

CSCI 2500 Computer Organization - Fall 2022  
 Lectures: Monday/Thursday 10:00-11:50AM in Sage 3303  
 Labs: Wednesday, different times for different sections; in-person  
 Tests: Mondays, 6:00-7:50PM

**“zyBook” digital edition of Computer Organization and Design MIPS edition, 6th ed.** by Patterson and Hennessy  
**“CPL” The C Programming Language** by Kernighan and Ritchie (for reference)

Week	Readings	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	<b>CPL, zyBook:</b> week #1	<b>8/29:</b> Syllabus, Schedule, Course Overview, C		<b>8/31:</b> [Lab 01]	<b>9/1:</b> C, Memory Allocation, C Libraries, I/O, Strings	
2	<b>zyBook:</b> week #2	<b>9/5:</b> No classes Labor Day	<b>9/6:</b> Follow a Monday Schedule. C, Memory Allocation, Linux OS basics	<b>9/7:</b> [Lab 02]	<b>9/8:</b> Unix shells, File I/O	
3	<b>zyBook:</b> week #3	<b>9/12:</b> Process Management, Parallelism <b>HW 1 due</b>		<b>9/14:</b> [Lab 03]	<b>9/15:</b> Performance	
4	<b>zyBook:</b> week #4	<b>9/19:</b> MIPS Assembly Language		<b>9/21:</b> [Lab 04]	<b>9/22:</b> MIPS memory access, integer representation <b>HW 2 due</b>	
5	<b>zyBook:</b> week #5	<b>9/26:</b> MIPS stack and procedures		<b>9/28:</b> [Q/A Lab]	<b>9/29:</b> Instruction Sets	
6	<b>zyBook:</b> week #6	<b>10/3:</b> Boolean Logic, Gates <b>Test 1</b>		<b>10/5:</b> Lab 05]	<b>10/6:</b> Logic Design <b>HW 3 due</b>	
7	<b>zyBook:</b> week #7	<b>10/10:</b> No classes Columbus Day	<b>10/11:</b> No class Follow a Tuesday Schedule.	<b>10/12:</b> [Lab 06]	<b>10/13:</b> Logic Design	
8	<b>zyBook:</b> week #8	<b>10/17:</b> Logic Design		<b>10/19:</b> [Lab 07]	<b>10/20:</b> Logic Design <b>HW 4 due</b>	
9	<b>zyBook:</b> week #9	<b>10/24:</b> Processor, Datapath, Control, Performance		<b>10/26:</b> [Q/A Lab]	<b>10/27:</b> Processor, Datapath, Control	
10	<b>zyBook:</b> week #10	<b>10/31:</b> Pipelining <b>Test 2</b>		<b>11/2:</b> [Lab 08]	<b>11/3:</b> Pipelining, Hazards <b>HW 5 due</b>	
11	<b>zyBook:</b> week #11	<b>11/7:</b> Memory		<b>11/9:</b> [Lab 09]	<b>11/10:</b> Memory, Caching	
12	<b>zyBook:</b> week #12	<b>11/14:</b> Memory, Caching		<b>11/16:</b> [Lab 10]	<b>11/17:</b> Virtual Memory, Translation Lookaside Buffer <b>HW 6 due</b>	
13	<b>zyBook:</b> week #13	<b>11/21:</b> Parallel Programming		<b>11/23:</b> No classes Thanksgiving Break	<b>11/24:</b> No classes Thanksgiving Break	
14	<b>zyBook:</b> week #14	<b>11/28:</b> Parallel Programming, GPUs, Threads <b>HW 7 due</b>		<b>11/30:</b> [Q/A Lab]	<b>12/1:</b> Parallel Programming	
15	<b>zyBook:</b> week #15	<b>12/5:</b> Parallel Programming <b>Test 3</b>		<b>12/7:</b> [Q/A Lab]	<b>12/8:</b> Conclusions and discussion <b>Project due</b>	

*Schedule is tentative and subject to change – Last updated: August 25, 2022*