using objects and object oriented techniques
	Assignment 3 due
Week 13	Learning Outcome 11 -Design reusable classes through inheritance and interfaces.
	Midterm #2 Assignment 4 given
Week 14	Learning Outcome 11 -Design reusable classes through inheritance and interfaces.
Week 15	Learning Outcome 11 -Design reusable classes through inheritance and interfaces.
	Assignment 4 due
Week 16	Final Exam.

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